



Lion class newsletter

June & July 2019

Dear parents,

Graduation is upon us, and Daniel, Irene, Jenny, Jesse, Jessie, Lawrence, Tiffany, Wilbur and Yetta are quite excited and looking forward to giving their speeches and perform their last play at Marshall. I've been advised that graduation night is going to be full of excitement and joy amongst friends. These kids have become great friends and will definitely remember each other fondly in years to come. Getting organized for the coming activities is keeping me very busy. I believe these wonderful kids will shine like diamonds on the big day, and make their final days at Marshall a time they will not soon forget.

Teacher Joseph

Reading

Reading and reviewing these short stories is fun for lion class students. They enjoy rereading and reciting their favorite books. I highly encourage you, the parents, to keep these books out and easily accessible at home. I believe it will help your children enter into the English speaking mind frame on their own.

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Phonics

There are many poems and short stories in this book. I encourage you to keep this book easily accessible, so that your children will not soon forget about them. I realize that they will have a lot of new books when they start first grade, but reviewing the old books from time to time will reinforce their confidence in their English speaking/reading/writing ability.

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Core Material

These books are also great for reinforcing confidence in your children. Please don't discard them or bury them in a box. Familiarity breeds confidence, and they will need all the confidence they can get when facing the new challenges of starting elementary school.

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Writing

This book is great for learning the basics of writing. It doesn't, however, provide enough opportunity for beginning writers to practice to write clearly, within lines. It's great at providing grammar rules and exercises to improve correct logical writing ideas. Most of the students in Lion class need to improve their penmanship, in order for their writing to be more legible.

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Workbook

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Math

It's great to know that these students have a solid grasp of simple math equations before they enter elementary school. The somewhat simple lessons are a great way for these kids to figure things out for themselves and try to be helpful to the other kids who are slower to grasp the meaning of each lesson.

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Songs and Movement

Standing up, stretching and singing fun melodies is a great way to start the day at Marshall. I try to introduce new songs very often, and it's great to see which student prefers which song. I believe that singing new songs is a great way to enhance correct intonation and build vocabulary.

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Thematic Activity

Lion class enjoys the weekly arts and crafts activity of the thematic lesson. They love to think independently and create their own style of what the main theme of the week's subject matter is. The time they spend doing these activities seems essential to personal growth in their young lives.

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Physical Education

Getting outside to run and play is so important for everyone, not just kids. The enthusiasm Lion class has for outside activity is amazing. Staying active is what keeps us positive and healthy. And as their strength and endurance builds, the more positive and healthy they become.

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親愛的父母：

畢業即將到來，Daniel，Irene，Jenny，Jesse，Jessie，Lawrence，Tiffany，Wilbur 和 Yetta 非常興奮，並期待著他們的演講並在瑪歇爾演出他們的最後一場戲劇表演。我被告知畢業典禮會讓孩子們充滿興奮和喜悅。這些孩子已經成為了很好的朋友，並且在未來的歲月中肯定會相互記憶。為即將到來的畢業典禮來讓我非常忙碌。我相信這些美好的孩子們會在大日子裡像鑽石一樣閃耀，並在瑪歇爾度過他們最後的日子，他們不會很快忘記。

Teacher Joseph

Reading

閱讀和回顧這些短篇小說對獅子類學生來說很有趣。他們喜歡重讀和背誦自己喜歡的書。我非常鼓勵父母們，把這些書放在家裡，方便。我相信它會幫助你的孩子自己進入英語口語框架。

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Phonics

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Core Material

這些書也非常適合增強對孩子的信心。請不要丟棄它們或將它們埋在盒子裡。熟悉會帶來信心，在面對小學入學的新挑戰時，他們需要充分的信心。

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Writing

這本書非常適合學習寫作的基礎知識。然而，它並沒有提供足夠的機會讓作家開始練習在線內寫清楚。它非常適合提供語法規則和練習來改進正確的邏輯寫作思路。獅子班的大多數學生需要提高他們的書法，以使他們的寫作更加清晰。

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Workbook

Lion 課程在 K5 中使用的書籍都是很好的學習工具。他們處理的材料越多，他們就越能理解新的概念和想法。本書是新詞彙和有趣主題的優秀資源。

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Math

很高興知道這些學生在進入小學之前就已經掌握了簡單的數學方程式。有些簡單的課程是讓這些孩子自己解決問題的好方法，並試圖幫助其他孩子慢慢掌握每節課的意義。

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Songs and Movement

站起來，伸展和唱有趣的旋律是在馬歇爾開始新的一天的好方法。我經常嘗試推出新歌，很高興看到哪個學生喜歡哪首歌。我相信唱新歌是增強正確語調和建立詞彙量的好方法。

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Thematic Activity

獅子班享受主題課的每週藝術和手工藝活動。他們喜歡獨立思考，並創造自己的風格，主題是本週的主題。他們花在這些活動上的時間似乎對他們年輕時的個人成長至關重要。

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Physical Education

到戶外跑步和玩耍對每個人來說都非常重要，而不僅僅是孩子。Lion 課程對外部活動的熱情令人驚嘆。保持活躍是讓我們保持積極和健康的原因。隨著他們的力量和耐力的增強，他們變得更加積極和健康。

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