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Dear Parent/Guardian,

Bingham Middle School will hold our 1st semester parent/teacher conferences on Tuesday, October 17th and Wednesday, October 18th. The fall conference will be a student-led conference format.

Student-Led conferences give your child the opportunity to explain and provide feedback on his/her learning by directing the conference. Over the next couple weeks, your student will be preparing for the Student-Led conference. He/She will be completing a reflection for each class and assessing his/her progress this year. Conferences provide an excellent opportunity for your student to share his/her performance over the past couple months of this semester.

During the Student-Led Conference, you will sit in a designated area with your child to examine his/her work and to discuss his/her progress for 30 minutes. A teacher from your child's team will greet you, make sure you have all needed materials and help get the conference started. Even though the majority of the time you and your child will be conferencing, your child's teachers will be stopping by to add additional information or answer any questions you may have. **Your student will need to bring his/her AVID binder.**

We would like 100% of our parents to participate. You play a vital role in your child's education, and your child is excited about sharing this experience with you. Thank you for supporting your child's education in such a meaningful way. **Please detach the form below and return by Wednesday, October 11th.**

Please detach and return to your child's 1st hour teacher. First come, first served ☺

Student's Name _____ Homeroom Teacher _____ Team: _____

Number your top three preferences for your Student-Led Conference time:

Tuesday, October 17th:

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| ___ 4:15-4:45 | ___ 4:30-5:00 | ___ 4:45-5:15 | ___ 5:00-5:30 | ___ 5:15-5:45 |
| ___ 5:30-6:00 | ___ 5:45-6:15 | ___ 6:00-6:30 | ___ 6:15-6:45 | ___ 6:30-7:00 |
| ___ 6:45-7:15 | ___ 7:00-7:30 | | | |

Wednesday, October 18th:

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| ___ 4:15-4:45 | ___ 4:30-5:00 | ___ 4:45-5:15 | ___ 5:00-5:30 | ___ 5:15-5:45 |
| ___ 5:30-6:00 | ___ 5:45-6:15 | ___ 6:00-6:30 | ___ 6:15-6:45 | ___ 6:30-7:00 |
| ___ 6:45-7:15 | ___ 7:00-7:30 | | | |