



## Dasman Model School

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## Monthly Parent's Newsletter 1-2 Yellow (November, 2008)

Dear Parents

We wish all our Parents enjoyed their Eid holidays .

Thank You All For The Continuous Support!

Our Month (November)

### Language Arts -

Reading, Grammar, Writing and Spelling

Our language work will be related to word recognition and word meaning skills to read and comprehend text -

- Identify all letters, lower and upper case
- Identify all sounds, upper and lower case
- Understand words as well as pictures carry meaning
- Develop phonemic awareness
- Oral blending
- Word families
- Handwriting skills
- Dolch Words - Sight Words
- Build vocabulary through reading

We will be doing some activities, work-sheets and working on our books.

We continue to work on Moving into English Grade 1- Self Discovery. The lessons to be covered -

1. Down by the Farm
2. Look at Us!

Moving into English Grade 2 Unit 1 - Self Discovery. The Lessons to be covered

1. Our Needs
2. The Lion and the Mouse.

**End-of-Unit Assessment will be done**

We have started and will continue to work on spelling words of the week which go home every week. We read and recite them together and individually, we write and spell them.

**We will be having a reading test on Dolch Words (Pre-Primer list).**

To develop our phonemic awareness we are working on Phonics Practice Book and Spelling Book. This month we will be working on Consonant d/n, short vowel i. We will review Consonants m/s/t/c/p/h; Short vowel a/.

**Mathematics:**

Numbers and operations.

Our focus will be to develop basic counting techniques –

- count by twos, fives, and tens
- count a group of objects by ones
- count a group of objects by twos, fives and tens
- count forward and backward
- sort and classify objects by one or two attributes

We have started to work on Math at individual levels, work individually with each child or in small groups.

We continue to work on:

Spectrum Math Grade 1 & 2 (Book)

Saxon Math 1 & 2 (Program)

Additional worksheets from books and internet

We will be sending some worksheets as homework.

**Assessment: Written and Oral assessments will be regularly held.**

**Science:**

Unit B – Life Science (Animals are Living Things)

Chapter 3 – Animals (A look at animals)

Lesson 1: Animals are living things – Animals are living things

2: Mammals – Mammals have hair or fur and can move in different ways

3: More animal group – Birds, fish, reptiles and insects have special ways in which they are alike.

4: Grow and change – Animals grow and change in different ways.

Note: We will have regular assessment and tests.

Once again we would like to wish all our Parents a big Thank You for all your support and co-operation.

Homeroom Teacher – Mrs. Ravinder Kaur Sahni

Classroom Assistant – Ms. Dina Rafiq

Principal's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

