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School Improvement (SI)/Public School Choice (PSC)

August 1, 2011

Dear Parent/Guardian:

This letter is to inform you that Claymont High School has been identified as in need of improvement. School improvement means our high school did not meet Ohio's goals in science and social studies for two or more years; as well as average yearly progress (AYP). This year 2010-2011 Claymont High did meet all goals in all subjects; as well as AYP. However, according to state mandates, the building must meet these goals for two consecutive years in a row, to get out of school improvement. The building has been rated EXCELLENT on the districts report card this year.

Due to the fact that the building was in school improvement last year and that it takes two years to get out of school improvement, your child can attend a similar school that is NOT in need of improvement at no cost to you for transportation. You have the following choice of schools: Indian Valley High School and Conotton Valley High School. If you are interested in either school, please call us immediately and let us know at 740.922.5478, Ext. 1703. We will provide you with all the needed information to make your school choice successful. The deadline for applying is August 19th.

You may request FREE tutoring in place of transferring your child to another school. If you decide to keep your child at Claymont High, simply have your child report to the school on opening day (August 25th).

Our local report card (http://www.ode.state.oh.us/reportcard) and or your child's individual ODE report shows how well Claymont High did compared to other schools.

To help Claymont High School get out of school improvement, we have developed plans to ensure that our students do better in all academic areas for the coming school year. You are strongly encouraged to help us make the plan happen. Please contact our high school principal, Mr. Rob Clarke at 740.922.3471, if you are interested in assisting in helping us succeed.

Sincerely,

Mr. Richard Page Curriculum Director/Title I Coordinator