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PCS Families,

Earlier today the Alabama State Department of Education (ALSDE) released the "Roadmap to Reopening Schools". We've placed links to the ALSDE's Roadmap document and a Parent Guide on the [COVID-19 page on our website](#).

We're in the process of reviewing the state's guidance, and we've assembled teams who will be utilizing the framework to build plans specific to Pelham. We're embracing necessary changes, and we're committed to implementing plans for a safe and successful return to school. We'll be ready to welcome students and staff back to school in August, and we're fully supportive of the families who will choose a remote learning option for their students.

We'll begin discussions about our planning at the Board of Education meeting at Pelham High School on Monday, June 29. We aim to have our comprehensive plan ready to communicate to stakeholders by mid-July. If you have feedback you would like considered related to planning for the return to school, please email [communications@pelhamcityschools.org](mailto:communications@pelhamcityschools.org).

Be safe and stay well,

Dr. Scott Coefield  
Superintendent  
Pelham City Schools