

## 2V News – August 28, 2017

We have been working on getting back into “school mode” after summer break. I am very proud of the children and how they are remembering more and more of the routines each day. I want to thank all the families that have turned in the little blurb about their child. If you have not turned it in yet please do by this Wednesday, August 30<sup>th</sup>.

Curriculum Night is this Thursday, August 31<sup>st</sup>. Please try to attend so we can share information about your child's education. Babysitting will be provided in the auditorium. All 2<sup>nd</sup> grade teachers will be presenting together at 6:30pm (students with last names N-Z) and at 7:30pm (students with last names A-M) in **Room 101**. You are welcome to visit our classroom, room 219, from 7:05pm-7:25pm or from 8:05pm-8:25pm. The PREZI power point presentation from Curriculum Night will be available after Thursday.

This week, we began “President of the Week”. This is similar to "Student of the Week". Each week a new student will be randomly selected to be the "Class President". I will send a note home, if your child is selected. Please assist your child in completing the "All About Me" poster. Ask your child about the all special duties of the President.

Every day your child will bring home his/her “Home Folder”. In the beginning. The folder will likely be empty until we begin our homework routine. Please empty the folder each night and send it back to school with completed work or papers. On Fridays, I will send home all completed class work.

The children did a wonderful job sharing their “Getting to Know Me” Bags. I think only a couple of students stumped us on which object was fictitious. I was very impressed with how the children used good speaking voices and added detail when explaining each object.

As a class, we created a list of behavior expectations for our classroom. Please review these 5 rules with your child.

1. Listen and follow directions-Be a 1<sup>st</sup> Time Listener
2. Raise your hand and wait to be called on
3. Keep hands, feet, and objects to self
4. Listen to others
5. Take care of yourself

We will be practicing following the rules through this week. Next week, if your child struggles to follow the rules a note(see below) will be sent home for you to sign.

### Note to Parent

\_\_\_\_\_ broke these classroom rules 3 times today:

\_\_\_\_\_ 1<sup>st</sup> Time Listener (Listen and follow directions)

\_\_\_\_\_ Raise your hand and wait to be called on

\_\_\_\_\_ Keep hands, feet, and objects to self

\_\_\_\_\_ Listen to others

\_\_\_\_\_ Take care of yourself

Please review this with your child, sign, and return this note to school tomorrow.

Thank you!

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Parent signature

My webpage is currently under construction. I will inform you when it is complete. The district revamped all sites and all need to be recreated.

Specials are on the following Days:

**Monday:** Spanish and Physical Education (all students will need gym shoes)

**Tuesday:** Spanish and Music

**Wednesday:** Library (have you child bring books back so can check out other books)

**Thursday:** Art

**Friday:** Music and Spanish

I am very proud of the children for working hard, taking risks, and being active learners. I am constantly stretching their minds and raising the bar. If you ever have any questions, please feel to write me a note or e-mail me at [evietzen@op97.org](mailto:evietzen@op97.org) See you on Thursday.