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To all District 64 Families and Staff:

District 64 is conducting a new style of online forum called *Thoughtexchange*. *Thoughtexchange* is a very innovative new format that we think you will find engaging and easy to use. On Monday, you will receive an email with a link to join the conversation.

Thoughtexchange is best described as an “online town hall meeting.” It has three steps. You will have an opportunity to **share** your thoughts on several open-ended questions; consider ideas from others and **star** the ones you like best; and finally, **discover** what is most important to the group. [Here is a short, 1-minute video](#) that introduces how it works.

We invite you to let us know what you think we are doing well and where we can improve. We also want to hear your thoughts on the key areas of focus found within our 2020 Vision Strategic Plan as the first school year guided by the plan comes to a close.

The *Thoughtexchange* process will be open from May 9 through June 5. I encourage every parent and staff member to take this opportunity to participate. Watch for your invitation on Monday.

For Your Children,
Dr. Laurie Heinz, Superintendent