


## Watershed



Our school is privileged to partner with USC Upstate Watershed Ecology Center to bring in hands on science lessons that complement our standards and curriculum. They will visit our school 9 times throughout the school year and our first session will be at the end of September. The total cost for the Watershed Ecology program for the school year is $\$ 9$ per child. We ask that you send this money to school in an envelope labeled with your child's name and "Watershed" by Wednesday, September $19^{\text {th }}$ to ensure that your child is able to attend our first session. If you would be willing to "round up" to $\$ 10$, we can use that donation to contribute to students that may be unable to pay. We look forward to some awesome learning experiences with the Watershed Ecology Center. Please let us know if you have any questions or concerns.

# MAP Testing 

Please remember that our school is collecting box tops for education. The homeroom that collects the most box tops will win an ice cream party and extra recess!


Interims will be issued this Wednesday. Please remember that you can view grades and averages as they are entered using the PowerSchool app.


Students will begin MAP testing next week on their regularly scheduled computer lab days. They will work on the Math test in the Math Lab and the Reading test in the ELA Lab. Students will have the next 4 weeks to complete the test. Please encourage them to take their time and do their very best. They should get a good nights rest the night before and eat a healthy breakfast the morning of.

Please be reminded that WES homework policy is
"No Homework = No Recess". Also, if a student has 3 or more homework strikes during the 9 weeks semester, they will not be allowed to attend the homework celebration at the end of the 9 weeks.

