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To: All Parents of 7-12 students

Re: After School Program, NEW REQUIREMENT

Dear Parents:

Beginning the week of November 16, 2009, students who are “Ineligible” (receiving a failing grade for two consecutive weeks) in any class will be **required** to attend the After School Program. This requirement was enacted for a few reasons. One is to give students who are currently ineligible the opportunity to receive extra help from teachers after school, allowing them to complete their work for class so they are no longer ineligible. A second reason is to “narrow down” the possible causes for the student’s failing grades, and try to give them the targeted assistance that they need. A third reason is to motivate students to be successful with their academics.

The After School Program takes place in room 218 on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays, 3:45-5:00, with Mrs. Lisa Sievers serving as the teacher during this time. Students who appear on our “Ineligible List,” which is created on Mondays, will be expected to attend the After School Program all three days that week. Once a student becomes eligible again (which means he/she is passing all classes) they no longer are required to attend the After School Program. Also, students who are on academic “probation” (receiving a failing grade for only one week) are not required to attend.

We need your help to make sure your student will accept responsibility and show up when expected. In order for this to be effective, we need a commitment on your part that you will support our guidelines for the After School Program, and if your student does not meet them, we will require your student to make up the time.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Jason Heitz
Principal