

# ***TPP***

## *Teen Pregnancy Prevention*

### *PARENT NOTIFICATION*

Dear Parent:

During the week of , 9th graders will participate in an educational program called **“Tell it Like it Is”** as part of the high school Health curriculum.

This program is part of a county wide, multi-year initiative sponsored by Geauga Teen Pregnancy Prevention (TPP) to bring children age appropriate information about healthy relationships, sexuality and abstinence.

The 9<sup>th</sup> grade program focuses on identifying and standing up to sexual pressure, and gives students the opportunity to analyze media influence, understand the importance of setting personal standards, and practice assertive communication skills. Students also listen to a panel of teen parents who discuss their lives and decisions.

Students will also participate in a survey to determine if TPP programs change knowledge, opinions, attitudes or decisions regarding sexual behavior over time.

If you would like more information, or would like your child *not to* participate in the program or survey, please contact ..

Sincerely,

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