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Dear Parents, Guardians, and Students:

Blood donations in New Jersey, as elsewhere, are always in desperately short supply. While 60% of the population is eligible to give blood, only 5% of those eligible actually do. Yet, every three seconds, someone needs a blood transfusion.

North Hunterdon High School is proud to announce that we are hosting a blood drive on April 8th. Each year, our teachers, students, parents, and community members have come forward to help others through blood donations. Their generosity was acknowledged again last year on New Jersey Blood Services' roll of leading corporate and educational blood donor groups, with North Hunterdon listed as #15 in the state of New Jersey. We hope our community's generosity will continue.

The blood drive will be held at North Hunterdon High School's Boys Gym April 8th from 7:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. We extend a special invitation to our students who will be 17 years old by April 8th to donate blood. While 17 and 18 year olds legally may donate without parental permission, we ask that they speak with their parents before donating, and that they get written permission (see below).

Reminders:

- All donors should drink plenty of water and eat regular meals on donation day.
- All donors must show some official form of identification, such as a picture ID or driver's license.

We look forward to your help. Save someone's life on April 8th.

Sincerely,


Michael P. Hughes
Principal

If you are 17 or 18 years of age, you are eligible to donate blood. Please submit this permission form, signed by your parent, when you come in to donate blood:

I am giving permission for my child _____, who is a minimum of 17 years old, to donate blood on April 8th at North Hunterdon High School.

Signature of Parent or Guardian: _____