Good afternoon, Eisenhower Families,

This is Principal Tim Chipman, and it is TIME for our students to SHOW WHAT THEY KNOW! It's been an amazing start to the school year--and because our August theme is "Be Prepared," I want all moms, dads, grandparents, and cooky old uncles to know that next week at Eisenhower we are beginning our iReady benchmarking that we do three times a year.

Here's what you need to know:

- The iReady diagnostic is taken at school on the chromebook.
- Because it's adaptive, questions will adjust based on student answers.
- This means, some questions will be hard, some will be easy, and some will be just right.
- Here at Eisenhower, most students will show what they know in **reading** on Monday and Tuesday and in **math** on Wednesday and Thursday.

Family members, here's how you can partner with us:

- Remind your young scholar to take her time and do not rush.
- Remind your scholar to read each question and answer choice carefully.
- And tell that outstanding Eagle scholar to try his best--remember, teachers cannot help!
- And as always, when you think you're all done, check your work.

After our first round of benchmarking, we look forward to sharing special diagnostic reports with you, our partnering parents and families.

Here's to us working together to encourage ALL STUDENTS--our students to SHOW WHAT THEY KNOW--and get ready to see the growth that will occur this school year.

Skylert to be sent Thursday, 8/24/23 2:30pm