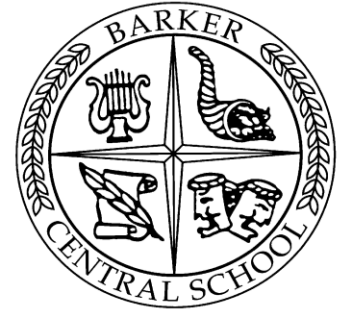


# Barker Central School

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Hello Pratt Elementary Families:

This message is to make families aware that the district is bringing our elementary students with special education services into the building four days a week. This is for students from cohort A and B (not C, fully remote) in Kindergarten through 6<sup>th</sup> grade who currently have an Individualized Education Program (IEP).

Starting on Monday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>, these special education students will come to school Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. Wednesday is still a fully remote day. This phase-in of our special education students will provide them with all of their mandated services and modifications in-person on these days.

We fully understand that this announcement will be accepted differently depending on the household. We do hope that if things continue to go in the right direction that the state will lift some of the more restrictive rules that are preventing us from bringing back more students. At this point, we cannot bring all of our elementary students back and be anywhere close to the guidelines. However, we currently have some space to do so for these specific students.

Those families with an elementary special education student will be getting a phone call from Dr. Kramer, our Director of Student Services, to discuss the transition back into the classroom.

Thank you all for your continued patience and flexibility as we progress through this school year.

Michael Carter  
Principal, Barker Central School District

Mariah Kramer  
Director of Instructional Services