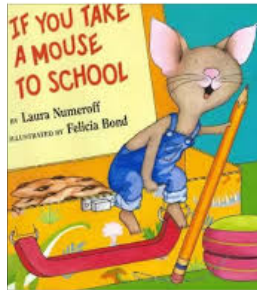


Summer Reading Assignment 2023-2024
Upcoming First Graders
Lighthouse Christian Academy

Dear Parents,

I am so excited for your student to join first grade at LCA. There are several activities you can do to prepare your student for first grade. The best way you can help prepare your student for 1st grade is to read, read, read! Some other activities are: run and play outside, get off the electronics, jump rope and count as high as they can, practice rhyming (Dr. Seuss books are great for this), play eye spy, count change, have your student help write the grocery list, and practice fine motor skills with small Lego, scissors, or play dough.

All incoming first grade students are required to read 10 books of their choosing in addition to:



If You Take a Mouse to School by Laura Numeroff
ISBN: 978-0439442602

Included you will find a form to log the books read. Titles need to be written on the log by your student in their best penmanship. (This will be their first penmanship grade.) Books do not need to be long or difficult. Your student can read to you, read with you, or you can read to them. Have your student read the stories out loud and help them sound out any words they get stuck on. Talk about the stories, did they like it? This will be the first reading assignment grade of the year.

Students are also to complete the attached written assignment. The sentences do not need to be long; however, they need to be complete sentences in their best penmanship. This will be their first writing assignment.

Students also have phonological awareness work to complete. This is an assignment which requires no writing but is very important. To demonstrate completion, you will need to audio record 3 days of assignments and email them to me at c.wasnesky@lcacademy.org. These activities should not take more than 2-3 minutes each day. This will be the first phonics grade for the year.

All assignments are due the first day of school.

Blessings,
Christine Wasnesky
First Grade Teacher

When you take a kid to school...



In the space above, draw a picture of something you like to do at school. In the space below, write two sentences in your best handwriting describing what you like to do at school.



Handwriting practice lines consisting of solid top and bottom lines with a dashed middle line. There are five sets of these lines provided for writing.



Name _____



Books I read this summer.



Write the title and last name of author of each book you read. Color in the happy face if you liked the book; color the sad face if you didn't. I can't wait to see what books you like to read! Happy reading!



Example: If you take a Mouse to School _____ Numeroff  



1. _____  



2. _____  



3. _____  



4. _____  

5. _____  

6. _____  

7. _____  

8. _____  

9. _____  

10. _____ 