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To the Parent or Guardian of:_____,

This letter is to inform you that your student has been formally identified as a gifted learner in the area of _____. Fountain-Fort Carson School District 8 is committed to providing all students with a challenging and rigorous academic experience. Through assessment results and classroom performance, your student has demonstrated abilities that indicate he/she meets the criteria for our Learning & Instruction for Highly-capable, Gifted & Talented Students (LIGHTS) Program. We have enclosed a brochure for additional information about gifted education in our district.

In the coming weeks your student will develop an Advanced Learning Plan (ALP). This ALP will be shared with you, and you will have the opportunity to provide additional information related to your student's needs and interests. You will also receive a copy of your student's ALP identification document which highlights the data used to identify your student as gifted. The ALP is rewritten and reviewed on a yearly basis to reflect appropriate programming and goals for your student.

At Fountain-Fort Carson School District 8 we recognize the need to identify students who demonstrate a potential for exceptional performance. We are committed to providing relevant and challenging learning experiences to support the intellectual, behavioral, social, emotional, artistic and creative development of our gifted students.

Please contact me if you have any additional questions.

Sincerely,