Dear Parents,

Now is the time to help our children to become prepared to be successful in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century. It is very important that we help them to understand the importance of Math in the elementary school. It is necessary that they master the basic skills of adding, subtracting, multiplying, and dividing. Encourage your elementary school child in his/her homework. Remind him/her of the importance of learning math for success in high school and beyond. Get involved in helping your child to improve his/her math skills.

Math is built on previous knowledge so review and practice. Practicing math skills daily provides a way to improve. Remember that Clover Garden purchased the rights to Study Island, an excellent program to help prepare your child for NC State Testing. If you have not visited this site, give it a try.

I will be in my room Monday, April 8, 2013, from 6:15 PM until 6:45 PM. (This is PTT/SAT meeting night.) If you have any concerns or suggestions as to how I can better serve you child more productively, please come to see me. I can also be reached by phone during the school day if that is more convenient. My goal is to help your child be successful.

Thank you for your continued support.

Sincerely,

Donna Johnson