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Dear State Department of Education,

This school year at the Paulo Freire school has impacted my life in many ways. I have gained many friends with not only students but with teachers too. The teachers at the Paulo Freire school interact with us student like you would interact with someone you trust. They insure us that we can converse with them about anything. In addition, the teachers are not afraid to tell us the truth and what it takes to be successful in the future.

Tremendously, the school has impacted my life is by giving me opportunities that I never expected to have as a high school freshman. Recently, They gave me the a chance to go to California and trips abroad. Which are based mostly based on getting us into colleges. During these trips I could get a chance to visit colleges and receive community service hours. The teachers and staff do their best to get us into the top colleges. In addition, the teachers never give up on us and motivate us everyday to never give up.

In conclusion most of my teachers don't just hand us rewards, they make sure that we are working and trying our best to excel in our academic studies. I am hoping by the end of the school year, that my experiences at the school will continue to blossom. Unfortunately, the bitter reality is, the school is closing and I will not get the opportunity to graduate at PFCS. Next school year I will have to create new friendships with people that I'm not even sure would care if I get to college or not. I have to build trust with people all over again and it's not going to be easy. The sweetest thing about having to attend the Paulo Freire school this year is that I can say I have made -life long friends and people that wish me the best on the road to success

Sincerely,

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