



MTSS Math

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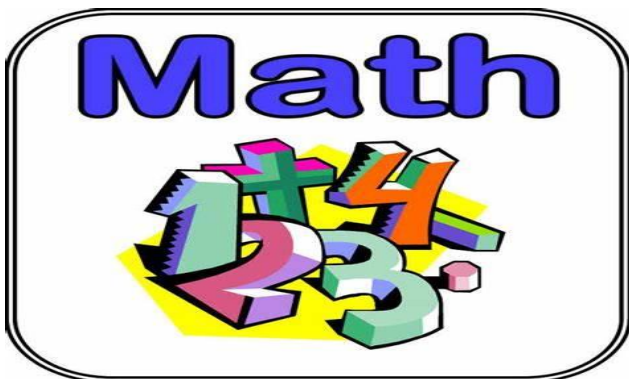
M-Step and NWEA

All students will be taking end of the year tests during the end of April and during May. Kindergarten through Fourth grade will take the NWEA Math and Reading tests. Third and Fourth grade also need to take the M-Step. Here are a few suggestions that may help your student to do better on these tests:

1. Get a good night's sleep. Have a consistent bedtime. Keep electronics out of the bedroom. Getting enough sleep helps a person's memory.
2. Eat a good breakfast. Your student will be able to think better when he/she is not hungry.
3. Talk to your child about the importance of doing well on the test, but do not stress him/her out about taking the test. Encourage your child with positive words such as, "It might be tough, but you can do it!"

What to Look for on the Acadience Math Test Results Sheet

Look at the attached sheet to see if your child has made improvements in the last month. The benchmark has risen, so your child might have scored higher but scored in a lower category. As always, if you have any questions or concerns, please contact me. My contact information is on the lower right corner of this newsletter.



Moby Max

Students grades Kindergarten to 4th grade are encouraged to work on Moby Max at home. It is a great program to help fill in the learning gaps. It is proven to increase student learning by a grade level if it is used for 15 minutes a day for 5 days a week. That amount of time would be great for your child to work on it, but I understand that life is busy. I am requesting that your child work on Moby Max two days a week for 15 minutes a session.

Moby Max log in information:

1. Go to www.mobymax.com
2. Put in the school name or school code. Use Ida Elementary for the school name or use mi1859 for the school code.
3. Type in the username: (first name last name)
4. Type in the password: see below
5. Click on the books icon.
6. Click on "Math".
7. Start working.

Passwords:

Kindergarten and 1st – 123

2nd – ida123

3rd and 4th – Ida123

Questions? Contact Carolyn Guy at Ida Elementary
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