

Dear 3B Families,

Reminders

50 States Test:

Students will have their final state test next **Tuesday, June 4**. The test will cover all 50 states and the abbreviations. Students will be given the names of the states and will have to label them on a map and write the abbreviation as well.

Mass:

There will be no Mass this week or the next two Wednesdays due to bell tower construction. Our next Mass will be on the last day of school, June 14.

Summer Pen-Pal Writing:

I would like to invite all third graders to participate in our Summer Fun Pen-Pal Program. It is a great way to keep in touch with friends from 3rd grade and practice writing skills. It's always a big hit! I will send forms home today (green sheet). **If your child wants to participate the form needs to be turned in by Wednesday June 5.**

Curriculum

Reading: We will continue reading *Ramona Quimby Age 8*. This week we will read Chapter 7. We will focus on summarization and making connections.

Math: This week we will begin our chapter on graphing and interpreting data. We will learn about drawing and interpreting frequency tables, picture graphs and bar graphs this week.

Science: This week we will continue our unit on forces and motion.

Social Studies: Students finish illustrating their Space Needle pictures and we also use some of our time to study for their 50 states test.

Language Arts: Students will finish their iMovie book reports this week.

Religion: We will continue to learn about Leaders of the Church. Children will be able to name the pope, archbishop and pastor.

Spelling: Homework is due on Thursday and the test is on Friday. The pattern this week is words with VCCV pattern.

person	helmet	until	carpet	Monday	enjoy
forget	problem	Sunday	garden	order	mistake
umpire	herself				

Challenge Word: expect

Star this week: Gemma

Have a great week!

Erin Meland

Tug-of-war teamwork

