

Dear Parents/Guardians:

As the TCAP report card becomes available to the public, we at Cheatham Middle School want to share our areas of strengths and areas to strengthen with you.

	CMS Academic Achievement Grades	
	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>
Math	A	A
Reading/Language	B	B
Social Studies	C	C
Science	C	C

Our Academic Achievement grades remained consistent in all four areas. In addition our actual score in math and reading/language art improved one percentage point.

According to No Child Left Behind, we did not make adequate yearly gains in math in one specific sub group. As a result, we are a targeted assisted school being monitored by the state. We are addressing this with a variety of programs to help all children improve their achievement with an emphasis in mathematics.

	CMS TCAP Writing Assessment	
	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>
5 th grade	3.8 B	3.9 B
8 th grade	4 A	4 A

CMS saw an increase in our Writing Assessment at the 5th grade level. Our 8th grade maintained a score of 4.

	CMS Academic Growth	
	<u>2007</u>	<u>2008</u>
Math	C	D
Reading/Language	A	A
Social Studies	D	F
Science	C	D

Our growth score of A in Reading/Language Arts reflects a successful effort by CMS over three years. This same concentrated effort has begun in math to improve the growth in the academic area.

We thank you for your help in our successes and hope your will continue to work with us as we work together to improve our areas to strengthen.

Robin Norris
Principal