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Dear Parent or Guardian:

Did you know that every May is National Electrical Safety Month? To highlight the importance of safety, PSEG Long Island is committed to educating students about their own personal safety and the safety of those around them. Since we live in a world that is always plugged-in to electricity, electrical safety and awareness is always important to learn and remember.

As part of our efforts, we have invited your child and fellow classmates to join the **Safety Sleuth Program & Student Project**. Students will learn to look at their surroundings, think about what is safe or unsafe, make safe choices and share with others how to do the same. They will learn that they can make a difference and become advocates for being safe at home, outdoors and at school.

As part of this program, students will learn to:

- LOOK Discover many ways you can "see the situation" and determine what is safe and unsafe.
- **THINK** Learn to use and assess situations and act responsibly and safely in your home and community. Learn to communicate clearly and in detail about situations that may feel unsafe.
- **DO** Take responsibility by making informed choices about electrical safety and other areas where you may be unsafe. Take positive actions to be careful.
- **SHARE** Learn how to explain to others what happened, where it happened or inform and inspire others to be careful and explain why.

As a culminating project, students will create an artistic expression of their understanding of what they learned to share with others so that they also can know how to be safe.

If you have any questions, please call or email me. I look forward to speaking with you and helping your child to become a *Safety Sleuth*.

Sincerely,

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