

Dear Duke Qualifier _____.

Congratulations! Due to your excellent performance on STAAR, you have qualified to participate in the highly selective **4th–6th Grade Talent Search offered through the Duke University Talent Identification Program (Duke TIP)**. We are proud of your academic talent and support your participation! To help you and your parents understand the program, benefits and other opportunities, you are invited to a **district meeting at the RL Anderson Complex, at 1016 Magnolia, on October 2, beginning at 6 pm**. If you cannot make the meeting on Oct. 24 we will post our presentation at the following link:

https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/0B5SYEe7a_3cLY0pzR3laUWh3T3c

Participation in the 4th–6th Grade Talent Search offers you opportunities such as online activities, a book club, newsletters for students and parents, educational programming, and discounts on independent learning materials. The cost for the program is a onetime \$40 fee. Fee waivers are available for students eligible for free or reduced lunch. Students enroll only once and benefits are provided until the end of their sixth grade year. An optional above-level testing benefit is available for an additional \$42 test registration fee.

Please review the 4th–6th Grade Talent Search brochure for enrollment and benefit details at:

<https://tip.duke.edu/sites/default/files/atoms/files/456gts-brochure.pdf> or
<https://tip.duke.edu/programs/4th-6th-grade-talent-search/student-benefits>

You may enroll in the Talent Search between October 1, 2017 and March 31, 2018.

Please note that this letter is not an application. It is a notice that you qualify. You may choose to enroll online at <https://tip.duke.edu/programs/4th-6th-grade-talent-search/enroll-now> for the Duke TIP 4th–6th Grade Talent Search. If you have questions, please feel free to contact your school counselor, school G/T Specialist or call Duke TIP directly at (919) 668-9100.

Congratulations again on this honor!

I'm looking forward to our meeting on October 2 at the RL Anderson at 6pm!

Best regards,



Teresa Francis
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Advanced Academics

The following information will help you complete your enrollment:

Duke TIP School ID

Qualifying Test Information:
Educator Recommendation

Above-level testing: If you choose for your student to participate in the PSAT 8/9 in 4th, 5th or 6th grade. You can register through the Duke Talent Search web site. The available test centers can be found at <https://tip.duke.edu/node/425>.

