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Dear Parent/Guardian:

The West Perry School District is pleased to announce that we will begin using the Ident-A-Kid Visitor Management System in all of our district schools for the 2019-2020 school year, in an effort to increase student and staff safety. Part of the district's program for campus safety is monitoring who is in our buildings at all times. The Ident-A-Kid system will better allow us to track visitors, contractors, and volunteers in our schools and provide us with a safer environment for all of our students and staff.

Upon entering any district building, visitors will be asked to present a valid state or government issued photo identification card, which will be scanned into the Ident-A-Kid system. It is important to note that the system is only scanning identification cards for the visitor's name, date of birth, and photo for cross-referencing with the national database of Registered Sex Offenders. Once entry is approved, the Ident-A-Kid system will issue a badge that identifies the visitor with the date and purpose of his/her visit. A visitor's badge will not be issued for those who visit our schools simply to drop off an item in the office, pick up paperwork, or signs a student in/out of school. If a person does not have identification, the campus administrator will be notified to assess the situation. In the event that a person is confirmed as a match in a Registered Sex Offenders database, Administration will be notified and will intervene to address the request to visit the school.

If you are interested in learning more about the Ident-A-Kid Visitor Management System, please visit the Ident-A-Kid website @ <https://identakid.com/>. If you have any questions regarding this system, please contact the office of the school that your child is attending.

The safety of our students and staff is our highest priority and the Ident-A-Kid Visitor Management System will help ensure the safety of our buildings by monitoring access from all visitors. Therefore, all visitors to the school must be scanned into the system and obtain a visitor badge. Thank you for your understanding and support of enhancing school safety protocols in the district.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "David M. Zula". The signature is written in a cursive style.

David M. Zula
Superintendent