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UPDATE - Temporary Suspension of School in Langenburg

The following provides an overview as of today's date:

- An analysis by air quality and mechanical engineering specialists was completed yesterday and it was determined that the area of significant concern can be isolated so that a majority of the building will be available for use. Work will begin today to isolate the gymnasium, theatre and Parkside/south wing of the school.
- Air quality testing will be conducted on Thursday to confirm that we have a safe environment in the school. We are looking to resume classes early next week pending positive results.
- Plans are also in place to ensure that the building can continue to operate safely until the completion of the new facility.
- Langenburg High School staff, along with Administration Office personnel, will be meeting offsite tomorrow to plan for the return of students and the long-term program delivery for all 208 students in Grades 5 to 12.
- We are in the process of planning an open meeting for parents and guardians sometime next week to provide up-to-date information and an opportunity to seek clarification.
- Communication with parents and staff will continue over the coming days as new information and details become available.

For further information, contact Dwayne Reeve, Director of Education, at 306-786-5500.

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