

May 2, 2018

Dear DSA Community,


We want to ensure that you have the most up to date information and are therefore informing you that Mr. Scott Shively and Mr. Robert Styron have been placed on administrative leave. Please note that this is standard practice in an investigation and does not imply or prejudice in any way, nor does it imply that an allegation is founded.

Additional allegations have been received that were not previously raised. In accordance with our standard procedures, we are reviewing those newly raised allegations now to determine next steps. Nothing is more important than the health, safety and well-being of our students, and we are identifying additional supports for students and the DSA school community.

We will not tolerate retaliation against students or families who report concerns. In an effort to assist Mr. Kohut and his administrative team with receiving and processing communication at this time, we will have the Office of Family and Community Engagement receive all parent concerns regarding the Vocal Music Program, and please copy me.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding the Vocal Program, please email: FACE@dpsk12.org and scott_mendelsberg@dpsk12.org or you can call the Family & Community Helpline at 720-423-30254 directly. We will acknowledge all communications within one business day.

We are looking forward to focusing on supporting our students in finishing the year strong. Thank you in advance for your partnership.



Sincerely,

Scott Mendelsberg, PhD., Instructional Superintendent