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Greetings Families,

We are committed to providing every student at Kenmoor Middle School with a high-quality education that supports academic and personal growth. As part of this commitment and in accordance with the federal Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA), I want to inform you that Kenmoor has been identified by the Maryland State Department of Education (MSDE) as a school in Targeted Support and Improvement (TSI).

This designation is based on our school's performance in one or more areas, including student achievement, growth, and the performance of student performance groups. Specifically, our students receiving special education services and our English Language Learners earned less than 45% of the points possible on their MD State Report Card for two consecutive years, including 2022/23 and the 2023/24 school years. We are currently awaiting our data for the 2024/25 school year to identify whether we will continue with the TSI classification for the school year.

Being designated as a school in improvement provides us with a valuable opportunity to focus on strengthening instruction, enhancing student supports, and building partnerships with families. Our team has developed a school improvement plan that includes:

- Scheduling Shifts: This year, Reading and Math classes with special education services continue to have two instructors—a general educator and a special educator—who now partner within the same classroom to provide data-driven, collaborative instruction instead of special educators following groups of students across classes.
- Targeted Academic Interventions & Extended Learning: Targeted academic interventions (IReady, Read 180, Lumos Tutoring) and after-school extended learning opportunity program for selected ELD learners.
- Ongoing Professional Development
- Monitoring & Student Progress: Weekly data utilization meetings to analyze student work and adjust instruction to address learning gaps, differentiate support, and ensure all students, including those with IEPs and ELD needs, make measurable academic growth.
- Family Engagement: Family engagement activities to support home and school connections and learning

We appreciate your partnership and continued support in the effort to improve and meet our school's goals. We invite you to join us for a School Improvement Information Meeting on 10/17/2025 at 1:00 via Zoom to learn more about this school improvement designation supports, and services provided by the school, and (c) to share your input and ideas. Zoom Link.

You are encouraged to stay in communication with your child's teachers about your child's academic progress and share your ideas on how we can improve together. Kenmoor Middle School remains dedicated to embracing the possibilities for growth and transformation. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate in contacting me at rebecca.turner@pgcps.org or 301-925-2300.



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Thank you for your continued partnership in your child's education. Together, we can ensure that every student thrives.

Sincerely,

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