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## Dear Parents/Guardian,

I am writing to inform you that Mr. Ginty, principal of Verne W. Critz, will be out on family medical leave beginning today and for approximately 12 weeks. Our thoughts are with Mr. Ginty and his family and we look forward to his return.

In Mr. Ginty's absence, I am happy to announce that Mr. Paul Graf will serve as Acting Principal of Verne W. Critz Elementary School. Mr. Graf is a certified School Administrator with over 25 years of elementary education experience in New York State. Recently, he has served as Acting Principal of Frank P. Long Intermediate School and Interim Assistant Principal at Bellport Middle School. Mr. Graf will begin tomorrow, so please join me in welcoming him to Verne W. Critz.

If you have any questions, comments or concerns, please feel free to contact my office at (631) 730-1501. Please note that Mr. Graf may be reached at <a href="mailto:pgraf@southcountry.org">pgraf@southcountry.org</a> or (631) 730-1676.

Sincerely,

Superintendent of Schools

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