Dear 5th grade parents,

As part of our human growth and development unit, 5th grade students will have an opportunity to participate in a gender specific program in addition to the information received during Life Skills.

Boys and girls will participate separately in gender specific programs. "Girl Talk" prepares girls for the onset of puberty. I will discuss menstruation and feminine hygiene in detail, describe both the male and female reproductive anatomy, and briefly review diet and eating disorders affecting today’s teenage girls. “Boy Talk” prepares boys for the onset of puberty. I will discuss hygiene and the body’s physical changes including acne, voice change and hair growth as well as both the male and female reproductive anatomy.

We will be offering this program to 5th grade girls and boys during the school day on Thursday, February 19th and Friday, February 20th. I do need your permission to have your child participate in this important learning experience. Please indicate your permission at the bottom of this letter and return it by Wednesday, February 11, 2015.

If you have any further questions regarding the presentation, please call me 847-929-1048 ext. 347 or email me at kwagner@fairview.k12.il.us.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Kelly Wagner

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PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM NO LATER THAN 2/11/15

My child _____________________ has permission to attend the human growth and development presentation by Mrs. Wagner on Thursday, February 19th and Friday, February 20th.

Parent Signature__________________________