

Letter to the Family



Dear Family,

Welcome to _____. I look forward to a successful year in _____ . To prepare our students for future challenges in math, we have chosen a program that includes an active approach to learning problem-solving skills.

Our textbook, published by Prentice Hall, is a student-centered program. Its style leads students to the discovery of mathematical ideas. Then, once they've discovered these ideas, they communicate what they've learned, and apply what they know. It asks them to solve problems individually and in teams. It focuses on real-life situations to help students appreciate the power of mathematics in their daily lives.

Our goal is to build a partnership with family and community members. Together, we can create a learning environment that really helps our students. Throughout this school year, you will be invited to participate in school events and home/school projects. Periodically, your child will bring home activities for you to share and experience as a family.

We welcome any suggestions or comments you have about our program. If you have questions about your student's activities in math class, please feel free to call me at _____. If I am busy in the classroom, please leave me a message. In your message, let me know the best time to return your call. You can also write to me at _____.

I look forward to working with you to bring about a rewarding, successful school year.

Sincerely,
