

JONESBORO HIGH SCHOOL

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Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s):

The Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA) of 1965 requires that parents or guardians who have children attending a Title I school be notified of how well their school is preparing its students for college and/or a career, as well as the school's designation status under Georgia's ESEA Flexibility Waiver.

Under the 2015 renewal of Georgia's ESEA Flexibility Waiver, certain Title I schools continue to be designated as Reward, Priority, or Focus Schools. The Waiver allows the use of the College and Career Ready Performance Index (CCRPI) as the comprehensive report card for all schools in Georgia, providing a score between 0-100 for each school—measuring how well the school is doing in preparing its students to be successful in college and/or a career.

Jonesboro's CCRPI score is 68.4. More information can be found at <http://www.gadoe.org/CCRPI/pages/default>

I am proud to tell you that **Jonesboro High School** has not been given a school designation this year, which means we are a Title I school that is continuing to provide a quality education to all of our students. The information below is based on data from the 2014-15 school year. The data from the 2015-16 school year has not arrived, but should arrive during the month of October 2016.

The major strengths we found were:

- The percent of students meeting and exceeding in Literature and Biology has increased each year.
- CCRPI data displays we have consistently made gains in our 4-year cohort graduation rate.

We will continue providing explicit lessons in all classes, but there will be a laser-like focus in the following content areas:

- Algebra
- Analytic Geometry
- Economics
- U. S. History
- Physical Science

At **Jonesboro High School**, we take pride in the teaching we provide for our children. Our faculty and staff members work very hard to meet the needs of all students to ensure they achieve at their highest potential.

An important part of Jonesboro High School's success is parent participation and support in developing activities to improve student achievement. We hope that you will become more involved in our school improvement work as we continue to monitor student achievement and set high expectations. If you are interested in participating in the development of our school improvement plans, being a part of our family engagement team or have questions about how you can better help your child in school, please contact **Felicia Brown, Principal at (770) 473-2855 or felicia.brown@clayton.k12.ga.us**.

Thank you for all that you do to support your child's education.

Sincerely,

Felicia Brown

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Principal