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Mokena Junior High School

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Dear Parent or Guardian:

You have a tough job. It is a challenge to balance nurturing with discipline with a young adult. We, your child's teachers, share in that challenge.

You are receiving this letter because your student did not complete an assignment for class. To ensure that the work is finished and to reinforce consequences of actions, he or she must attend our Work Room tomorrow during 6th period (lunch).

He or she needs to bring a lunch* and the materials necessary to complete the assignment.

If the assignment has already been completed before Work Room, your student may bring other homework or something to read; he or she is still required to attend in order to fulfill the consequences aspect of the program.

If your student is absent, he or she will attend Work Room on the day he or she returns to school.

If your student does not complete the assignment in one Work Room session, he or she will be required to attend additional sessions until it is complete.

If your student earns more than one Work Room assignments for the same day, they will be served consecutively until each is satisfied.

Please be advised that this is not a study session. If a student needs additional help, we are available during advisory, before and after school, as well as during and between classes. We are glad to help, but Work Room is the opportunity to fulfill one's student responsibilities. Furthermore, students are expected to work and eat silently. Violations of these expectations will result in additional disciplinary consequences.

When the assignment is completed, credit will be awarded without any penalty.

Your child will benefit from this program and grow from this experience thanks to your understanding and support. If you have any questions about the particular incident, please contact us.

Thank you in advance.

The Eighth Grade Team "The Fightin' Mud Turtles"

Balis – Baltzer - Gibson – Isdonas – Klappauf – Martinus – Murphy – Novak – Pufahl – Shaughnessy– Tyrrell

^{*}For the safety of all students, be sure to pack a peanut-free lunch. Students in the free/reduced-fee lunch program will have access to it.