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A school and community partnership that provides an inclusive, respectful, and collaborative learning environment where all stakeholders are engaged in the development of the whole child.

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Dear WPS Parents/Guardians,

Every year, each public school and school district in Massachusetts receives a report card. Just as your child's report card shows how they are doing in different subjects, the school's report card is designed to show families how our school is doing in different areas. Links to our District report cards are available below.

- Wilmington (District)
- Boutwell
- Woburn Street
- Shawsheen Elementary
- North Intermediate
- West Intermediate
- Wilmington Middle School
- Wilmington Wilmington High

The report card includes multiple measures of a school's performance – more than just MCAS scores. It represents a new way of looking at school performance by providing information on student achievement, teacher qualifications, student learning opportunities, and more.

Report cards are designed to be useful tools for everyone connected to our school. Families can use the information to have meaningful conversations with us about what the school is doing well and where there is room for improvement. Community and education leaders can use the information to better understand how to support students and our school.

You will notice on our report card that our district is making substantial progress toward targets set by the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education for all students in the district as a part of the accountability system, which includes achievement, growth, English learner

progress, chronic absenteeism, high school completion, and advanced coursework completion. To improve student performance in our district, we are focusing on closing equity gaps in ELA and Math MCAS for our students with disabilities and English Learners.

We encourage you to become involved in helping us improve our school. We see parents as critical partners in the success of our students and school, and we are grateful for your continued support.

Finally, if your child attends a school that receives federal Title I funds, you also have the right to request the following information about the qualifications of your child's classroom teachers:

- Whether your child's teacher is licensed in the grade levels and subject areas they teach.
- Whether your child's teacher is teaching under an emergency license or waiver,
- The college degree and major of your child's teacher and
- Whether your child is provided services by paraprofessionals and, if so, their qualifications.

If you have questions about our school's report card, would like to become involved in school improvement activities, or would like to request information about the qualifications of your child's classroom teacher, please contact your child's principal To see our district's report card or to search for other schools' report cards, visit School and District Report Cards.

Sincerely,

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