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MEMO TO ALL PARENTS AND TEACHERS:

All children are to report to their official class in all schools. This class is the original class to which they were assigned at the start of the school year.

Transfers to another class within the assigned schools would be considered upon the completion of the form "Request for Pupil Reassignment". These forms will be available until November 29, 1968 from the school aides in the entry hall of each building. The completed form shall be given to the Principal of the school or to Ann Coolidge of the District Office. Final action will be taken on each request within three (3) school days.

Human Relations Teams are being assigned to each school, the district office, and the community; to work with pupils, parents, staff members, and the district residents on complaints, concerns, threats, and actions, stemming from the strike.

On Tuesday, at 8:00 a.m. there will be a briefing meeting of all staff to discuss new Governing Board policies, and the Human Relations teams. This meeting shall be conducted by the following district staff and Governing Board school representatives.

SCHOOL	DISTRICT STAFF	GOVERNING BOARD REPRESENTATIVE
P.S. 1	Gloria Depiante	Dr. Sien-Wei Liu
P.S. 2	Joyce Washington	Matilde Chang
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P.S.126	Anne Coolidge	Guillermo Alonso
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On Tuesday there will be an early dismissal of pupils (at 12:00 Noon in the elementary schools and at 2:00 p.m. in the Junior High School) in order to provide for a staff/parent meeting in the school auditorium. All parents are invited to attend. This meeting shall be to discuss the functioning of the human relations teams and other problems.

On Wednesday, all classes will be conducted as usual.

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The Teachers' Union is on strike again, this time to protest the pending decentralization plan. The right of the communities to govern their schools is being challenged by the U.F.T. EVEN THOUGH the New York State Legislature and the Board of Education of the City of New York have approved this plan. The Governing Board of the Two Bridges Model School District believes that the task of this community is to keep the schools open in order to provide quality education for our children. The community has shown its cooperation during this period of crisis by assisting in keeping all of our schools open. We have teachers, supervisors, para-professionals and parents working together to staff our schools.

The strike has proven that communities are concerned and can cope with their own educational problems.

The Two Bridges Model School District, along with the other demonstration districts, are the only areas within the city where any education is taking place. How long will our communities children be used as clubs by both the union and the Board of Education before their needs are met? The only answer is for the communities to control the educational destinies of their children.