



Communities In Schools

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Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s):

My name is Jennifer Winston and I am the Communities in Schools (CIS) Student Support Specialist at W. B. Goodwin Elementary School. CIS is a dropout prevention program that stresses the importance of making healthy and positive decisions.

Your child has the opportunity to participate in the Student Support Program, which gives students the support necessary to help them stay in school and make positive life choices. Sessions include topics such as values, peer-pressure, goal setting, study habits, self-esteem, self-confidence, communication skills, nutrition, anger management, decision-making skills, healthy choices, and abstinence-based pregnancy prevention/family planning.

I am able to offer individual services at least once a week for 30-45 minutes. These services include goal-setting, counseling, field trips, tutoring/mentoring, home visits, and other services as needed. All activities are designed to educate and interest your child in setting goals for the future. We would be honored to assist you and your child in reaching these goals.

If you have any questions, you may contact me at 843.760.4056 office or 843.642.6086. If you cannot reach me at these numbers, my e-mail is jwinston@cischarleston.org. I look forward to working with you and your child this year.

Sincerely,

Jennifer Winston
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