

# Parent Note (for Friday, September 18, 2009)

What a great start to our year. We really have been diligently working learning the proper classroom procedures, sharing ideas for choosing books to read... This is the third set of papers I have sent home with your child. If you have not seen any completed work from your child, please talk with him/her about it. We have completed two spelling lessons. The words may have seemed unusually easy but because they were similar to others, they tend to be misused in everyday writing. We have completed six lessons in Math with much of the work being done individually or in small group during class time. We have been using playing cards to help demonstrate the associative property of math and to play a game of using symbols to compare numbers. Daily homework is kept to a minimum but helps the students to work 1-1 with me as needed. The first test of the year occurs after Lesson 10.

I am looking forward to seeing you at the Curriculum night Thursday. Please jot down questions you may have so they can be answered if I do not cover them in my overview of grade 5.

In Science we are learning the various parts of a microscope with Sister Judy in lab. In class we are learning about the parts and functions of the organelles of a cell.

In Religion we are beginning to learn about the sacraments. This week we learned how to find a scripture in the Bible read it and explain it in our own words. A Bible makes a great Christmas present.

(Please sign the slip below and return it with your child on Monday.)



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I have seen \_\_\_\_\_'s papers this week.

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Parent Signature

Date