Remediation for $5^{\rm th}/8^{\rm th}$ Grade Reading and Math April 25- May 6

Each student in 5th grade who was not successful on either the Math and/or Reading STAAR participated in mandatory tutorials for 45 minutes each day for 10 days. Students were paired with teachers who addressed specific needs according to assessment data. If they received 3 days of Math intervention during week one, the next week they received 3 days of Reading instruction. But students who were being remediated for one subject remained in that session the entire tutorial period.

Each 8th grade student who was not successful on either the Math and/or Reading STAAR participated in 30 minutes of mandatory tutorials during FOCUS period. Students were again grouped according to specific needs in each subject. The rotation was the same as 5th grade. One week 3 day of Math and the second week, 3 days of Reading. If they were being remediated for one subject, they were there the full 2 weeks.

On May 7th, we held a STAAR Saturday Blitz from 9a-1p. All students were invited to attend a 4 hour session of intensive remediation addressing specific TEKS and revisiting test taking strategies. The students attended a 1.5 hour session for Reading and Math. At the end, students were allowed time to exhale and celebrate their accomplishments. Lunch was provided!