

Kindergarten Early Literacy Intervention

Fremont Public Schools

To the parents/guardians of _____

Fremont Public Schools provides additional early literacy instruction to kindergarten students achieving below grade level expectations during the second semester of the school year. Based on early literacy assessments, your child qualifies for additional support at this time.

The reading specialist at your school will provide early literacy instruction in addition to the daily instruction provided by your child's classroom teacher. During early literacy intervention lessons your child will work in a small group with other kindergarten students and the reading specialist. Lessons will focus on the following early literacy skills:

- Learning letter names and sounds of the alphabet
- Blending sounds to make words
- Using 1-1 matching (pointing to each word) while reading
- Practicing grade appropriate high frequency words
- Articulating and recording sounds in words while writing

Homework may be assigned to your child by the reading specialist. Please make sure homework is completed and returned to school.

The following at-home activities will help your child:

- Reading to them as often as possible for enjoyment and experience with books
- Learning letter names and letter sounds of the alphabet
- Practicing letter formations and writing ideas/stories with help

Sincerely,

Classroom Teacher

Reading Specialist

Principal

Please return the second page of this letter to your child's classroom teacher