



# C Track Kindergarten with Mr. Howe

July 21, 2021

Dear Parents,

We had a great first five days of school! We concentrated on rules and procedures in the classroom. The students also learned several of the songs we will be singing all year. Students are doing a great job wearing their masks indoors. When the students go to lunch, they are putting their masks in their backpack (if they have one), but I am sure several are lost every day. I have extra masks in the classroom if you are having trouble keeping up with the mask usage.

I have started testing the class to find out their strengths and their academic needs. I have included the test results so far in the shark folder.

I have also included a reading log for homework. Each night, write down a book that was read. Please be sure to read to your child every day. It is the most important homework in kindergarten. The homework calendar should come home next week.

I have noticed several children wearing open toed shoes/sandals, which are not allowed at the school. Please have your child wear tennis shoes so that they can run without hurting their feet.

Remember that the Shark Folder is to be returned on **Thursday** with any forms that have not yet been turned in.

Please don't hesitate to contact me if you have questions. My email address is [steve@howekinder.com](mailto:steve@howekinder.com). My cell number is (916) 799-4497. I prefer that you call (or text) me on my cell number. If I am available to talk, I will pick up the phone. If I am not available, please leave a message with your phone number and the **best time to call**, and I will get back to you as soon as I can.

Sincerely,

Steven Howe  
Mary Tsukamoto Elementary School