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Dear Parents, Guardians, and Community Members,

Exciting news!!!! The Alabama State Department of Education recently released a letter grade for all public schools in Alabama. This year, we are proud to announce that our school district received a grade of B - 81.3!

We want to take this moment to celebrate the success of our school district and our school with you! Gardendale High School received an 82 on their individual report card, which is included on the back side of this page. Our students' attendance is crucial to our success, so we continue to ask for your assistance in getting your child to school every day.

If we can provide additional information to you regarding our district and school, please do not hesitate to contact us at the number listed below. Thanks for being part of our school system!

Sincerely,

Walter B. Gonsoulin, Jr., Ph.D.  
Interim Superintendent



Gardendale High School received an 82 on our individual report card which is based on many criteria including the following:

Academic Year	Academic Achievement (40%)	Academic Growth (Choose 40 or 45%)	Student Chronic Absenteeism (10%)	Progress in English Language Learner Proficiency (5% if applicable)	Total Score	Letter Grade
2018-2019	62.89	86.12	11.89	88.85	82	B

\*Points applied in Academic Growth

To learn more and view our district and school report cards digitally, please visit the Alabama State Department of Education's website at [www.alsde.edu](http://www.alsde.edu). If we can provide additional information to you regarding our school, please do not hesitate to contact us at the number listed below. We would be glad to speak to you about the good things that are happening in Jefferson County Schools, and specifically at Gardendale High School.

Sincerely,

Shelton Dukes, Principal  
 Gardendale High School  
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