

November 4, 2009

Dear Parent/Guardian:

Our goal in the Bridgewater Raynham Regional School District is to educate each student to help them become a productive citizen and community member. We strive to prepare our children for tomorrow's world, whether it's to pursue a career or further their education. We are making every effort to keep our parents and community informed of important issues affecting their schools.

Under state and federal law all students are expected to meet or exceed state performance standards in English Language Arts and Mathematics. Each year district receives Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) determinations that measures student performance on the Massachusetts comprehensive Assessment System (MCAS). Adequate yearly progress is a key part of No Child Left Behind (NCLB). AYP status is determined by the number of students meeting or exceeding state academic standards.

Based on our spring 2009 scores, Williams Intermediate Schools has made adequate yearly progress in English language Arts and in Mathematics with the exception of one subgroup. State and federal regulations require that you be notified that the Williams Intermediate Schools is in Restructuring Year 2 in Math in a subgroup.

Please be assured that staff and administration are working diligently to review instruction and curriculum in order to improve our students' performance. We will continue to keep parents informed of our efforts.

If you have any questions about this notice or your child's progress, please contact me or your child's guidance counselor.

Sincerely,

Nancy Kirk
Principal