

To: Dansville School Board Members

From: Andy Cox

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Re: DES update

- Third grade has completed the MStep Test already while fourth and fifth grade have just another lit bit left to do. The students have worked very hard at maintaining their best efforts.
- Our final round of Fast Bridge and Spring Math screeners will be taking place in the next couple of weeks.
- Lisa Krejcik has been preparing to teach the 4th and 5th grade students this year's Reproductive Health and HIV lessons. All lessons will take place in May. Informational letters for parents with an "opt out" form are being sent home currently. Parents are also welcome to review the curriculum prior to the lessons being taught.
- March Is Reading Month was a huge hit again this year. We had a great planning committee that went above and beyond especially with our beach themed decor. Our final reward allowed the top three readers in each class to watch a shark themed educational movie. Our Read-A-Thon fundraiser raised \$5800! This money has been used to bolster classroom library collections, teacher supplies and even access to technology.
- We continue to make progress with the licensing process for our new Great Start Readiness Program for next year. A special thank you to Rick Miller for his help as we navigate the inspection process.