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Dear Parents,

We are about to begin the process of building 5th grade classes for the 2014-15 school year. If you are interested in providing information about your child for the purpose of placement, you may download the "Parent Input for Placement 14-15 form" from our website or pick one up from the office.

This is the only form that can be submitted for this year, and it is due by Friday, March 21, 2014. Please complete the form and send it to the Meridian School Office marked "Rebecca Jenkins". We will not accept emails or personal letters. Here are a few guidelines to consider when filling out the form.

- We strive to create classes that are well balanced. Our classrooms are "built" with input from the previous year's teaching team to achieve the goal of creating a class of students covering all ability, performance, social and emotional levels as well as other characteristics reflecting the total child.
- Please do not request a specific teacher for next year. Letters that contain a specific teacher's name for a class placement will not be used in the placement process.
- Please do not request a friend. Teachers will build classrooms with learning partners in mind.

Thank you for your interest to ensure your child's educational success.

Sincerely,

Rebecca Jenkins
Principal

**Meridian Middle School
Parent Input for Placement 14-15**

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Please do not request a specific teacher for next year.

Due Date: Friday, March 21, 2014

Student's Name: _____ Today's Date: _____

Grade for 2014-15: _____ Current Teacher/Team: _____

Student Support Service: Past/Present: Are there any special needs that you feel would impact your child's placement? If so, please indicate the support service your child receives.

Speech/Language _____	Reading Support _____	Math Support _____
Special Education _____	Social Work _____	ELL _____
Occupational Therapy _____		Adaptive Phys. Ed. _____

Please describe the learning environment in which your child would most excel.

Has a sibling had a particular teacher before, and would you prefer a different placement for your child?

Is there a particular child with whom you do NOT wish your son/daughter to be placed with? Why? Is the principal aware of any concerns/issues between your child and this student?

Note: We understand everyone likes to request a friend. Please do not request a friend, as the teachers are aware of the best learning partner(s) for your child.