

Dr. Helen Baldwin Middle School

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Happy Sunday BMS families! Please see the following important updates:

- A reminder that state testing begins next week. On Monday and Tuesday, 5th graders and 8th graders will take their state science assessments. Please make sure your student eats a healthy breakfast and gets plenty of rest. Please also make sure to have a conversation about your student doing their best– this test reflects what they know and have learned from their time with their science teachers.
- 8th-grade pictures will be taken next Tuesday, April 5. Please know that we will be taking every 8th grader's pictures this year, as they will be included in the new 8th-grade certificate portfolios that will be handed out during 8th-grade commencement.
- Sports families: Please note, that if your student is on “academic probation” for their grades, they will be given a “passport” to keep track of their grades. Once they have pulled their grades up to the eligibility range, they will once again be allowed to play. Please do not reach out to teachers regarding grades– have a conversation with your student about the importance of staying on top of their work. If your student hands work in, they should see a teacher directly to discuss their grade.

Thank you Baldwin community and have a great week. As always, please don't hesitate to reach out if you have any questions or concerns.

Thank you,

Mr. Dukette

Principal, Dr. Helen Baldwin Middle School