Ms. Pablo's 1<sup>st</sup> Grade Parents & Students:

This year, I am trying a new classroom management tool called ClassDojo. ClassDojo is a web based program which allows teachers to track students' behaviors (positive AND



negative) easily and efficiently. The program is based on points, and students can be given positive points for things like being on task, persevering, being respectful, participating, or working hard. On the other hand, points can be taken away if students are off task, talking out, or unprepared. My goal is to fully implement the program right away, but please bear with me as I am learning as we go! ③



Students have been already added to the system. There are two codes, one for the student and one for the parents. These codes are on the next page. Please activate immediately. Activating is very easy and at no cost to you.

On the site, students are able to see how many points they have and which positive behaviors are noted. Also, they will see which negative behaviors are noted and what areas they need to work on. Every 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday of the month, students will be able to "cash in"

on their points for different prizes and coupons.

One of the greatest features of ClassDojo is that it allows me to send parents a "behavior and skills report" every Friday by e-mail. All you need to do is use the parent access code to get signed up. My hope is that this will help you better understand the progress of your student's behavior on a week-to-week basis.

Check it out now and see how they did today!

It's going to be a fantastic first grade year, *Ms. Pablo*