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TO: All Principals

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SUBJECT: **FLORIDA HEIKEN CHILDREN'S VISION PROGRAM**



ACTION: Please share the attached information with students and parents/guardians. You may post the flyers at your school, put the resource information on your school's website and other parent communication venues.

RATIONALE: The Florida Heiken Children's Vision Program provides no-cost comprehensive eye exams and glasses if necessary, for Florida public school students who qualify to participate. This program is still available to students during e-learning. Parents are encouraged to apply via the Florida Heiken Portal at www.floridaheiken.org.

The program will provide vouchers for students, or the Florida Heiken mobile clinic can come to your school if there are at least 15 students who qualify. Florida Heiken has adopted strict protocols with CDC guidance regarding COVID-19 to ensure the safety and protection of students.

If you have any questions, you may contact **Edna Soomans at 754-321-1575 or email at edna.soomans@browardschools.com**.

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Attachments