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Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s):

The Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA) of 1965 requires that parents or guardians who have children attending a Title I school be notified of how well their school is preparing its students for college and/or a career, as well as the school's designation status under Georgia's ESEA Flexibility Waiver.

Under Georgia's ESEA Flexibility Waiver, certain Title I schools are designated as Reward, Priority, Focus, or Alert schools. The Waiver also allows the use of the College and Career Ready Performance Index (CCRPI), which serves as a comprehensive report card for all schools in Georgia. The CCRPI provides a score between 0-100 for each school, and that score measures how well the school is doing in preparing its students to be successful in college and/or a career.

The Intradistrict Transfer Option allows a parent/guardian the option to request a transfer from the child's assigned school to a school of the parent's choice within the school district the child resides. However, this law does not apply to districts with only one school at each level. Baldwin High School and along with Oak Hill Middle are the only schools at the middle and high level in the Baldwin County School District.

**Baldwin High school's CCRPI score for the 2012-2013 was 60.2. Additional information regarding the CCRPI can be found on the Georgia Department of Education website, [www.gadoe.org](http://www.gadoe.org).**

I am very proud to tell you that Baldwin High School has not been given a school designation this year, which means we are continuing to provide a quality education to all of our students.

**The most recent end of course data for the 2012-13 school year shows the following:**

9<sup>th</sup> Grade Literature 77% of students met or exceeded standards  
American Literature 90% of students met or exceeded standards  
U.S. History 59% of students met or exceeded standards  
Economics 60.3% of students met or exceeded standards  
Coordinate Algebra 28% of students met or exceeded standards  
Biology 66.3% of students met or exceeded standards  
Physical Science 71.4% of students met or exceeded standards

At **Baldwin High School** we take pride in the teaching we provide for our children. Our teachers and staff members work very hard to meet the needs of all students to ensure they achieve at their highest potential.

An important part of Baldwin High School's success is parent participation and support in developing activities to improve student achievement. We hope that you will become involved in our school improvement work as we continue to monitor student achievement and set high expectations. You are invited to participate in the development of our school improvement plans and becoming a part of our family engagement team. Please feel free to contact me, **Dr. Jessica M. Swain, Principal at 478-453-6429 ext. 374** or [Jessica.swain@baldwin.k12.ga.us](mailto:Jessica.swain@baldwin.k12.ga.us) if you have any additional questions on how to assist your child in school.

Thank you for all that you do to support your child's education.

Sincerely,

**Dr. Jessica M. Swain**  
Principal