Dear Family,

Your child’s science class is beginning a unit called “Looking at the Sky.” In this unit, children will learn about the different kinds of weather and the sky in the day and at night. They will investigate winter weather, spring weather, summer weather, and fall weather. Children will discover what kinds of things they can see in the sky, and how the night sky differs from the day sky. Children will study the Sun as it appears in the sky during the day.

For this unit, we’ll be using the materials listed below. Would you be willing to donate any of these items? If so, we’ll need to receive them by _________________.

- thermometers
- shoe boxes
- self-seal plastic bags
- paper towels
- spray bottles
- lima bean seeds
- washcloths
- straws

Do you or other family members have a special interest in weather or the sky? Could you help with activities? If so, please fill out the form below and have your child return it to class.

Thanks for your help!

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Your name ___________________________ Child’s name ___________________________

Home phone _________________________ Work phone _________________________