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Dear Titan Family,

It is my hope that everyone is adjusting to our temporary “new normal”. Your safety and well-being is of importance to all of us and we want to provide you with the necessary resources during this time. If for any reason, your living arrangements have changed, feel free to reach out to Kimberly R. Perry, our school social worker at Kimberly.perry@browardschools.com. Mrs. Perry serves as our H.E.A.R.T designee for Nova High. H.E.A.R.T. (Homeless Education Assistance Resource Education Team) is here to assist you as one of our goals is to remove any barriers that might prevent students experiencing homelessness from succeeding at school, especially during these difficulty times.

WHAT ASSISTANCE DOES H.E.A.R.T. PROVIDE?

- Transportation coordination for students to remain in their school origin if feasible (school last attended)
- Access to school supplies and uniform items (if necessary)
- Free school meals
- Referrals to school and community- based services (e.g. School Social Work Services, Family Counseling, Medical, Dental, and Mental Health Services)
- Assistance with retrieving immunization records and state of Florida birth certificates
- Limited access to after school services(K-8)
- Cap and gown rentals at no cost to graduating high school students
- Verification letters needed to apply for college and FAFSA
- Presentations to community agencies and civic groups

Respectfully,

Ms. Olayemi Awofadeju