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Dear HMS Families,

It is with great sadness that we are sending this message to you today. We want to share this news as adults so that you can give thought on how you wish to share it with your child. Mrs. Dupuis passed away this morning. While Mrs. Dupuis did lose her courageous battle with cancer, her positivity shined through during challenging times and she never lost hope. Mrs. Dupuis was a true professional who loved every aspect of her job, especially the children. She was instrumental in promoting the Kindness Kindergarten Rocks movement. As a result, every Kindergarten student searched and found a special rock to welcome them to school at Kindergarten Orientation. She sparked an excitement for learning that was contagious and installed a love for learning. Mrs. Dupuis' favorite saying was "Teamwork Makes the Dreamwork". Our HMS Community will continue to carry her message forward and keep it close to our hearts. On upcoming spirit days you will notice staff and students wearing Team Lisa t-shirts as a way to honor her memory. Together we are stronger and we are here for one another.

We thank you for working with us and your children on handling this sad and sensitive matter. In Lisa Dupuis' memory let us all embrace life, enjoy our families and friends. Let us be kind and respectful to one another and let us remember – when all is said and done, together we are stronger.

Please do not hesitate to reach out if you we can help support your children during this time.

Sincerely,

Andrew Duperre Lisa Hunter