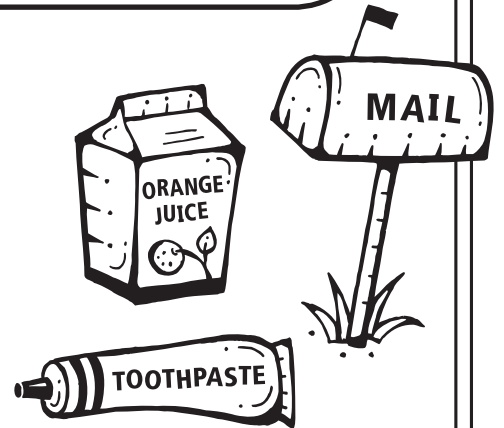


Dear Family,

This week _____ will celebrate what we have learned about letters and words. Using the topic "Now I Know My ABCs," we will read alphabet books. You can help your child learn more by talking with him/her about the things he/she is doing at school and the new letters and words that he/she is learning. Here are some ways that you can work with your child at home.



Think Talk &

Can you see some words in our home?
Do you know the names of some of the letters in those words?
What other letters do you know?

Home Activities



L/Hunt

Look around your home for objects whose names begin with small *l*, such as *lamp* and *lock*. Write the names of the objects on index cards. Help your child write small *l* in each word. Post the labels near each object.

Patterns

Look for patterns around your house and name them with your child. For example, say *The wallpaper pattern is green, white, green, white*. Look for more patterns in photographs and illustrations in books you read together.

What I Learned

Here is a note from your child and her/his teacher.



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