From Unit A  All Unit A classrooms are working on a careers book that will be published by Studentreasures. Please look for and return the Studentreasures permission slip/order form going home today. All students must return this form to have their work included in the book, even if families do not choose to purchase the book. Forms must be returned by Wednesday, April 12. Thank you for your support.

First, you will find Scholastic Book Orders—they are due by Wednesday, April 12. Second, you will find field trip chaperone information for three spring field trips we will be taking. This form is due no later than Friday, April 14.

Thank you for attending Munch and Read today. If you can, please plan to attend our last Munch and Read of the school year on Friday, May 7 at 2:00 PM.

Thank you to Mrs. Williams for teaching all of the Unit A classes about the Greek myth Arachne.

From Unit B  Please check your child’s home-school folder for important information. First, you will find Scholastic Book Orders—they are due by Wednesday, April 12. Second, you will find field trip chaperone information for three spring field trips we will be taking. This form is due no later than Friday, April 14.

From Unit C  Those students graduating this year met with the middle school counselors on Monday, April 3. Students received a yellow information sheet to take home. You may review the power point that was shared with the students on the Ridgeway website/Student Resources/Unit C/Middle School Power Point. If you have further questions about middle school, direct them to Mrs. Cox, mcox@cpsk12.org.

On Friday, April 14, Unit C students will visit the state capital in Jefferson City. Students will need to pack a lunch for this field trip. Some students have indicated they will purchase a sack lunch from school for the trip. More information about what to bring will be sent home separately.

On Thursday, April 13, Unit C will have a busy day. In the morning, Unit C, along with all students from Ridgeway, will attend a jazz concert at Hickman High School. When we return from the concert, students will load the bus for a Unit picnic. The picnic is to celebrate the Unit’s sale of $1000 in Fun Day “Big Drawing” tickets. Students will need to pack a lunch on this day also. Again, several have indicated that they will purchase a sack lunch from school for the trip. On both April 13 and April 14, we will arrive back at Ridgeway in time for your student to follow his/her regular dismissal plans.
Please mark your calendars for these school events!

April
April 18 – PTSA board budget meeting 5:00
April through April 28, MAP testing, as scheduled

May
May 1-5 Teacher Appreciation Week
May 2– PTSA Meeting 6:00
May 2– Spring Choir Concert 7:00
May 5– Munch and Read 2:00-2:40, Unit A parents may join in the fun!
May 11– IGE in Action Night 6:00-7:00
May 17 - Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon 11:30-1:00
May 23 - Ridgeway All School Picnic

The end of school activities will be posted soon!

Club Notes
Computer Lab - Monday session 2:45 to 4:00
Chess Club - Tuesday 3:00-4:30
Choir - Choir Tuesday morning, promptly at 7:25 in the music room.
Oak Towers - Tuesday, April 18, 2:45-3:45; last meeting date is May 9.
Fitness Club - Tuesday, April 11, 2:45-3:45; Additional club dates are April 18 and 25,
Drama Club - Wednesday, April 12, 3:00 -3:45; Additional club dates are April 19, 26 and May 3.
Ridgeway Running Club - Wednesday, April 12, 2:45-3:45; last date is April 19
Computer Lab - Thursday session 2:45-4:00

MAP Testing
Students in grades 3, 4, and 5 will participate in MAP (Missouri Assessment Program) testing this spring. All testing will be in the morning on the dates listed below:

Grade 3 students: April 18, 19, 20, 24, 25, and 27
Grade 4 students: April 18, 19, 24, and 25
Grade 5 students: April 18, 19, 20, 24, 25, 27, 28
Watch the RAP next week for additional information

ABCD Calendar
Monday, April 10 - C Day
Tuesday, April 11– D Day
Wednesday, April 12 - A Day
Thursday, April 13 - B Day
Friday, April 14 – C Day
Please remember tennis shoes must be worn the day your child