



Unicorn Class Newsletter

August 2019

Welcome to our new students at Marshall Kindergarten. My name is Teacher Mat and I am eager to meet every one of the new and interesting kids in our class this year. I look forward to getting to know each and every one of you, and your children as they start their first adventure in their academic career.

This first month we will wade into the water slowly as we don't want to make any of the new kids in the class too uncomfortable as we start with the basics of numbers, letters, and simple 3 letter words. We will also be practicing basic introductions and basic questions. Without too much ado, let's get into the basics and start talking about what the kids will actually be learning materials wise in the first month here at Marshall.

Reading Class

In our reading class we will be reading some very simple books for the first 4 weeks of class. These books are designed to be very basic and we will be playing lots of word games and flash card games in this class to help them remember the common words inside everyday.

Week 1- Lunch

Week 2- School

Week 3- I Can See

Week 4- We Like to Play

Core Materials

For the first month here at Marshall we will not even be opening our core materials books. We will just be playing letter recognition and memory games and singing the alphabet. I have lots of great games for the class to enjoy as they all learn the alphabet.

Phonics Class

I will be guiding the class through our phonics book for the first week, and we will be also using this class to practice the alphabet phonetically and applying what we will be learning in core

materials to our phonics class. I will be working with the kids in small groups at this point to make sure everyone understands and I get a chance to get to know everyone's styles.

Work Book

In our work books we will be studying a little bit of vocabulary and some simple grammar that will be linked to our conversation classes. I will try and link as much material in between our different classes as possible so that the students find a lot of repetition. This will help them remember the vocabulary words and grammar.

Conversation

In conversation class we will learn how to introduce ourselves and how to talk about simple objects. We will also learn about a and an in the first month and a few simple questions like "May I go to the washroom?" and "How are you?"

Math Class

In our math class we will start with simple shapes and colors. We will also be learning about the different types of lines we have from curved lines to straight lines. By the end of the month we will have worked our way up to numbers and some simple drawing exercises to help put what we learned together.

P.E. Class

In our P.E. class we will be doing some simple games that will use common verbs to help kids understand directions. This will be anything from Simon Says to The Zoo Races. We will be sharing our P.E. class time with Monkey class, so sometimes we will do activities together and sometimes we will do them apart but we will always try to have fun together outside.

Outdoor Playtime

During outdoor playtime we will allow the kids to release some energy in our supervised and controlled playground outside. We will be sharing the playground with Lion class, Monkey class, and Dinosaur class. There are always lots of teachers outside and camera's so that we can review any incidents that may occur

I believe that's everything! Most of all I hope that all the kids in our new K4 Unicorn class can have fun together and follow our class rules. Our rules in our class must be applied to everyone fairly and I hope the parents will agree that behaviour in the classroom must be kept at an acceptable standard so that we can maintain a positive learning and teaching atmosphere that will accommodate the many kids we have in our class.

I hope that our kindergarten will be a positive experience for the kids in our class and the parents too as your kids begin their journey on their way to being fluent in the English language.

Your kindergarten Teacher: Teacher Mat



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歡迎所有的孩子們加入瑪歇爾幼兒園。我是 Mat，在新的學年，我非常高興可以認識每一個新的和有趣的孩子。我期待著瞭解你們每一個人，以及你們的孩子，就此展開寶貝們的學習之路和第一次的大冒險。

第一個月我們會先觀察孩子的反應，慢慢調整學習的腳步，因為我們不想讓任何一位新的孩子，在課堂上感到不舒服、不自在，因此我們會從基本的認識數字、字母和簡單的 3 個字母的單字開始。另外我們還會練習基本介紹和日常的簡單會話。

就讓我們進入基礎的學習，並開始了解在這一個月孩子的學習內容和進度。

閱讀課程

在我們的閱讀課上，我們將在課程的前幾周閱讀一些非常簡單的書。這些書的內容是非常基本且生活話的，我們將利用玩大量的文字遊戲和快閃記憶卡遊戲，來加深孩子們對於一些常見字的認識。

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主教材課程

在學校的第一個月，我們還不會正式的使用主教材書籍。我們將只是玩字母識別和記憶遊戲，並唱遊 ABC 字母表。我有很多很棒的遊戲，協助孩子們學習字母。

發音課程

我將指導全班順利完成拼音練習本的第一週進度，我們也將使用這個類練習字母表拼音，並應用我們將學習的核心材料到我們的拼音類。在這一點上，我將和孩子們一起小團體工作，以確保每個人都能理解，我有機會瞭解每個人的風格。

練習本(Jump1) 課程

在我們的練習本中，我們將學習一些詞彙和一些簡單的語法，這些詞彙和語法將與我們的會話相關聯。我會盡量把不同課程中相同的詞彙或用法聯繫起來，這樣孩子們就會發現很多的重複。這將有助於他們記住詞彙和語法。

會話課程

在會話課上，我們將學習如何自我介紹，以及如何談論簡單的物品。在第一個月，我們還將瞭解 a and an 的用法，以及一些簡單的問題，如 我可以去洗手間嗎？你好嗎？.....等日常會話。

MPM 課程

在我們的 MPM 課程中，我們將從簡單的形狀和顏色開始。我們還將瞭解從曲線到直線的不同類型的線條。到這個月底，我們將努力達到學會數字和一些簡單的畫線練習，以結合我們學到的東西。

體能課程

我們將設計一些簡單的小活動，我會試著利用一些常用動詞來協助孩子理解。有時候我們會和猴子班的小朋友一些進行 P.E.課程，增加趣味和多變性，有時我們會把二班分開，進行不同的活動，無論如何孩子們可以在戶外享受大肢體的伸展和認識更多的朋友。

戶外遊戲時間

每天早上都有戶外遊戲時間，我們將充份的讓孩子們釋放一些活動力，並且我們會隨時注意著小朋友的安全。我們將與獅子班、猴子班和恐龍班共用操場。

以上就是大致的學習內容！最重要的是，我希望我們 K4 獨角獸班的所有孩子都能一起玩得開心，遵守我們的班級規則。我們班上的規則必須公平地適用於每個人，我希望家長們同意，課堂上的行為必須保持在一個可接受的標準，這樣我們才能保持一個積極的學習和教學氛圍，以容納我們許多孩子，在我們的班級。

希望經由學校的規劃和帶領，以及我和家長們給予孩子學習的陪伴，讓往後學習的路更寬廣更順暢。

Teacher Mat