



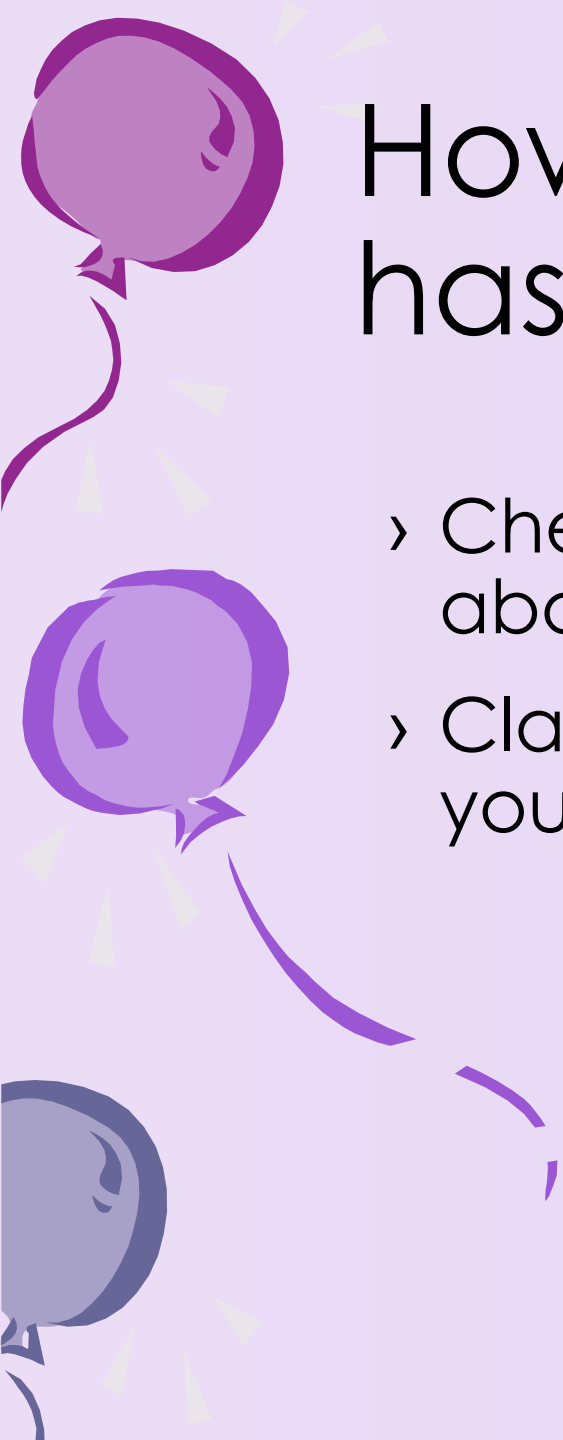
Parent Academic Information Night

September 16, 2019
Miller Elementary



Tonight's agenda

- › Welcome – Parent engagement initiative info
- › Power point presentation
- › Breakaway
 - Reading EIP teachers
 - Math EIP teachers
 - Grade level teachers
 - Exit surveys (complete and turn in before leaving)



How will I know what my child has for homework?

- › Check the agenda EVERY NIGHT! It contains info about homework, assignments, and behavior.
- › Class Tag, class dojo, Remind, or some similar app your teacher may use.

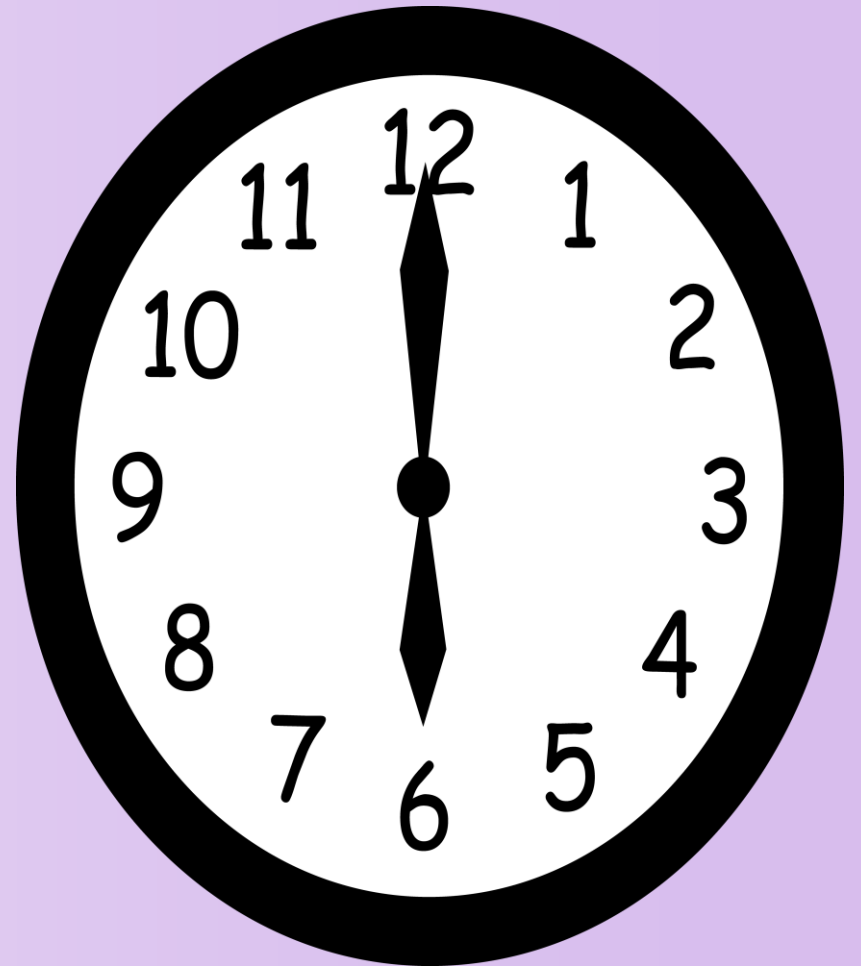
Start with organization



- › Provide a regular place for homework that is:
 - Always in the same place
 - Quiet
 - Comfortable
 - Well lit
 - Has proper materials (pencils, paper, etc.)
 - Has no nearby electronics

Timing is important too...

- › Provide a regular or set time for homework
 - As soon as they get home or after a small snack
 - After dinner (enough time to wind down but early enough to not go past bedtime)
 - Use a timer to indicate that it's time to start homework
 - Do “harder” homework first





What should I do to help?

- Be positive about homework (don't use as punishment)
- Be a role model (when they read, you read), or read together
- When they ask for help, provide guidance not answers (help them remember strategies they have learned)
- Work with your child's teacher & stay informed
- Check your child's agenda **every night** (And Wednesday folders **every Wednesday**)
- Sign up for Class Tag



Grade level homework activities

› Pre-K

- Read with your child every night
- Practice writing & drawing
- Teach them independence
- Teach them self-control
- Practice letter/number identification and counting
- Teach them to listen & follow directions

› Kindergarten

- Read with child every night
- Practice counting to 100
- Homework folders go home on Fridays
- Practice on Istation every night



Grade level homework activities

› First grade

- Practice sight word list every night
- Complete reading log and sign after each book
- Ask comprehension questions after reading
- Complete math strategy sheet
- Practice number counting chart

› Second grade

- Homework is given on Mondays & due on Friday (math, ELA & sight words)
- Read from bag of books daily (at least 20 minutes)
- Ask comprehension questions from bookmark



Grade level homework activities

› Third grade

- Students are to read every night and complete 1 reading response from the choice board.

› Fourth grade

- Read a minimum of 20 minutes each day
- Practice reading passages and comprehension questions daily
- Use writing checklist to help student to write correctly
- Practice writing constructed responses using examples



Grade level homework activities

› Fifth grade

- Woodard: homework is given Mon. & due Fri.
- Green: homework is given daily due the next day (unless it's a project)
- Williams: homework is given daily & due the next day



Parent Resources

- › Your child's teacher
- › Parent resource center
- › School's website
- › www.gadoe.org
- › Math news newsletter
(every 9 weeks)
- › Parent academic events
here at Miller

Breakaway and exit surveys



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