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DAUPHIN COUNTY TECHNICAL SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Guardians:

Starting Tuesday, February 7 - February 10, 2012, your child will be taking the 2012 annual WIDA ACCESS for ELLs. This is a yearly assessment of English language proficiency, mandated by the Pennsylvania Department of Education. (Your child will not be tested every day during this time period, but will only be pulled from a couple classes of their regularly scheduled subjects).

It is important your child does their best work. Eating a good breakfast and getting a good night's sleep is essential for your child to do their finest job on this test.

Call me with any questions you may have concerning the testing. My work phone number is 652-3170.

Sincerely,

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