Dear Room 105 Families,

March is now upon us. The students did a great job getting back in the swing of things after mid-winter break. We are starting some new units in reading and math (see below). We also will begin preparation for the M-Step which is replacing the MEAP. This test will be given completely online and is aligned to Common Core. This test will be more rigorous than the MEAP and require students to demonstrate their knowledge and explain their reasoning in reading, math, and social studies. More information will be coming home soon about the M-STEP. Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns.

Here is what we did this week:

- Social Studies Articles of Confederation
- Reading Historical Book Clubs End of Unit
- Writing Persuasive Essay Publishing
- Math Fractions to Decimals
- Word Study- No List this week

Here is what we are doing next week:

- Social Studies Constitution
- Reading Information Reading
- Writing Informational Writing
- Math Fractions to Decimals
- Word Study- List 11 Assigned



http://tinyurl.com/mstep2015

March 2-6

	Monday 2		Tuesday 3		Wednesday 4		Thursday 5		Friday 6
•	Tech Band/Strings	•	PE New Word Study List	•	Art Band/Strings	•	Spanish Band/Strings	•	PE

Happy Weekend,

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