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Dear Salt River Schools Stakeholders,

This message is to keep our students, staff, families, and Community informed about the status of the Salt River High School letter grade. The preliminary A-F school letter grades were released yesterday, October 31, by the Arizona Department of Education.

**SRHS received a *preliminary* letter grade of F.**

The scores released by ADE are preliminary, because the state provides a two-week appeal window, beginning today through November 15. During this time, Salt River Schools will review the state's data to ensure its accuracy.

As we have shared widely throughout the past year, SRHS is at-risk of possible closure due to this letter grade; if that happens, the closure would occur after June 30, 2020. However, please know that we are reviewing all possible avenues to keep SRHS open next school year and beyond. The appeal process is the first step toward that goal.

**We need your continued help and support to achieve this goal by making sure your student(s) is at school every day ready to learn and grow.** Our staff is committed to working through this process with you—our partners—to make positive changes for our students at SRHS and across Salt River Schools.

Assessment data, results, and letter grades can be difficult to understand. We have information on our website, [www.SaltRiverSchools.org](http://www.SaltRiverSchools.org), to help answer questions about testing, letter grades, and more.

We will update you when we have new information to share. If you have questions, please contact me or SRHS Principal Emily Niu.

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