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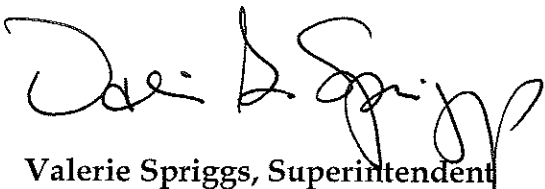
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Dear Parents and Community Members,

On an annual basis, the students in all public schools in Massachusetts participate in a form of standardized testing called the Massachusetts Comprehensive Assessment System. These tests are required by federal legislation called the No Child Left Behind Act or NCLB. Students in grades 3 - 10 are tested in English Language Arts, Mathematics and Science in the spring of each year. The results are reported back to the schools in the form of a report called the NCLB Report Card. The law requires each school district to make the NCLB Report Card a public document by sharing it with parents and members of the community.

I am very proud to share the 2008 MCAS results for the Chickering School, the Pine Hill School and the Regional Middle and High Schools. Our students and teachers continue to excel and to rank among the highest performing districts in the State. Thank you for your interest in and support of our schools.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Valerie Spriggs". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Valerie" written in a larger, more prominent script than the last name "Spriggs".

Valerie Spriggs, Superintendent