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Dear Yazzy Parents/Guardians,

Happy Spring! As previously stated, all Yazzy participants must audition for the upcoming summer program. Students should come prepared to sing, dance, and present a monologue. **Auditions will take place on Saturday, May 30, from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm at Morning Star Baptist Church Event Center. Students should be prepared to stay for the entire audition period.**

Each student must prepare:

- **One song from the 1980s (approximately one minute in length)**
- **One monologue (found on our website at www.tpaarts.org)**

This summer's theme will focus on 1980s music and culture. Students should research 1980s music and select a song they would like to perform. Monologues must be memorized for the audition. Our Yazzy dance teacher will teach and evaluate the dance portion of the audition.

The Yazzy Summer Morning Mix program is scheduled for Monday, June 8, through Saturday, July 25. Classes are Monday through Thursday from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at Judson Fundamental Magnet School, located at 3809 Judson Street. Judson Magnet is a feeding site, so students will be provided breakfast and lunch each day.

The registration fee for the summer program is \$150.00 per child, which includes your child's cast T-shirt. Scholarships are available. To qualify, parents must complete a scholarship form and submit income verification such as a check stub, SSI or disability income documentation, along with SNAP or Medicaid information. Students who qualify for a scholarship will pay a reduced fee of \$125.00. Please visit our website at www.tpaarts.org to apply. Families with three or more children will be allowed into the program with no additional cost for the third child.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact our office at 318-525-0740 or 318-584-1610. Thank you for your continued support.

Best regards,
Martina Williams, Director