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District Update

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Budget, Communication Review, Profile of a Graduate

At Tuesday's Board meeting, the budget for the 2021/22 school year was adopted. Here is a [link](#) to the BoardDocs page where you can access the budget document for a summary and specific details of the budget. The board discussed a communication review conducted by the National School Public Relation Association (NSPRA). The review will help inform the development of a Communication Plan that will be part of an overall Strategic Plan the district is currently developing. The first step in the review and revision of the strategic plan is to create a Profile of a Graduate. We will be asking for input in the next couple of months to help guide this work, which will then be used as the foundation for the strategic plan. The Wyoming State Board of Education is doing similar work for the state (details about their work can be found [here](#).)

Return to School

We would like to remind families that our intention is to open the 2021/22 school year without the health restrictions that were in place last year. We will continue to monitor any developments regarding COVID-19, including CDC and Wyoming Department of Health guidelines, and make adjustments to school operations as needed. We will continue to use many of the sanitation and hygiene strategies developed for the 20/21 school year. Also, some of the lunchroom strategies that were adopted at our buildings during the 20/21 school year may remain. Additionally, unlike the 2020/21 school year, the district will not offer a virtual option to students. Information specific to each school's operations will be shared at our open houses in August. For a tentative schedule of open houses please visit the [school calendar](#). As always, if you have any questions please feel free to call us at the central office, (307) 332-4711.

Dave Barker
Superintendent

"In partnership with families and community, we educate students to become responsible citizens who respect one another and have the motivation, skills, and knowledge to succeed."