

# Mrs. Almonte's

## Frequently Asked Questions

### **Bible**

The Bible memory information of what we will be studying throughout the whole school year was sent home with each student on the first day of school. There were three sheets stapled together. The 8 catechism questions, a list of the Bible books, and the 10 commandments.

The catechism questions are learned by adding two new ones each quarter.

The books of the Bible are learned by adding a few books at a time. The Old Testament "OT" will be studied the first and second quarters and the New Testament "NT" will be studied in the third and fourth quarters.

The Ten Commandments are learned by the first four for the first quarter and two new ones will be added each quarter.

The students recite the information to me at the end of the week. If any of the information is missed, I will send home a little note to let you know what the missed information is. The students have the whole quarter to make up any missed work.

### **Behavior Chart**

The behavior chart is a great way to encourage the students to have a great attitude. I have used this system for a long time and it has worked great for me. I do pull cards for various reasons. I like to keep the situation under control by keeping the consequence of the action at school if at all possible. If the child continues to display the same action, I will contact the parent for help in getting the behavior under control. If a child does do something very serious, the parent will be contacted as soon as possible, either by a phone call or a note home.

### **Help Needed**

I do write on the student's work when there is something that a student needs to work on.

### **Phonograms**

We do many different activities to reinforce the phonograms. If your child is having trouble learning the phonograms it may be that your child may just need some time to learn them. If you think your child needs a little extra help you may want to get an order form for a CD of the phonogram sounds from the school office. You may also want to sit in on a class to see how we study the phonograms, or set up a conference with me about ways you can help your child study. To set up a conference, please call the school office.