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THIRD GRADE RETENTION LAW IMPACTS ALL STUDENTS IN GRADES PREK-3, WITH 3RD GRADE BEING THE MOST IMPACTED. A STUDENT IN 3RD GRADE WHO DOES NOT MEET THE REQUIREMENTS SET FORTH BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY WILL BE RETAINED AND/OR REQUIRED TO ATTEND SUMMER REMEDIATION PROGRAMS BEFORE BEING PROMOTED TO THE 4TH GRADE.

THE IMPORTANCE OF ATTENDING SCHOOL DAILY AND TAKING ALL LOCAL AND STATE MANDATED ASSESSMENTS SERIOUSLY WHEN ADMINISTERED IS MORE IMPORTANT NOW THAN EVER BEFORE. PROMOTION AND RETENTION WEIGH HEAVILY ON ASSESSMENT PERFORMANCE. EACH ELEMENTARY SCHOOL WILL SHARE WITH PARENTS AND GUARDIANS INFORMATION REGARDING THE 3RD RETENTION LAW IN THE COMING DAYS AND WEEKS.

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