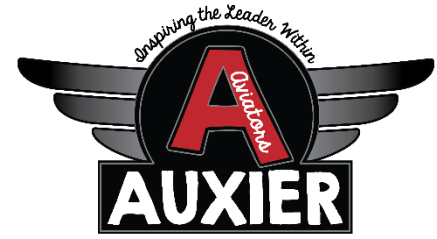
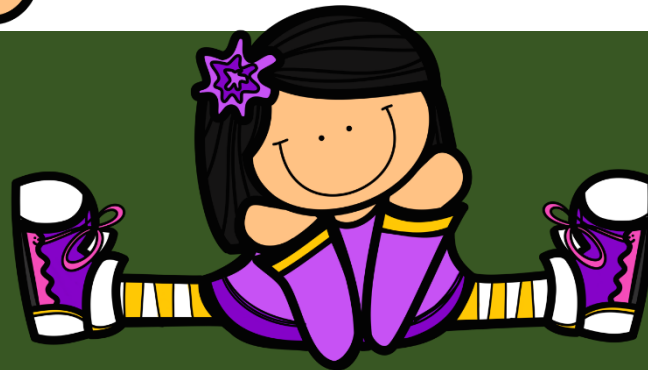
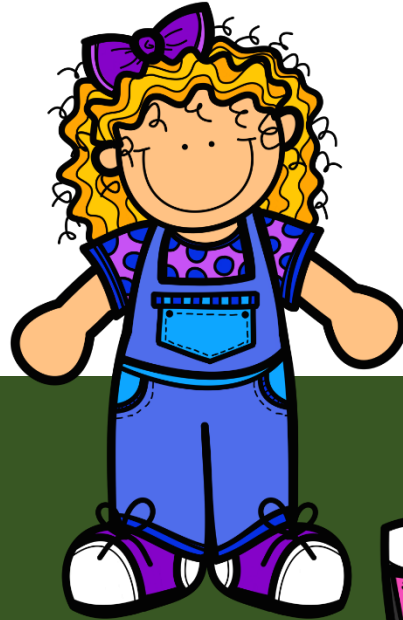




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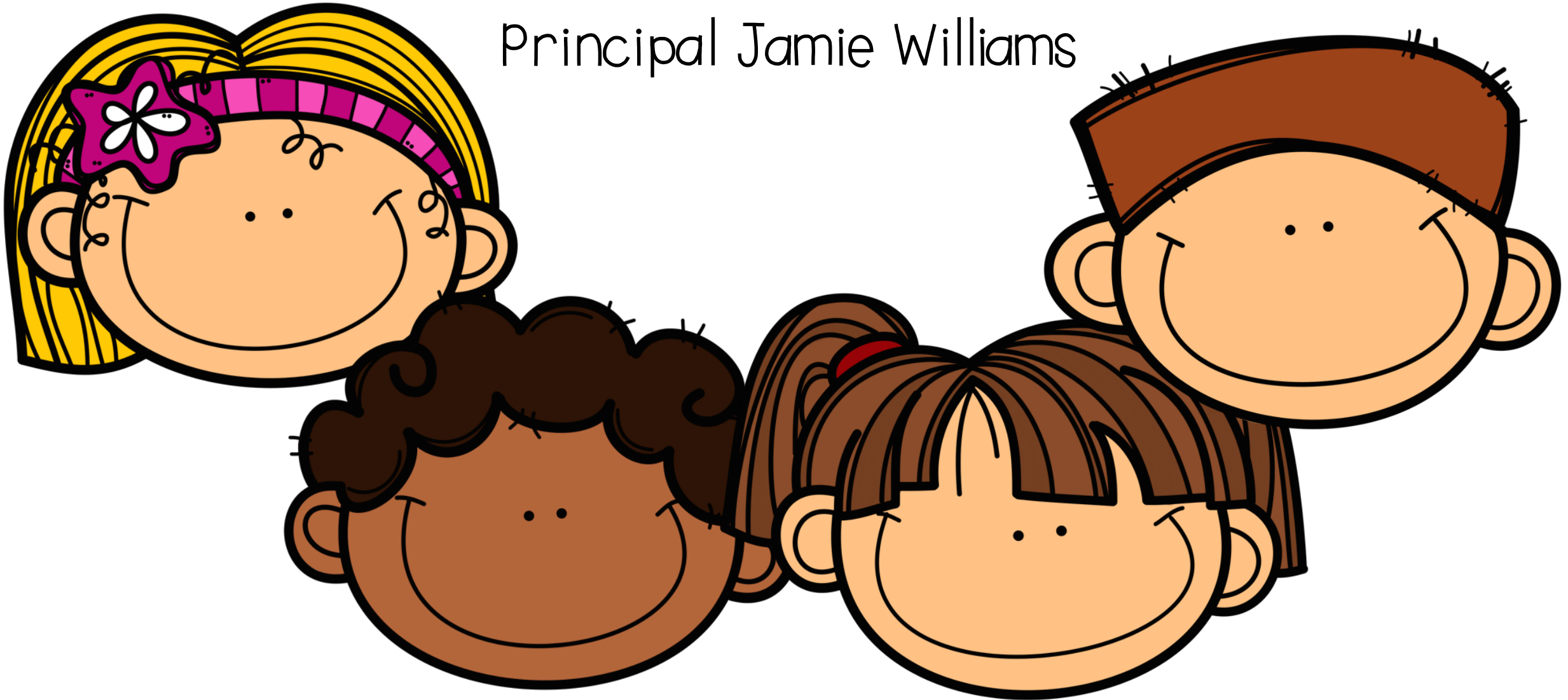
Auxier Elementary



Educating the Whole Child

with

Principal Jamie Williams



Meet Your Auxier Teachers



Mrs. Hannah Housmyer
Classic



Ms. Yolanda Huynh
Classic



Mrs. Stephanie Moore
CTA



Mrs. Cindy Stewart
CTA

The Leader in Me

- Our school has chosen to implement an innovative leadership program called *The Leader In Me*. It is a whole-school transformation model that acts like the operating system of a computer—it improves the performance of all other programs.
- *The Leader in Me* is Based on *The 7 Habits of Highly Effective People*, *The Leader in Me* equips students with the self-confidence and skills they need to thrive in the
- We are THRILLED that we earned Lighthouse School status which is the highest achievement a school can receive from *The Leader in Me*. We worked hard as students, staff, and families and this offers a unique opportunity for your child.

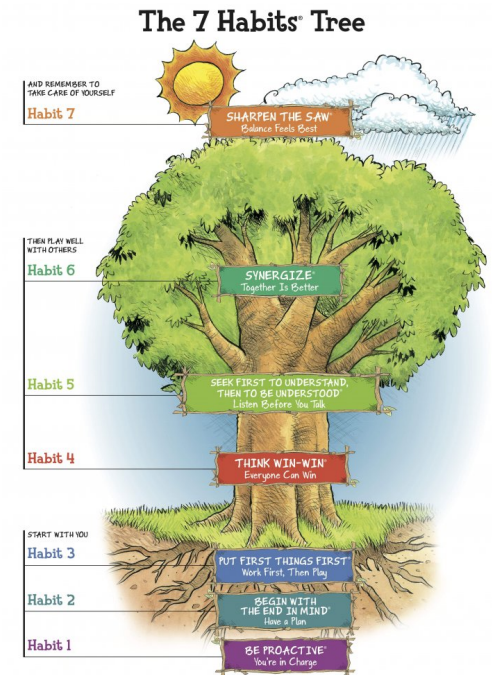


The
Leader in Me™

great happens here

The 7 Habits

- Habit #1-Be proactive: I'm in charge of my life!
- Habit #2-Begin with the end in mind: Set a goal, have a plan!
- Habit #3-Put first things first: Work first, then play!
- Habit #4-Think win-win: Everyone can win!
- Habit #5-Seek first to understand, then to be understood
- Habit #6-Synergize: Together is better!
- Habit #7-Sharpen the saw: Balance feels best!
- Habit #8-Find Your Voice: Inspire and help others!



Language Arts

CTA

- Journeys Reading Program
- Spalding (Language Arts and Phonics)
- Writing
 - Informative, Narrative, Opinion
- Oral Presentations

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CTA Parents

Additional items:
-Audio CD and
DVD
-Book: The
Writing Road to
Reading

We recommend
that you
purchase
Spalding
phonogram cards



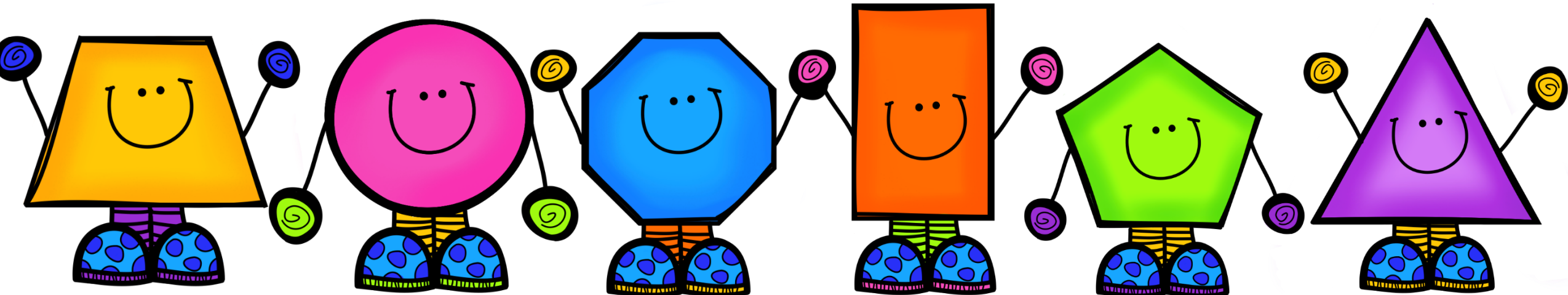
Math

CTA

- 1st quarter- Kindergarten AZ College and Career Ready Standards
- 2nd through 4th quarters- Above grade level Saxon math program

Classic

- Kindergarten AZ College and Career Ready Standards
- Kindergarten My Math program



Curriculum

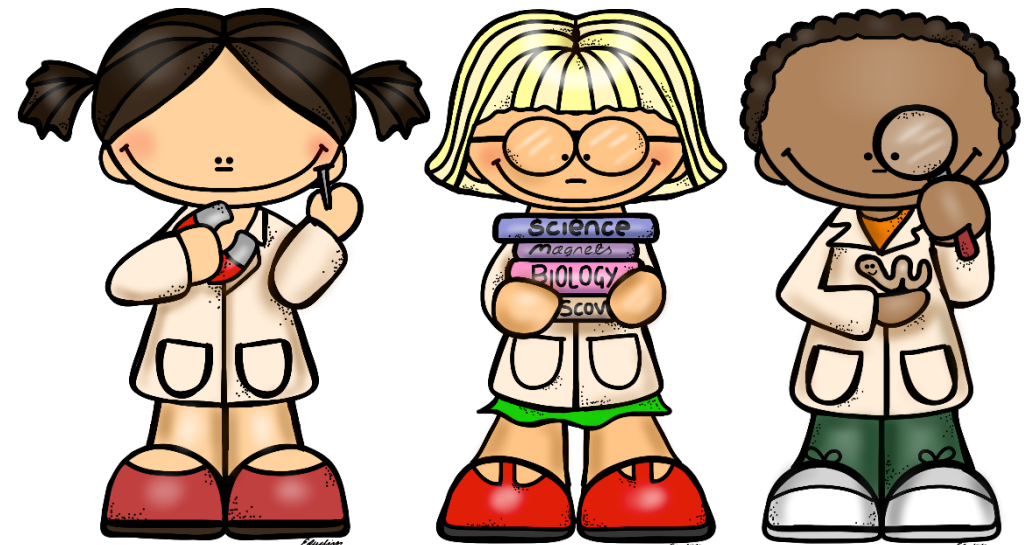
Science (including Project Lead the Way)

- Structure and Function: Exploring Design
- Pushes and Pulls
- Structure and Function: Human Body



Social Studies

- Follow Arizona Standards



We love STEM

Science Technology Engineering Math

- Integrate science and technology into reading and math
- Integrate engineering into science and math
- iPads for every classroom for all subject areas



Curriculum

Specials are on a 6 day rotation

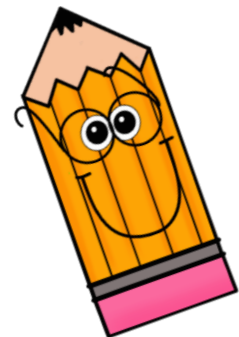
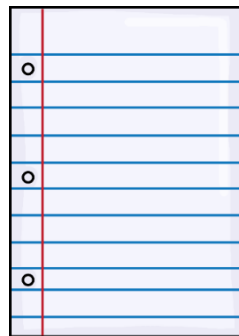
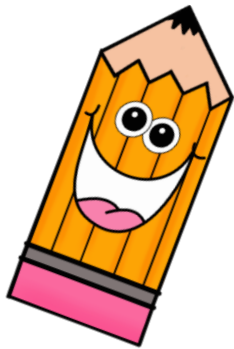
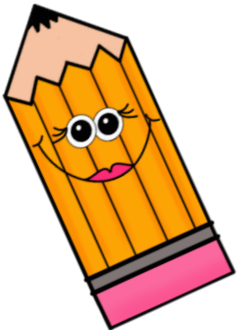
- Music and PE (2 times)
- Library (1 time)
- Technology (1 time)



Homework

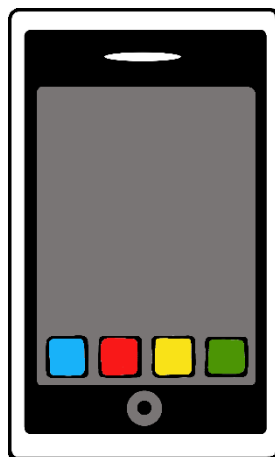
- Students will have homework every evening Monday through Thursday, beginning the second week of school
- Homework reviews and reinforces the concepts we are learning in school
- In addition, we ask that you read for at least 15 minutes each evening.
- Once a month we have family challenge homework. No academic homework is assigned that night. Families are given a suggested meaningful activity that focuses on one of the 7 Habits to complete together.

We follow the homework policies stated in the CUSD district handbook.



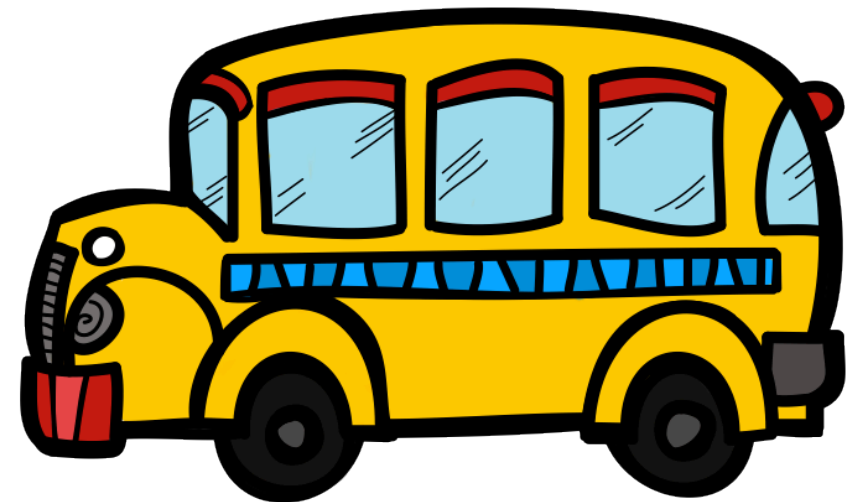
Communication

- There will be a weekly newsletter sent home via e-mail.
 - Please read it because it is filled with important information.
 - You can also find the newsletter on the kindergarten website
 - Newsblasts
 - Teacher webpage
- Each teacher has a personal page, and the grade level has a page



We work hard, but we still have fun!

- Field Trips
- Art Masterpiece
- Class Books
- Star Student
- Leadership Buddies
- Water Day
- Action Teams
- Holiday Celebrations
- And much more!



Dress Code

Monday through Thursday: Prescribed Uniform Dress

Friday: Standard CUSD Dress



Lunch

- The transition from home to school, and separation from parents can be difficult for students as they first start kindergarten.
- Students also need time to learn routines and procedures.
- For these reasons, we ask that parents wait to come and have lunch with their child until after the first two weeks of school.
- We offer breakfast and lunch
- Students can also buy just milk.



Supply Recommendations

- Water bottle labeled with name
- Pencil box 5 x 8
 - This helps to organize their pencils, crayons, scissors, and glue sticks
- Backpack
 - Small in size, but big enough to fit a 9 x 11 folder
 - We recommend backpacks without wheels. They are easier for the students to carry while walking in line and avoid tripping others.



How Can You Help?

PTO
Dad's Club
Site Council
Room Parent
Art Masterpiece
Classroom Volunteer
Library
Homework Completion
Special Events: Field Trips, Water Day
Home Projects
Donate Items



Things To Work On This Summer

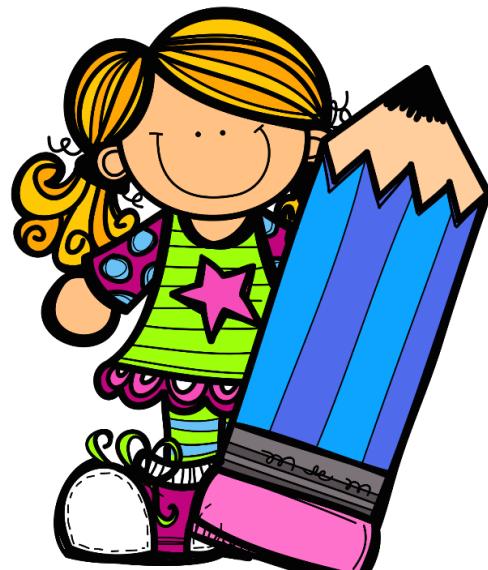
- Counting orally to 50
- Writing their name with correct casing Example: Eli Jackson
- Recognizing upper and lower case letters and numbers to 20
- Identifying shapes and colors
- Holding scissors and cutting correctly
- Being independent: tying shoes, zipping zippers, blowing noses, and handling bathroom procedures
- District Kindergarten Handbook
- Getting Ready for Kindergarten Packet
 - Will be e-mailed to you



KIST Testing

Kindergarten Individual Skills Test

We will send information about administering these tests when we receive it to those that are registered.



Important Dates

Meet the Teacher: TBD (typically 1-2 days before school starts)

First Day of kindergarten: Wednesday, July 2nd



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Questions

