


NJJS ESL NEWSLETTER

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2学期がスタートしました。新しい仲間を迎え、児童生徒たちは気持ち新たに元気いっぱい学校生活を送っています。今月のNJJS ESL NEWSLETTERでは、8月の学習状況と9月の学習内容についてお伝えします。

September

Grade 1 - 3

<p>Nancy</p>	<p>Welcome to another trimester. Your children continue to do a wonderful job. They are all trying to speak English. I am very proud of them. We are almost finished learning the sounds of the letters. Soon we will begin to focus more on learning to read easy words and stories. Please remember to have your children complete their computer homework each week. If, for some reason, they can not do this, they can read a book instead (or you can read one to them.)</p> <p>In August we:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• began studying family vocabulary.• practiced how to describe people. <p>In September we will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• continue studying family vocabulary.• continue learning how to describe people.• complete activities about apples.• learn about fall.• begin learning how to write a simple sentence.• practice for the Maple Festival, if necessary. 
<p>Sandra</p>	<p>Welcome back! I am so happy to see all of your children. It was really nice hearing all about their summer vacations. All of the students did a great job completing their summer homework.</p> <p>Thanks for all of your continued support, and I am looking forward to an exciting fall.</p> <p><u>In August we:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Wrote and talked about their summer vacations• Started a few new spelling units• Practiced writing in complete sentences after reading a short passage• Continued to practice daily conversations <p><u>In September we will:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• We will learn some new vocabulary words associated with fall and practice using those words in sentences• Continue with our weekly spelling units• Continue to read short passages and practice writing in complete sentences• Practice for the Maple Festival

Robin

The class is off to a great start. I hope everyone enjoyed their summer. It was so nice to see how much summer homework your children completed. They did a great job! We will be starting a vocabulary workbook. The class will complete some pages with me in class and receive a page or two for homework at times.

In August we:

- wrote a descriptive paragraph about summer vacation, and then each student read it to the class.
- read a fable called *The Goose that Laid Golden Eggs* and learned about the moral of the fable.
- learned about comparing and contrasting topics.
- read *Scholastic News* and completed comprehension activities.

In September we will:

- read different styles of poems and write a poem.
- learn about antonyms and synonyms.
- read a book and complete reading comprehension questions along with summary writing.
- practice for the Maple Festival.

