

Dear Parents,

Over the past 2 weeks we learned all about blends. Now we would like for your child to practice using them and show us that they understand blends. We are sending home a PROJECT for you and your child to work on together. It will be due on Friday, February 1st. This will give your child plenty of time to have this completed. This will count as a **test grade** and it is very important for this to be done. First of all, it will help your child develop phonemic awareness of beginning blends, it will help him/her organize material, and follow directions, but most of all it will give your whole family an opportunity to work together and do some school work that can be fun.

Please give your child some magazines that can be cut up. He/she will need a full sized sheet of poster board. Any light color will do. Scissors, school glue, and a magic marker for labeling will be needed.

There are 12 r and l blends. I am asking that your child find **4 pictures for each one** of these blends. Example: bl: blouse, black, block, blonde. The title of the project is Beginning Blends. Please help your child use a ruler to draw 12 equal size sections to put the small pictures in and allow a space for **labeling each picture.**

Here is the list of blends for the poster project:

br, cr, dr, fr, gr, pr, tr, bl, cl, fl, gl, sl


Please remember that this project is due on Friday, February 1st. Magazine and newspaper pictures, coloring books, and computer graphics may be used. Give your child plenty of time and enjoy the work!

Thanks,

The First Grade Teachers

(Please see the reverse side for an example of what the poster board should look like.)

Beginning Blends

br  brush and 3 more	cr 4 pictures here labeled and so on and so on and so on.	dr	fr
gr	pr	tr	bl
cl	fl	gl	sl

*Please note that there should be four pictures in each box.
Each picture should be labeled in child's hand writing.

Beginning Blends Poster Project

Name _____

Due Date **Friday, February 1st.**

Your child has been given a test grade on the Beginning Blends Poster Project.
The grade was based on the following points:

_____ 96 points (4 pictures and labels (the name of the picture written by the student. NOT PRINTED BY COMPUTER OR DONE BY PARENT for each of the 48 pictures)

_____ 2 points (using the correct materials and following **all** directions)

_____ 2 points (neatness)

_____ (Total)

100 points

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