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Dear Parents and Guardians:

Your child is currently placed in an Advanced (Mathematics) or Honors (ELA and/or Mathematics) course. These courses move at an accelerated pace and have a higher level of rigor. This letter is to inform you that in order for students to continue to be enrolled in these courses, they must maintain a yearly average of 80%. Performance below this percentile indicates that students are not mastering the standards and skills taught. This will negatively impact their academic performance in the future. Our goal is to place students in the courses where they will be most successful and can build confidence in their academic skills.

When a child's performance falls below an average of 80%, the student will be carefully monitored the following marking period, and the teacher will provide consistent updates on their progress. In the event a student continues to fall below 80% for two marking periods in a row, a parent conference will be required.

If at the end of the year, the student falls below an 80% yearly average it is not in their best interest academically to remain in the class. They will change courses in the next school year so that they can have success with the necessary content. If at any time you feel that your child's placement is incorrect or causes unnecessary stress, you do not have to wait until the end of the school year to make a change in their schedule.

If you have any concerns or questions, please feel free to contact the appropriate supervisor by phone or email.

Sincerely,

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