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Dear Parent or Guardian,

Public Act 093-0282 amended Section 14-8.02 of the School Code, requiring information to be sent to parents or guardians of students who have met eligibility criteria for visual impairment, deaf, or hearing impairment regarding The Illinois School for the Deaf (ISD) or the Illinois School for the Visually Impaired (ISVI).

For more information regarding these schools, please go to:

Illinois School for the Deaf : www.illinoisdeaf.org
Illinois School for the Visually Impaired: www.isvi.net

As always, the IEP team will make a recommendation for the most appropriate services and placement for your child. Most children's needs can be met in Danville District 118. The Public Act does however give parents and guardians the right to ask ISD and/or ISVI for an evaluation to determine if placement in their respective programs would be an appropriate placement consideration. The Illinois School for the Deaf and the Illinois School for the Visually Impaired have their own intake committees which review all applications.

If you have further questions, please feel free to contact one of the following:

Tori Appl Deaf and Hard of Hearing Teacher 516 N. Jackson Danville, IL 61832 Phone: (217)444-1571 Rachel Strubinger Teacher of the Visually Impaired 516 N. Jackson Danville, IL 61832 Phone: (217)444-1094

Sincerely,

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