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Dear Parents and Guardians:

I am writing to inform you that our district was not awarded the Twenty-first Century Community Learning Center grant for the 2017-2018 school year, despite the fact that the district received an excellent evaluation from the independent evaluator for the design and implementation of our existing program. In fact, none of the school districts on Long Island received an award for next year; much of the funding was awarded to schools in the "Big Five" cities of New York State: New York City, Buffalo, Rochester, Syracuse, and Yonkers.

The Federal grant, representing \$824,525, funded the district's K - 6 elementary summer enrichment program, as well as a number of after-school programs. *As a result of this loss of funding, the district will be unable to host an elementary summer enrichment program for this coming summer, July and August, 2017.*

As always, please do not hesitate to contact your child's principal or me with any questions or concerns.

Yours truly,

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