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Dear Parents/Guardians of 5th Grade Students:

Our Family Life unit will be presented during your child's science class on Wednesday, December 13th and Thursday, December 14th. The girls and boys will be separated into two groups during the two day program. All parents were previously invited to our Family Life Preview meeting on October 18, 2017. During this meeting we presented an overview of the unit and a viewing of the film to be seen by all attendees.

We encourage all parents to take the next few weeks to reinforce your family values and expectations in conversations with your child. Parents should be the first and foremost source of information on the subject of family life and characteristics of promoting healthy behaviors. We can collaboratively work together to assist your children to develop the skills and knowledge needed to promote healthy patterns of behavior and good choices, now and throughout life.

All materials used are approved by the Totowa Board of Education and aligned with the New Jersey Student Learning Standards for Comprehensive Health and Physical Education. The standards can be accessed by logging on to the New Jersey Department of Education website.

Should you have any questions or concerns, you may contact Ms. Luciano or Mr. Scully. The video is available through this webpage. <https://www.pgschoolprograms.com/Parents>

Sincerely,



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