

October 27, 2019

Dear Parents,

I have included the report card for the first trimester, along with a scores sheet. Because of our transition to a year-round schedule, parent conferences are a bit more difficult to schedule. I am available to talk most days after 1pm, with more availability after Thanksgiving when B Track is off. I will put a calendar up on the whiteboard in the back of the room if you would like to schedule a conference.

I have very few immediate concerns, as this class is doing very well. I expect that about half of the class would be in the BEAR Club in January, and we already have half of the class at the Grizzly BEAR level! If a student knows 10 letters, 10 numbers, 10 letter sounds, and can count to 10, they are doing just fine. About 80% of the class is above this goal.

It is vital that you to read to your child every night. You should also check the shark folder for incomplete worksheets and have your child complete them.

There will be no school on Monday, November 11<sup>th</sup>, in recognition of Veteran's Day.

There will be no school during the Thanksgiving break from November 25<sup>th</sup> through November 29<sup>th</sup>.

Please don't hesitate to contact me if you have questions. My cell number is (916) 799-4497. You can leave a message or send me a text message. My email address is steve@howekinder.com.

Sincerely,

Stein Houre

Steven Howe Mary Tsukamoto Elementary School

Kindergarten High Frequency Words

Ι	can	we	the	like	а	see
go	to	have	is	play	are	for
you	this	do	and	what	little	said
here	Was	she	he	has	look	with
my	me	where	at	in	i†	of
on	they	down	one	big	small	come
that	be	am	no	his	had	as