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Parents,

The attached School Report Card is a report of the 2009-2010 educational progress for Tahlequah Middle School. The report includes a collection of last year's testing (spring 2010), community characteristics and a summary of the educational process. It represents data from all public schools across the state of Oklahoma and is generated by our state Education Oversight Board. As you preview the report, you will see that the information provides our test results and also compares our student's performance in reading & math on the Oklahoma Core Curriculum Test to Oklahoma school averages.

As you can see, we met the performance benchmark of at least 70% of the students tested scoring satisfactory and above in math and reading in 5th, 6th, and 7th grade. Our 8th grade students scored satisfactory in reading but did not meet the benchmark in math. We will make every effort to remediate our students and improve our math instruction in the 8th grade. Please note that we had 100% of our Middle School students that took their EOI in Algebra I scored satisfactory or advanced.

It is our desire that you look over this report carefully. Please know that Tahlequah Middle School will continue to strive for high academic performance. In addition, it is our goal to provide educational opportunities beyond these reported core areas of reading and math. We recognize that our educational successes are directly impacted by your involvement. We firmly believe that the strong relationships we continue to build with our students and their families will help each student reach their full potential.

Tahlequah Middle School will continue to do whatever it takes for our students to successfully learn. As always, we encourage you to call or come by the school. Our doors are always open to assist you with anything that you need. If you have any questions, please call our office at 918-458-4140.

Sincerely,

DeAnn Mashburn
Principal
Tahlequah Middle School