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Dear Parents and Guardians,

This letter is being sent because of the recent events that occurred in the Oshkosh and Waukesha school districts. Pulaski Community School District takes safety and security seriously. We also realize that every individual experiences traumatic events differently or may react to other situations based on their own experiences.

While there is no general, specific, or imminent threat in our schools, we take these recent and local events seriously. We take great pride in our relationships with our students and families. Because of that, we have some additional resources for our families, students and staff to utilize. Here are some available resources:

- [Red Raider Incident Reporter](#) (any individual can anonymously report student concerns, staff concerns or general concerns that someone would like the district available for.)
- [Green Bay Crime Stoppers](#)
- Crisis Center Services for Brown County Hotline- 920-436-8888
- School Counselors, School Psychologists and Administrators — available at each school to talk specifically with students who are experiencing difficulties with mental health. Our staff are trained in and utilize skills to help prevent and address crisis situations. In addition, staff can:
  - Reaffirm physical health and perceptions of security and safety
  - Evaluate psychological trauma risk
  - Provide interventions
  - Respond to psychological needs
  - Learn about self-care to address those needs.
- Jenny Bomber — School-based mental health counselor through Prevea Health
  - Please contact your school counselor for an intake referral form
- [School Shooting Parent Resources](#)

#### Quick Tips for Parents

- Try and keep routines as normal as possible. Kids gain security from the predictability of routine, including attending school.
- Limit exposure to television and the news.
- Be honest with kids and share with them as much information as they are developmentally able to handle.
- Listen to kids' fears and concerns.
- Reassure kids that the world is a good place to be, but that there are people who do bad things.
- Parents and adults need to first deal with and assess their own responses to crisis and stress.

Our ultimate goal is to help make our students and staff feel supported and safe in our schools and community. We also encourage you to speak with your children about the seriousness of making threats.

Sincerely,

Tony Klaubauf

Superintendent of Schools