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Dear Afterschool Families,

I hope that this letter finds you safe and healthy. We have greatly missed our Afterschool children, families, and staff, and I am happy to confirm that we are moving forward with reopening all of our sites this fall! There is so much that we need to do to welcome you in September, but I wanted to provide this assurance now, and not wait until we have all the individual pieces worked out.

We will open our enrollment process this summer for the 2021-2022 school year. We will prioritize children who were enrolled in our programs as of 3/13/20 (prior to closures due to COVID-19), who are still Cambridge residents, and who will be in grades JK-5. We will then enroll children who are moving up from our DHSP Preschools, followed by children who are currently on our waitlist for Afterschool Programs.

We plan to reach out to you by email with more details regarding the enrollment process by the end of July. The process has changed since we have last been together and we will now be offering the option enroll online through Trax. Some of you may be familiar with Trax if your children have participated in DHSP virtual or field programming in the past year.

I am looking forward to all of us being together again this fall! As always, you can reach out to me directly with any questions or concerns at meghanm@cambridgema.gov or 617-349-6218.

Sincerely,

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