

The Jones Journal

May 14, 2021



Quinn works in her book from art class.

FYI

I will be sending home everyone's end-of-theyear journal next week in a big, white, three-ring folder. The children are so excited about getting to take them home. Please sit down with your child and look through it – they are extremely proud!!

Your child's last kindergarten checklist will be sent home next Thursday in their Friday Folder. You do not have to sign or return anything – it is your copy to keep!! There will also be some information regarding your child's STAR test scores from this past testing period. If you have any questions, please let me know.

NEEDED

Over the summer break, if you find any of the Scott Foresman books I sent in the 'homework folders', please swing by the school and drop them off in the office for me. Thank you so much and I hope you have enjoyed them!

Next Thursday, your child will bring home a gift bag with several items inside. There will be a June and July journal, which is completely optional to write in over the summer break. Any days your child decides to complete, you can place them in their journal binder (behind the June and July dividers.) Their Friday Folder,

change of clothes, some gifts from me, and anything else that needs to go home will be placed in their gift bag also. I hope this will make things easier for children to get things from school to home.

The last day for students to check out books from the library was May 6th. Mrs. Dorman, our media specialist, needs all books returned ASAP so that she can complete the library's inventory.

PARENT READING

There are several articles on our classroom blog that I've not 'assigned' as a parent reading this year; everything from in-depth research articles on reading and writing to interesting 'parenting' articles I have read since becoming a mother. These articles, plus new ones, will remain on our classroom blog so don't feel rushed to read/print them. Please let me know if you have suggestions for how I can improve this part of the newsletter or are interested in a specific topic that I have not included.

DATES TO REMEMBER

May 20 – Last day of school Checklists go home

June 21 – Registration for Returning Students

July $1 - \underline{1^{st} \text{ Day Supply Kit}}$ orders due

August 10 – First Day of School

ONE LAST THING

I hope you have enjoyed reading our classroom newsletters and keeping up with things going on in our classroom! I appreciate everything you have done to make this very challenging year so successful. I have become very attached to your children and love each of them dearly. I am sad to see them go but excited to reflect upon their progress through this year. As of right now, I'll be in the same room next year. I would love to see you...no appointment necessary! ©