

Dear 3B Families,

## Reminders

### **Class Pictures:**

Our class picture is tomorrow, **Tuesday**. This will be a perfect uniform day.

### **Talent Show Permission Slips in Office:**

The annual HRS Talent Show is coming up on **Friday, May 17**, and will be a Disney theme! We are looking forward to seeing the students sharing their talents with our school. Permission slips are now in the front office, so pick one up today! Please make sure to read the directions carefully and turn in completed and signed slips into the office. Group acts need to turn in their slips together. The last day to turn in permission slips is tomorrow, **Tuesday**.

### **Spring Important Dates:**

A yellow sheet of paper will be coming home with your child today that details a list of important dates and events happening this spring.

### **Passion Book Reflection:**

The reflection is due this **Friday, May 3**. I hope you enjoyed having your child share this special project with you!

### **iMovie Book Report:**

The written part is due this **Thursday, May 2**. Students will create the iMovie trailer in class. This is a fun and engaging report! You can view some trailers from last year here: [youtube.com/user/MrsMeland3B](https://youtube.com/user/MrsMeland3B).

### **State in the Box Project:**

A pink **information sheet** (includes the description of the project and information about what they will need to bring from home) came home two weeks ago. There will be items that students need to bring from home. Items will be due **Friday, May 10**.

**State in the Box photos:** A list of photos that need to be printed for the project is coming home with your child tonight (on blue paper). These have to be in by May 10<sup>th</sup>.

**Tests coming home today:** The perimeter/area math test and SE States tests will be coming home with your child tonight. Please review these with your child.

# Curriculum

**Reading:** We will continue reading *Ramona Quimby*. This week we will read Chapter 3 and focus on cause and effect.

**Math:** Students learned the 11s facts today and will be tested on these next Monday. This week we will begin our geometry chapter.

**Language Arts:** This week we will use our Language Arts time for PLTW and a Mother's Day project.

**Science:** Students will begin to plan and create their Maglev transportation system this week. They will have a budget of 50 dollars and each train has to transport eight "people" and travel about 12 inches.

**Social Studies:** Students continue to research their state for the *state in the box* project. They also learn the last section of states. Students will be tested on all 50 states at the beginning of June.

**Project Lead the Way:** This week students will work three Scratch Jr. challenges that require students to implement a loop when appropriate to repeat sections of code and apply mathematics to control the movements of programmable characters.

**Spelling:** Homework is due Thursday and the test will be Friday. This week we will focus on the suffixes -ies and -ied.

cities	cried	puppies	hurried	stories	flies	parties
tried	pennies	fried	carried	babies	spied	ponies

Challenge Word: countries

**Star Next Week: Emma**

Have a great week!

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