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As a parent of an ACPS secondary student and a teacher, I would like to request that secondary parent teacher conferences be cancelled and teachers be encouraged to hold conferences on several Monday's throughout the month of April (not April 5th)

I request that Monday, April 5th remain a professional development day. This professional development day provides staff the much needed opportunity to meet and debrief on the switch to hybrid learning. This reflection is essential to allow for teachers to collaborate and be more effective. Moving parent conferences to a series of Monday's throughout the course of the month (April 12 & 19) would allow teachers to better promote parent conferences. Monday's teacher work days are essential to the success of our students. I encourage the school board and leaders to continue to keep Monday's as open for planning and meetings as possible. While a series of Monday parent conferences are not ideal it's a compromise.