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# **Reading & Writing**

This week we will finish the reading and writing baselines. On Thursday and Friday, we will take the Achieve 3000 and I ready reading diagnostics to determine your child's lexile level. (all baseline test are mandated by the district)

Students will receive a reading comprehension sheet for HW that is due on Friday. Students will also receive their first round of spelling and vocabulary words. There will be a test on August 30<sup>th</sup>.

We will begin working on the Main Idea standard RI 1.2. in class using different informational articles.

#### Weekly Homework

Complete comprehension sheet by Friday Wordly wise words will be passed out. The quiz will be next Friday. Don't forget to Join SeeSaw and visit my class website at https://jessicabrothers.weebly.com/

# Reminders

- It is important that your student know how they are going home each day. Please write any notes in the student's planner or email us.
- Be sure to read Ms. Mattingly's newsletters and visit the school website for important school information. Check it out at: www.duvalschools.org/jbe
- Open House is Thursday, August 29<sup>th</sup> from 6:00 to 7:30. There will be a presentation in the cafeteria to begin and then a short time in the classroom with all of the teachers.

## **Upcoming Events**

August 20<sup>th</sup>: Safety Video Presentations August 21<sup>st</sup>: PTO Vision (K, 1st, 3rd, and New to DCPS) & Hearing (K, 1st, and New to DCPS) Health Screenings August 22<sup>nd</sup>: K-2nd Open House (6:00-7:30 p.m.) August 28<sup>th</sup>: Early Release Day (1:15 p.m.) August 29th: 3rd-5thOpen House (6:00-7:30 p.m.) August 30th: Fall Picture Day! End of iReady & Achieve Diagnostic Testing Window! September 2<sup>nd</sup>: No School - Labor Day

### Birthdays Sushaan------8/4 Iman-----8/10 Madison-----8/31

Math

We are beginning with how to use exponents to name place value units and explain patterns in the placement of the decimal point. From there, we will begin to name decimals in different forms and compare decimals.

There will be a quiz over these place value standards on Friday! Students have such a great background on place value, I am positive that each will do awesome!

There will be Math homework each day this week.

We will begin our beginning of the year i-Ready diagnostic testing the last week of August. Because iReady diagnostic is happening this late, **no iReady should be completed at home until September!** 

Do you think the decimal point is important?

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