



CLASS PARENT SUGGESTED ACTIVITY LIST

These are just some suggested activities you can bring to your classroom teacher. Please don't feel the need to do all (or any) of the activities on this list, but this may be helpful to start to assist your teacher in your class parent role

- ✓ Curriculum Aligned Activities
 - Find activities that align with the classroom curriculum (reading units, science units, social studies units, etc.)
 - This can be anything from a nature walk to acting out a section of stories to activities about historical figures

- ✓ At Home Class Prep
 - Teachers have a desire to do special activities in school but don't have the time to prepare. Ask your teacher how can you help them by preparing things from your home? Often this is just cutting and counting.
 - Ever get a worksheet home that looks like it was created 20 years ago? See if your teacher has any sheets that need updating.

- ✓ Help set up REMIND app
 - This app is used for sending out reminders for class events.
 - You and your teacher could share information on this app easily with other parents through texts messages or notifications. This information could be a way to communicate if there is a class party, or guest speaker and you can help other parents stay informed of class events

- ✓ Special Guest Speakers / In-Class activities
 - Invite parents to come in to speak about their careers to the children, or a special talent they can show or teach to the kids. You could reach out to other parents to have them come into class to be a "mystery reader" where the kids have clues to guess who the parent is (shhh, don't even tell your child if you are the mystery reader) or another literacy/learning activity.
 - Help co-ordinate parents to come into the class room for: Seasonal Crafts, Potlucks, hands-on math

- ✓ Parent Help with the Class Bulletin Board
 - You could reach out to other parents to volunteer and come up with a theme for that month's class bulletin board or ask the teacher what they are currently teaching and the parent and your teacher could brainstorm the bulletin board together.
 - This can be done with the teacher and either during or after school hours.