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Dear Parent/Guardian:

With the school year winding down, we wanted to let you know about a couple of important updates related to Young Adult Services (YAS).

Firstly, we are always looking at ways to improve security as it relates to our buildings. That said, you may notice some minor changes when you come to a YAS building going forward. We are going to be limiting visitor access and may ask you to wait right by the front door or even outside. For some of our smaller locations this won't be new, but for our larger buildings this may be a change. If you do need to come in for any length of time, we will also be asking you to wear a visitor badge. Finally, we will be working with students on keeping their ID on them at all times, similar to how a college or job site may.

Secondly, YAS has been seeking a curriculum that provides effective age and ability-appropriate sexual education that teaches respect, safety, and healthy lifestyle choices. We created an advisory board to help lead this process and want to let you know about two different opportunities to view the proposed curriculum.

The two public viewings will take place at the OAISD Educational Services Building: 13565 Port Sheldon St. in Holland. Park on the east side of the building and we will have someone there to point you in the right direction. Date #1 will be Tuesday April 25 from 2:00 to 3:00 and date #2 will be Tuesday May 2 from 4:30 to 5:30. No reservation is necessary.

As always, should you have any questions or concerns, please reach out to John at jkoerner@oaisd.org. Thank you and have a wonderful spring.

Warmly,

John Koerner
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