**Family Notification of**

**Kindergarten English Language Proficiency Screening**

Dear Parent or Guardian,

When you registered your child for transitional kindergarten, the home language survey you completed indicated your child first spoke a language other than English OR your child uses a language other than English most often at home. Based on this information, your child has been receiving English Language Development services this year.

Before entering kindergarten, students with a home language other than English are required to be screened to determine their level of English language proficiency and to qualify for continued services. Your child will be screened using the WIDA Kindergarten Screener which measures English language proficiency in speaking and listening for incoming kindergarten students.

**Your child will take the WIDA Kindergarten Screener during these dates: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

Your child does not need to study for this test. The test is an opportunity for students to demonstrate what they understand and can communicate in English.

Please contact me if you have questions about the WIDA Kindergarten Screener.

Sincerely,