The Reading Intervention Teacher March 27, 2020

Dear Parent(s):

Welcome to my webpage. My name is Mrs. Hallam and I am your child's Reading Intervention Teacher. I hope all is well and that you are safe. As Superintendent Terry Dade stated, this is "unchartered territory" for our community and nation. I am writing to you to ask how I can best support and stay in contact with my students. It is my belief that most of their classroom teachers have already been in touch. If possible, I suggest that the students READ! READ! READ! We do not know how long this pandemic will last and I do not want my students to lose the gains that they have made. I want to do everything that I can to ensure that they are prepared for the year to come should this crisis last the rest of this school year.

I have listed reading materials by grade level in the white area. The CKLA Readers are all listed for grades K-2. For grades 3-6, I have listed some past excerpts from the New York State Exams. If your child struggles when reading, he/she can always begin with easier readers or exams from the previous year or two. S/he should be able to find books or exams that are just right for him or her. It never hurts to read or review easier books to build fluency.

In addition, I have also added some links to other interactive resources on my webpage. I will be in touch soon with the usernames and passwords for those websites.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me. I will do my very best to answer your questions. Take care of yourselves, love one another, and tell my kiddos that I love and miss them!

Sincerely,

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