

August 23, 2010

Dear Parents,

The school year is off to a good start with eager, energetic students in our Kindergarten class! The rules we have established, as a school, and in our classroom are as follows:

1. I will respect God and all things sacred.
2. I will respect myself.
3. I will respect others.
4. I will respect things.

Each student starts the day with a green card. A student will not lose their green card if they keep these rules. After some warnings, if a student continues to have trouble keeping the rules, they will be given a yellow card. This means they will not get a sticker on their chart at the end of the day. It takes 20 stickers (on average) to get a prize from the prize box. If a student still has trouble keeping the rules, they will be given a red card. They will then go to see the principal, and I will contact you.

Homework folders will be given out each Monday (or first school day of the week), starting today, and should be turned in by Friday each week. The purpose of homework is to review material we have covered in class and to learn responsibility.

One letter of the alphabet will be focused on each week. We will be learning a Bible Memory verse that starts with that letter and the sign language for that letter. We are also learning the Lord's Prayer. I encourage you to review these with your child at home. I also encourage you to read with your child each day.

The Friday class schedule will be different than the other days of the week. Our day will start out with chapel with the whole school. We refer to Friday as Creative Arts day. Each teacher has a different specialty, and the students rotate through different classes – Art, Music, Spanish, Amazing Facts/Bible/Outreach, and Drama/Technology. The Kindergarten class will be rotating with the First and Second graders. I will be on campus three Fridays a month teaching Bible, and one Friday a month, I will be off campus doing Outreach to the Community. All the students rotate through. Your child will be assigned one Friday to participate in Outreach.

I pray that each of your children will not only learn some basic building blocks of what we need to know in this life, and will learn to work with others, but will also get to know Jesus as a friend and His Word, the Bible, in a real way. Please feel free to contact me for any questions, concerns, comments or suggestions you might have. My e-mail address is: chunter@msaca.net.

Thank you for giving me the opportunity to teach your children.

Sincerely,

Cherline Hunter