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Parents/Guardians of Kindergarten Students:

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This letter is to notify you of an important new law affecting your child which was passed by the 2010 Arizona State Legislature, HB2732, also known as "Move on When Reading". The law requires all students in third grade by 2013-2014 to be reading proficiently before being promoted to 4th grade. Specifically the law states:

Jim Chesnik
Facilities

Rick Conrad
Finance

"A requirement that a pupil not be promoted from third grade if the pupil obtains a score on the reading portion of the AIMS test, or successor test, that demonstrates that the pupil is reading far below the third grade level."

Deborah Riley
Food Service

Vince Medina
Head Start

Your kindergarten child will be in third grade in 2014-2015. The Fowler Elementary School District staff is committed to working in partnership with you to ensure that your child receives the best education possible. I encourage you to continue to work collaboratively with your child's current teacher as well as their future first, second and third grade teachers to ensure that they are acquiring all the skills and strategies they will need to be a successful reader.

Nora Ulloa
Human Resources

Mike Mannelly
Special Education

Your child's teacher will continue to provide you with timely updates on their reading progress. If you would like additional information regarding your child's progress, please contact their teacher. If you would like additional information on the requirements of the law, please contact your school's principal.

Mike Fried
Technology

Tom Pollard
Transportation

We look forward to working together to ensure that your child and every child in the Fowler Elementary School District becomes a proficient and successful reader.

Peggy Eastburn
Governing Board
President

Sincerely,

Ignacio Fernandez
Governing Board
Clerk

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Marvene Lobato".

Marvene Lobato
Superintendent

Francisca Montoya
Governing Board
Member