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Free Tutoring for Students Receiving Free and Reduced Price Meals!

The Columbia Public School District is dedicated to helping your child succeed both in school and in life. Your child may qualify for tutoring in reading or math, at no cost to you, from an outside organization/provider.

This tutoring is called Supplemental Educational Services, or SES. Under the federal law called No Child Left Behind, Title I schools not meeting specified achievement levels on the state MAP test for two or more consecutive years are designated as being in "school improvement." A school that remains in school improvement for two or more years offers its **students qualifying for free and reduced price meals** the opportunity to receive SES.

A list of companies that provide tutoring is included in this mailing. An enrollment form is also included and parents may complete and return it to Douglass High School. Tutoring forms are due **Friday, January 21, 2011.**

Priority is given to eligible students who have not participated in SES tutoring this school year.

If more tutoring requests are received than can be accommodated, a selection process will be utilized. You will be notified of your child's tutoring status.

Please contact your school's principal if you have questions about SES tutoring.

Enclosures