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Our Bayonne Community,

As you are aware, William Shemin Midtown Community School lost one of their 2nd graders in a terrible house fire this week. Saniya L. Felton was a beautiful young child who was taken too soon.

I spoke with her mother earlier today to let her know that the Bayonne Board of Education would like to support her and her family during this horrendous time of grieving their loss of Saniya.

The family has established a Go Fund Me page to help raise funds to begin to rebuild some of what they lost due to the fire. The page is definitely for this family and is supported by BBOED administration.

Remember, if anyone would like to speak with someone about this tragedy, we have counselors available at William Shemin Midtown Community School (201-858-5984) and Nicholas Oresko Community School (201-858-6281).

Together, as we mourn the loss of this young life, perhaps you consider sending any size donation to their Go Fund Me page.

<https://www.gofundme.com/f/help-saniyas-family-rebuild-after-tragedy>

With thanks,

John J. Niesz
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