

# Dragon Class Newsletter January 2019

### Reading

In January, we are going to prepare for the reading contest and have a review on what we have learned in this semester. The English ability of all the kids have been improving.

Week 1: Review and prepare for the reading contest

Week 2: Review and prepare for the reading contest

Week 3: Review and prepare for the reading contest

Week 4: Review and prepare for the reading contest

#### **Phonics**

The students have finished the phonics book set for them, and we are going to do a lot of review during this last month of the semester. I will play a lot of review games, and do whiteboard activities to get them speaking.

I also will use the computer monitor in the classroom to read some fun phonics books together, and we will use the iPads to do some interactive work together.

We will use time for the speech contest, but I will also continue to do phonics work. While one student is rehearsing, the others will have worksheets to keep them busy and productive.

WEEK 1 to WEEK 4

Practice for speech contest.

WEEK 5

Review

#### Grammar

Hello to all parents! I am now the ESL grammar teacher. This month we will be preparing for the speech contest and reviewing the grammatical concepts taught this semester.

As always, best wishes,

Week 1: Prepare for contest

Week 2: Prepare for contest

Week 3: Prepare for contest Week 4: Prepare for contest

Week 5: Review

#### Composition

Composition class is a great opportunity for the children to put to use what they have learnt in other classes such as grammar and reading. In this class we are using two different angles to improve their writing skills. On the first week of every month we are using excerpts from the *Reading Wonders* book to help build a foundation in grammatical writing and get the students used to analysing short stories. In the other three weeks of the month the children then put what they've learnt into practice with a lengthier piece of writing such as a short story, a letter to someone or a recollection of their own experiences. The children will eventually become accustomed to structuring their stories with a beginning, middle and an end, and their best stories are chosen for them to memorise and recite in the end of term speech contest.

Week 1: Prepare for contest

Week 2: Prepare for contest

Week 3: Prepare for contest

Week 4: Prepare for contest

Week 5: Review



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### 主題閱讀

一月份我們即將展開演講比賽的準備。此外,我們也將複習這個學期學過的閱讀内容。孩子們的英文程度都有明顯的進步。

第一週 複習以及準備演講比賽

第二週 複習以及準備演講比賽

第三週 複習以及準備演講比賽

第四週 複習以及準備演講比賽

#### 自然發音

目前為止我們已經完成自然發音練習本的練習。一月份是這學期最後一個月,我們將透過遊戲複習所學過的内容、透過白板讓孩子們練習口說。 另外,我也會利用教室的電視螢幕一起閱讀自然發音讀本,使用 ipad 從事一些互動式的練習。在準備演講比賽的同時,我會繼續讓孩子們練習自然發音。當一個孩子在作演講演練時,其他的孩子則繼續完成學習單練習。

第一週~第四週

準備演講比賽.

第五週

複習調

#### 英文文法

各位家長大家好!我是 ESL 文法老師。這個月我們將準備演講比賽並且複習這學期所學的文法内容。

## 真摯的祝福!

第一週 準備演講比賽.

第二週 準備演講比賽.

第三週 準備演講比賽.

第四週 準備演講比賽.

第五调 複習調

#### 英文寫作

這堂課對孩子們是絕佳的機會,他們將在其他課堂中學到的技巧 (如文法與閱讀) 運用在寫作上。在這一堂課,我們將透過兩種不同的角度來提升孩子們的寫作能力。每個月的第一週為了建立更穩固的文法基礎,我們將透過主題閱讀教材中的內容分析短篇故事。在接下來的三個星期,孩子們將利用他們學過的內容寫出一篇較長的文章,譬如短篇故事、寫一封信或式回憶過去發生的經驗。孩子們將養成習慣,在構思故事時需具備起始、主文與結尾的內容。

最棒的一篇文章將被選為期末演講比賽的演講内容。

第一週 準備演講比賽.

第二週 準備演講比賽.

第三週 準備演講比賽.

第四週 準備演講比賽.

第五週 複習週