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Dear Parents/Guardians,

During the 2021 Legislative Session, a bill was passed that requires a moment of silence at the beginning of every school day.

The principal of each school shall require teachers in the first class period of the school day in all grades to set aside at least one (1) minute, but not more than two (2) minutes daily, for a moment of silence. During this moment of silence, students may not interfere with other students' participation and teachers may not make suggestions as to the nature of any reflection that a student may engage in during the moment of silence. Parents/guardians are encouraged to discuss this moment of silence with their children and make suggestions as to how-they can best use this time.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the school at 305-258-3676.

Respectfully,

Alonza Pendergrass

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