

Kinder PM Newsletter



El 3 de septiembre de 2008

Semana : 1

By now you've heard how things have gone in our first few days; it's been a real treat to get to know your child. Each student has something great to share with the class. I hope the responses from the students have seemed as positive as their attitudes in class each day.

This week we worked a lot on establishing our routines for the class. The students really surprised me by quickly picking up on Denme cinco, which is the auditory/visual signal that the school has adopted to quickly get every student quiet and attentive.

After reading *El Oso Cuadrado*, the students practiced writing their names and drawing the different shapes in the correct quantity. We also brainstormed a list of class rules. We will vote to approve the final list and each student will sign it, in agreement to follow them. You may be puzzled if your child starts repeating the chant they learned of the beginning sounds in the Spanish language, but I have asked them to practice at home.

As this is a new school year with brand new students and a teacher new to the school, I have a few points of clarification to address:

Each child should bring their pasaporte/passport yellow folder and their green transportation tag each day, indicating their dismissal information. If there is a change in transportation, please send a signed note in the pasaporte folder.

All forms need to be turned in by Friday, September 5th. If there is not an indication, please print your child's name in the upper right-hand corner. I will send extra copies home for those I am missing as of today and that may be due to the fact that the signature is not clear or the piece of paper did not have at least a name on it. Thank you for your cooperation.

Snack time is limited to ten minutes, so please send only ONE ITEM of food and/or drink with your student. There will be an opportunity to get a drink and take a bathroom break after snack while we all go to wash our hands. Please purchase PEANUT FREE labeled items.

Keep up the good work for another awesome week in Kinder PM!

Hasta luego/Until later,

Señorita Lea