



LEVITTOWN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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"Success for Every Student"

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April 2021

Dear 5th Grade Parents/Guardians:

The 5th grade Maturation Program will take place on Friday, May 14, 2021. Please note that the program consists of two videos, "Boys Maturation Video" and "Girls Maturation Video". Both of the above films will be shown to the children on **Friday, May 14th, 2021.**

Please note that the girls will see the girl film first and then the girls will see the boy film next (and vice versa). A discussion with our district health teachers will take place after each film to answer any clarifying factually based questions only. When the first film/discussion has come to an end, those children not permitted to see the second film will be removed from the room and brought to another location. Please note that alternate arrangements will be made for the children needing them.

***Please note that all remote parents/guardians will receive information from their remote classroom teacher as to the date/time/information for the 5th Grade **Remote** Maturation Program.*

Please make sure to fill out the 5th Grade Parent/Guardian Maturation Google Form Permission Slip that can be found below by **Friday, April 30th.**

Gardiners Avenue 5th Grade Parent/Guardian Google Form Permission Slip:

- <https://forms.gle/En7bLAWqXVj9UYRK6>

Please consider each option available to your child and choose one. Please note that if you do not fill out the google form using the link above, it will be assumed that your child will **not** be viewing either film. If you would like to preview the maturation videos in advance prior to making a decision, please email Cheryl Tassey at ctassey@levittownschoools.com in our main office and she will provide you with the link/password for the videos.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me. I appreciate your cooperation in this matter, as we want everyone to feel comfortable.

Sincerely,

Jared Vanderbeck, Ed. D.
Principal
Gardiners Avenue School