

# BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS



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### Mid-Year Warning Notice, Grade 1-5

Student: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade/Homeroom: \_\_\_\_\_

Dear Parent or Guardian,

This notice is to inform you that, based on data from the first half of the school year, Tobin educators are concerned about your child's record of academic progress in at least one subject area AND/OR school attendance. We have been working with your child throughout the year, and will continue to make our best efforts to support progress. However, we do want to make you aware of our concerns. Please see the information below and your child's report card for more information.

Your child is currently performing below grade level in the following areas:

- Reading       Writing, Listening, Speaking       Math  
 Science       Social Studies       Arts/Specialty  
 School Leadership & Social Development Standards  
 We DO NOT currently have concerns about your child's academic performance.

The following factors have contributed to your child's performance:

- Difficulty with basic skills       Effort and/or focus  
 Performance on assignments or tests       Attendance

On attendance: as you know, Boston Public Schools are held accountable for student attendance. Students are expected to be in school each day. However, if a student has more than 3 absences per term, s/he is on a trajectory toward being considered "chronically absent" by the state. Learning time is lost when students are absent, no matter the reason; attendance is a crucial factor in determining how students perform in school.

We currently  DO NOT have concerns about your child's attendance.

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If your child's performance does not improve, s/he is at risk of one or more of the following:

- 1) S/he will receive one or more failing grades.
- 2) S/he will be required to attend summer school.
- 3) S/he will be retained in his/her current grade next year.

We remain committed to doing whatever we can to help your child improve. Please let us know if there is anything additional we can do to support her or his progress this year. In addition, feel free to reach out to the school to set up a meeting.

Phone: 617-635-8393

Sincerely,  
Efrain Toledano, Principal

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