Superintendent John Spieser Video Message to Families - September 4, 2020

## Good afternoon Milford!

What an awesome first week with students. I spoke with an elementary teacher this morning and she told me that she cried when her students came into her room. That's the love Milford teachers have for their students. This pandemic has caused so much uncertainty and has disrupted all of our lives so much. What I witnessed Monday morning on the first day of school made all the planning and all the tough decisions worth it. Six months is a long time to be away from school and a normal routine. Students were beaming as they were walking into school Monday or logged on for the first time.

We are here for all of our students, both in person and on Eagle Online, and we pledge to continue to work our very hardest to make sure that we can continue to provide the best educational opportunities for your students.

In the background today I have artwork from Milford High School. The first two pieces from left to right are from Mr. Damon Tucker's students, Isabell Bricking and Kim Kangsathian. The next two pieces, the black and white portraits, are from Milford High School art teacher, Mr. Chris Leuson. The print on the end is from Molly Cambron. Thank You to our wonderful art teachers and students for sharing their gifts with us.

I hope you have a great holiday weekend. Make it a great day!