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Hello Egling Families,

Happy Spring! It is hard to believe that we are five weeks away from the end of the year! With the end of the school year right around the corner, it is important to encourage our students to finish strong. Making sure they are getting a good night's sleep, getting their homework completed, and making sure they are at school each day.

This month in our 4th and 5th grade classes we have been working identifying how we express our emotions and becoming aware of how others may express theirs. We are also working on Test-taking tips and strategies to keep ourselves calm and grounded. Please check in with your student about how they are feeling about the tests they have completed or will be completing. The end of the year is exciting, but it is also a time where our routines are a little off and the anticipation of summer is coming on. For some students, breaks from school are fun and something to look forward to, while for others, it can be a time of uncertainty. Please let me know if I can help in any way!

There are many programs to help keep your students busy and learning this summer. Our summer school and enrichment program is an option, as well as summer reading programs through the Colusa Library and Yuba City Library. There are often crafts and family activities to participate in. As summer gets closer, there will be more information to pass along.

Our seventh and eighth graders should be wrapping up any credit recovery courses before the end of the year. All eighth-grade students should have their high school class selections turned in. If they have not, please get them in as soon as possible!

There will be an **8th grade parent night at Colusa High School Wednesday, May 1st, at 6:00 pm**. Please make every effort to attend to help your student feel at ease with the transition process. They will also have a freshman orientation day before the beginning of school, but this is a nice way to help them feel more comfortable. This is a time when they may be feeling a little scared or nervous about what lies ahead.

Two of our California Junior Scholarship Federation (CJSF) students participated in a scholarship workshop this month and we hope to have more in the future. Our chapter will also be taking an end of the year trip to Six Flags. Next year we hope to have an activity that we focus on each quarter. CJSF is open to 7th and 8th grade students who apply and have the grades to qualify.

Have a wonderful weekend, and if there is any way I can help you or your student, please don't hesitate to reach out.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Knox