

# B-2 Newsletter

August 30, 2021



Dear Parents and Guardians,

Our first week of school was fantastic! The students seemed very eager to be back in school. For the most part, we reviewed procedures and engaged in activities to become acquainted with one another. The next couple of weeks we will continue to build on and review our classroom and playground expectations.

**Home & Back Folder:** I'm so very impressed that the students all seemed to remember to take their folders home and bring them back to school this week. Great job! Thank you, parents, for remembering to read and sign the daily message.

**Parent and Student Daily Self-Assessment for Covid-19 Agreement:** This year Pleasant Valley School District requires students to be assessed for COVID-19 daily prior to entering the school. Please sign and return the agreement form if you have not done so already. I have sent home a copy of the 'Assess and Attest Form' to families who are still in need of turning this in.

## Homework:

Me Bags can be turned in any day this week (if haven't already).

This week's homework consists of completing a special poster project. Please see the attached letter before helping your child complete his or her "All About Me" poster. I encourage the students to work on their poster a little each night since there is no other homework this week. **Be creative!** The poster is due next Friday, September 10.

## Math:

For the month of September we will be reviewing addition/subtraction to 20 along with place value concepts. This week we will be starting our second grade math structure, Daily 3. Daily 3 is a framework for structuring math time so students develop lifelong habits of math fluency, problem solving, writing and working independently. Students select from three authentic math choices, while the teacher meets individual needs through whole-group and small-group instruction.

## Things to Remember:

- **After school assessments begin this week.** Over the next few weeks (today through September 22), I will be conducting reading assessments with students after school from 1:57-2:55. Please return your child's permission form to stay the extra hour after school on his/her assigned date. On the date of assessment, I will walk the students out through the front gate at 2:55. Please make note of your child's scheduled date.
- Back to School Night will take place via Zoom on the evening of Sept. 13.

## Important Dates:

- Sept. 10th- All About Me poster is due in class.

Sincerely,

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