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Dear Broward County Public Schools Students, Families, Staff and Community,

On Wednesday, February 14, 2024, Broward County Public Schools will observe A Day of Service and Love in honor of the 17 loved ones tragically taken and those injured on February 14, 2018, at Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School. We will never forget these beloved individuals:

Alyssa Alhadeff Scott Beigel Martin Duque Anguiano Nicholas Dworet Aaron Feis Jaime Guttenberg Christopher Hixon Luke Hoyer Cara Louahran Gina Montalto Joaquin Oliver Alaina Petty Meadow Pollack Helena Ramsav Alex Schachter Carmen Schentrup Peter Wang

As part of A Day of Service and Love, students and staff at schools Districtwide will observe a moment of reflection at 10:17 a.m. and participate in school activities and community service projects to honor the 17 loved ones.

To assist parents, guardians and caregivers in talking with their children about this tragedy and helping them cope with their feelings, a variety of information is available on the <u>Day of Service and Love webpage</u>. This webpage also includes details on mental health services for those in need. I encourage everyone to review this valuable resource.

Thank you for your continued support as our District remains focused on ensuring the safety and well-being of our students and staff.

Sincerely,

Dr. Peter B. Licata

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Superintendent of Schools Broward County Public Schools