



dear PARENTS

PARENT INFORMATION LETTER



I would like to welcome you and your child to the Kindergarten program at Eagle Canyon Elementary School. I'm thrilled to be your child's teacher! Together we can share in the growth (academically and emotionally) and development of your child. I am looking forward to an exciting 2024-2025 school year.

This year we are continuing with our early/late bird model in our kindergarten class. This will allow me to work with smaller groups and provide differentiated instruction so that I am meeting the needs of ALL my students. This is such a great opportunity for us.

As the school year begins, there will be expectations that the students will need to follow. These expectations help to provide a safe and supportive learning environment. During the first week of school, your child will be sharing about the 3 B's (Be Responsible, Be Respectful, Be Safe) They will also be learning the following; Eyes are watching, Ears are listening, Mouths are quiet, and Bodies are still. These expectations are part of our PBIS systems and our Second Steps program.

I am excited to learn more about your child and look forward to working with you throughout the year. I have enclosed a student questionnaire to better understand who your child is, their strengths and weaknesses and the goals you have concerning your child's development throughout the year. Please take a few minutes to complete it and return it to me as soon as possible.

Each week you will receive a newsletter attached to their homework with an overview of the week. It will include upcoming school events, classroom needs and expectations of the homework. In addition to the newsletter, I will rely on ClassDojo for all other communication. Please sign up as soon as possible so that your child does not miss out on anything in our class/school.

I will provide your child with many stimulating learning experiences. Students in my classroom will be encouraged to observe, explore, question, discover, build, create, write and draw. This type of active learning will help your child to better develop cognitively, socially and emotionally. My classroom is very hands on and parent participation is essential for our students to have a fulfilling kindergarten experience. Please consider being an active participant in our classroom.



Mastering the 100 sight words and completing the DL books is an integral part of kindergarten. As part of their daily homework, they should be reading the DL books, practicing the sight words and completing their daily minutes on IXL (computer based math and language arts enrichment). They will be tested weekly on sight words, newly introduced phonics skills and DL books, please prepare them, so that they are successful.

Please provide a healthy snack and labeled water bottle for your child each day. They do not need to bring a whole lunch or lunch pail. The snack should be something quick so that they may enjoy interacting and playing with their peers at recess.

Students are encouraged to bring a backpack. Please practice opening and closing it so that they are able to do it independently. This will make for an easier transition when arriving/departing.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me at any time. My email address is listed below for your convenience. I look forward to working with you and your child.

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