April 1, 2017

Dear Sixth Grade Student,

As promotion approaches, it’s a tradition for the sixth graders of McKeown School to create a “Through the Years” photo guessing flip book.  These books help celebrate each of you, who you are, the memories you’ve made a McKeown School, and your dreams for the future.  You will be creating a travel journal to fit with the “Around the World” theme your class selected for the promotion party.   We will display the books in the hallway for students, staff and parents to enjoy during the weeks leading up to the sixth grade promotion.   They will remain in the hallway during the promotion celebration, but are yours to take home after the party or on the final day of school.

Attached is a template for your project.  Please follow the instructions below but feel free to be as creative as you like by adding stickers, drawings, sparkle, etc.  These books should reflect you and your McKeown memories.

**Front Cover:**

1. Include at least one photo of you when you were a baby and 1-2 photos of you when you were younger (so everyone can guess whose book it is).
2. Fill in your favorite foods, hobbies and a special memory.

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1. Add photos or drawings of you and your friends, activities you enjoy, a favorite animal, favorite foods, etc.  You may also print pictures or cut pictures from magazines.
2. Fill out the information in each box.
3. Add your name somewhere on page 2 or 3.

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1. Under “Traveler Profile” include a current photo of yourself.
2. Fill out your information in the four boxes.
3. Add some more photos, pictures or drawings.

**Back Cover:** Please leave this blank for faculty, staff and friends to leave messages for you.

A sample book will be on display in one of the sixth grade homerooms.  Please feel free to check it out, but remember this is just a sample.  This is meant to be a fun (ungraded) project that reflects you, so relax and enjoy.

We would like to display all of the books for the last two weeks of school, so please hand your completed book to your homeroom teacher no later than **Tuesday, May 30th**.

All the best,

The Promotion Committee