January 22, 2018

Dear Families,

As part of a new weekly routine, students will be required to complete various MobyMax Reading lessons. Even though **this will take place of the Daily Reading Log for the time being,** I am still encouraging the students to continue reading novels at home. MobyMax is accessible from a computer, phone, and/or tablet. <mark>If your child is unable to access this technology at home to complete the assignment, please let me know ASAP.</mark>

These are the three READING tabs available to the students.

Reading Stories   Reading Skills Literature   Reading Skills Informational

Each week, one tab with accompanying lessons will be assigned. The lessons will focus on <u>current</u> skills that align with the work we are doing during ELA.

As the lessons are completed, a score will be reported to your child. It is his/her responsibility to fill in the score of the lesson he/she received. This will show if an additional intervention is needed to reteach any skill(s).

In order for the students to keep track of the time and skills they are completing with the program, <mark>a MobyMax Log will be due *each* Monday along with a parent's signature.</mark>

Each student knows his/her user name and password. Our school code is: **ma320**. <u>A sample log is on the back</u>. Please let me know if you have any questions and/or concerns. If at any time you'd like a report of your child's progress, please let me know, and I will print one out for you!

Sincerely,

Miss Laura White

SAMPLE MOBYMAX LOG

MobyMax

ASSIGNED EVERY MONDAY! DUE THE FOLLOWING MONDAY!

NAME: _____Miss White_____   WEEK OF: January 22-January 29, 2018

CHOOSE THIS TAB: COMPLETE LESSONS FOR THE FOLLOWING STANDARDS:

Reading Stories   Reading Skills Literature   Reading Skills Informational

| 1. Illustrating Informational Texts |
| 2. Multiple Viewpoints |

Illustrating Informational Texts

LESSON NAME	SCORE
Interpret pictures, photos, and other visual elements used in a text	85%
Interpret charts, graphs, and diagrams	88%
Interpret charts, graphs, and diagrams used in conjunction with a text	92%

Multiple Viewpoints

LESSON NAME	SCORE
Distinguish between fact and opinion	85%
Determine an author's viewpoint	87%
Compare and contrast the presentation of the same topic by different authors	98%
Understand why two accounts on the same topic can be different	95%

Approximate Time Spent Each Day (Note: You choose which day(s) you'd like to complete!)

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