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Mrs. Kari Wade, Superintendent

February 20, 2025

Dear San Simon Staff Member Present and Past,

We are writing to update you regarding the recent cybersecurity incident involving PowerSchool, the software vendor that provides our Student Information System (SIS).

Initially we were informed that our data was not included in this breach. However, many have received an email stating that we could have been involved. To be on the safe side please follow the link below to sign up for the Experian protection offered by PowerSchool.

<http://www.powerschool.com/security/sis-incident/notice-of-united-states-data-breach/>

Additionally, PowerSchool has worked with Experian to set up a dedicated, toll-free call center to answer any questions associated with these offerings and the incident. Please visit the notice of United States data breach website mentioned above for the phone numbers and activation code along with the engagement number for Experian.

As previously mentioned, PowerSchool has engaged Experian, a trusted credit reporting agency, to provide complimentary identity protection and credit monitoring services to current and former students and educators that had information exfiltrated from PowerSchool SIS. PowerSchool is doing this regardless of whether an individual's Social Security Number was exfiltrated. There were no student social security numbers logged into San Simon Schools' Student Information System.

Protecting our students and teachers remains our top priority. Thank you again for all of your support and understanding during this time.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kari Wade". The signature is written in a cursive style and is positioned above the printed name and title.

Kari Wade

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