## My Class Rules

- 1. Respect your classmates and teacher
- 2. Treat everyone equally
- 3. Raise your hand to speak
- 4. Be patient and wait your turn
- 5. Be honest and not cheat
- 6. Remember to smile

# Nursing Home Project

On Monday of each month the first and second grade we will go to Grace Living Center. The students will sing songs and greet the residents. Around the holidays the students will make projects at school to give to the residents. I would appreciate help in transporting the class to the nursing. I will send out a sign-up sheet for any volunteer drivers. The first trip will be in September.

# Book-It Goals

The Book-It program will start the first of October. Each month a calendar will be sent home with the reading goal stated on it. Whenever the child has met the goal, sign and return the calendar to school. The child will receive a pizza certificate for achieving the goal. The child should be returned by the first Wednesday after the last day of the month. You may return it earlier, if it is finished. The first goal is 200 minutes a month or 15 minutes a night. The goal will increase most months. The reading homework assignment does not count for Book-It.

#### Field Trips

We will go on one field trip every nine weeks for a total of four field trips. We will go to the Oklahoma City Zoo during the first nine weeks with the first grade class. The other three field trips will be announced later in my weekly notes. A note will go home prior to the field trip outlining where we are going, what we will be doing, the cost of the trip, and how many drivers we will need.

# **Birthday Parties**

Birthday parties are allowed in the classroom. If you wish to have a party for your child, please contact me to set up the date. The time for the parties will be at 2:40. That gives 20-25 minutes for the party. Children are not allowed to bring gifts for the birthday person. Also, please do not bring goody bags for each child to the birthday party. This is a school policy. Cake,