

Dear Family:

A new school year has been launched! This year, I shall be using a program called Foundations® to teach some important basics of reading and spelling. However, I am going to **need your help**.

We know that when a child has a “Coach” in addition to a classroom teacher, the child makes significant progress. We will work together as a “team” – I shall be the teacher, and you the coach.

I will do my best to provide you with the necessary tools to take on that role. I shall keep you informed of “what is happening” in the classroom and provide suggestions and a guide as to “what can be happening” at home.

I look forward to a very successful year as we work together with your child in **Foundations**. We will have fun teaching and helping your child build a strong foundation for literacy!

In the next letter, I shall share with you Unit 1 and its related activities.

Once again **thank you** for your interest and cooperation.

Sincerely,



