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Good Morning,

Please read this information carefully. It may seem like it is a complicated process but it is really pretty simple and well worth the effort.

I am sending this update regarding the **Oklahoma Stay in School Fund and Bridge The Gap Digital Wallet** that is available to parents who have either lost a job or had their income reduced because of the Covid-19 pandemic.

I wanted to get the information to you as quickly as possible so that you can submit your application. The program actually launches **Monday, August 10, 2020** and since there is a limited amount of funds available, it is important to get it submitted immediately. ***You know the old saying “the early bird gets the worm”!***

As a part of this process, the school also had to submit an application. This information just came out on Friday and I submitted the application on Friday. It is a 2-step process and I am waiting for them to send me the link for the second step. I expect them to do that soon and it will not prevent you from submitting your application.

You will need to go to the *opsac.com* website and click on “Stay in School Fund” at the top of the page. This will take you to the page that I am attaching that explains who qualifies. On the right side of the page you will see a place to **Create your Account**. When you create an account, you can begin your application.

As a part of this process, you will have to submit a statement (invoice) from the school for the entire year’s tuition. You will need to get this statement from the school office. Normally, the statements only show a monthly tuition charge.

There is a lot of information at the OPSAC website but I have tried to pick out the most important things for you to know.

I hope this will be helpful to some of you during this extremely challenging time,

Dianna Howard
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