May is a month with lots of chances for our students to display their knowledge on standardized tests. Our teachers and students have been working hard to make sure our kids have mastered the standards that they will be tested on. However, we could use your help making sure our students are at their absolute best on test days. Here are 3 simple ways you can help:

- night before testing. Set a bedtime and create a 20-30 minute routine prior to bedtime where you child can wind-down (free of electronics). This is a good time to read a book together.
- Make sure your child eats a healthy breakfast. We do have free breakfast available for all of our students at school. So, if your child does not eat at home then please remind him/her to take advantage of breakfast at school.
- ³ Send your child off with positive and encouraging words. We know mornings can be rushed and stressful, but try to focus on the positive so that your child starts the day feeling good about him/herself.

If you have specific questions about when your child will be testing, please reach out to his/her teacher. Our students are AMAZING and we know they are going to FANTASTIC on all of their assessments!

May

- 5: All Pro Dad 7:45 AM
- 5: Flag Raising 8:40 AM
- 8-12: Teacher Appreciation
- 9: ELA FAST Test
- 11-12: Science FCAT
- 12: Green Party
- 16: Math FAST Test
- 17: Read USA Book Fair
- 18: PTA Meeting 5 PM
- 19: LiveSchool Shop
- 23: 5th Grade Ceremony
- 24-31: Grade 5 Starbase Trip
- 24: Grades K 4 Play Day
- 26: Celebration BBQ
- 29: No School
- 31: Talent Show

June

- 1: Class Parties
- 2: Last Day of School

Our next PTA meeting will be Thursday, May 18. We will be voting in our officers for next year so please plan to attend. We are still looking for more parents to be involved in our PTA for the 23-24 school year so if you would like to learn more, please plan on attending our next meeting.