Dear Parent,

___________________________ (school) ______ has recently conducted hearing screening. (Name of Child) ______ was found in the screening to have a high frequency hearing loss. Generally, high frequency hearing loss is caused by chronic exposure to excessive noise levels such as loud concerts, loud music heard through earphones and firearms. Here are some suggestions to avoid further hearing loss:

- Use of ear protection at loud concerts, during use of firearms, or when using power tools or chainsaws,
- Use of ear protection when riding in recreational vehicles such as motorcycles and snowmobiles.
- When using earphones, the music should not be loud enough to be heard by someone standing nearby.

You are encouraged to let your health care provider know about the result of the school hearing screening next time you visit. The screening that takes place at school is not a diagnosis of hearing loss but only a tool to identify students that might be at risk of a loss.

If you have any questions, please contact me at _________________________.

Sincerely,

(School Nurse)