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"Dream Big, Work Hard and Believe!"

March 1, 2016

RE: Morgan Hill v. California Department of Education

Dear Parents,

The California Department of Education ("CDE") is currently engaged in a legal case with two non-profit associations (plaintiffs). As part of this case against the state, the plaintiffs are requesting access to records for any student who has attended a California school at any time since January 1, 2008. Sanger Unified School District **is not** involved in this case and **is not** required to release any student information. However, our student data is also kept at CDE and may be subject to release, from CDE, as part of this legal action.

Although we are not involved in this case, and have no ability to influence the outcome, we wish to provide our parents a link regarding important rights under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act ("FERPA"). The following link will take you to CDE's website:

<http://www.cde.ca.gov/morganhillcase>.

The CDE site provides an *Objection to Disclosure of Student Information and Records* form that will allow parents and adult students to object, by April 1, 2016, to the disclosure of personally identifiable information. For more information, or if you have any further questions, please contact CDE directly at (916) 319-0800.

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*Every Child, Every Day, Whatever it Takes!*

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