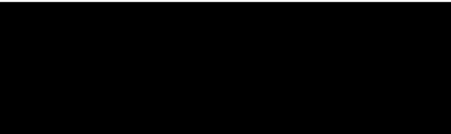




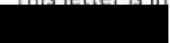
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA  
PUBLIC SCHOOLS

July 18, 2017




RE: Letter of Response for Grievance filed

Dear 




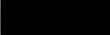
This letter is in reference to concerns that were brought to the attention of DCPS on June 6, 2017 regarding your,  Specifically:

- Not being notified of your student's progress during 4<sup>th</sup> quarter for his PE grade
- Grade only being calculated on one skill of dribbling in PE

In response, DCPS conducted an investigation which included speaking with you, and other persons identified as witnesses and/or deemed relevant. Based on that investigation, DCPS found the following:

- Your student's Health & Physical Education grade was calculated using 6 categories:
  1. Determine Level of Physical Fitness and Use Strategies to Improve Health in an Active Lifestyle
  2. Demonstrate Several Motor Skills and Movement Patterns Necessary for a Variety of Physical Activities
  3. Apply Mental and Social Strategies, Ideas, and Principals to Learn and Perform Physical Activity
  4. Know How to Promote Health and Prevent Diseases
  5. Know How to Choose High Quality, Health Information, Products, and Services
  6. Show Skills in Making Decisions and Setting Goals that will Enhance Health
- Your student received secure markings (S) across all 4 terms in the category of  in which the unit on Striking Skills (dribbling) was included.

In order to address these issues, DCPS implemented the following measures:

1. Meeting was held with you, Principal  and Assistant Principal  on July 5, 2017 to address your concerns and to establish a communication plan for the 2017-18 SY.
2. Principal  has been identified as your Point of Contact for the 2017-18 SY to ensure there is effective communication between you and .
3. Your student's third term grade has been changed from a 2 to a 3 as of July 18, 2017.

If you are not satisfied with the outcome of this investigation, you have the right to file an appeal within 10 calendar days of receipt of this letter. The appeal must be submitted in writing. Appeal requests may be submitted via U.S. Postal Mail to 1200 First St., 9<sup>th</sup> Floor; Attn: Resolution Grievance Division or via email at [dcps.grievance@dc.gov](mailto:dcps.grievance@dc.gov). You may also contact the U.S. Department of Education, Office on Civil Rights (1-800-421-3481) to report any educational discrimination on the basis of race, sex, disability, etc.

If you have further questions or concerns about this letter or other issues, please do not hesitate to contact us at [dcps.grievance@dc.gov](mailto:dcps.grievance@dc.gov) or 202.442.5405. Thank you for taking steps to making DCPS a safe and welcoming environment.

Regards,

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