



This book was created in response to a school survey conducted in the fall of 2007. After reviewing the results, the School Community Survey Committee developed a plan to create a "Parent to Parent" network beginning at the Kindergarten level. This book represents feedback from current Kindergarten parents and staff on what parents wished they had known before their student entered Kindergarten.

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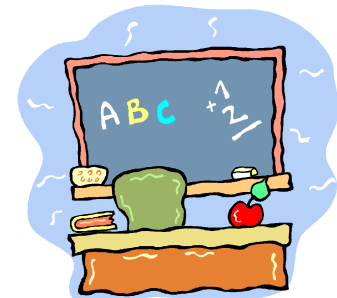


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I'm Ready For School When...



My name is

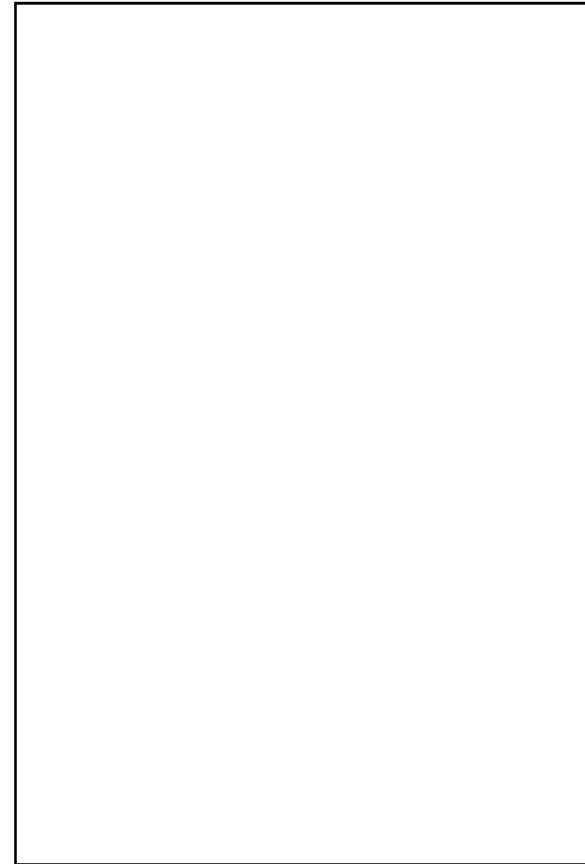
I'm Ready For School was created for you and your child to enjoy together. Read through the book with your child. Help your child to complete each page. As you work through the pages we hope this will help you think about the skills your child needs to be ready for Kindergarten.

Establishing healthy sleeping and eating routines before school starts will create a smoother transition when Kindergarten begins. Have fun helping your child become familiar with their letters, numbers, shapes and colors.

You are your child's first teacher. We hope this book will help you and your child prepare for a successful Kindergarten experience.

In the middle of the book you will find pictures to cut and paste on each page. Please paste the pictures in the correct boxes

Draw a picture of yourself.



Now, I'm Ready!

If you have any concerns about your child's development contact your child's school and ask for a screening.

I'm ready for school when.....

I have had 10 to 12 hours of sleep.

Sleep
Paste picture here

To get ready.....

I will know my numbers 1-10.....

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
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I'm ready for
school
when.....

I have had a
healthy meal.

healthy meal

To get ready.....

I will name my
uppercase letters....
(Capital)

H	O	S	F
U	Y	P	L
C	R	W	N
X	B	K	E
M	G	I	T
Q	A	Z	D
J	V		

To get ready.....

I will name my
lowercase letters...

h	o	s	f
u	y	p	l
c	r	w	n
x	b	k	e
m	g	i	t
q	a	z	d
j	v		

I'm ready for
school when.....

I wash my hands
and face

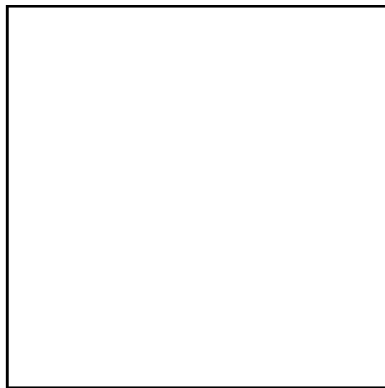
hands	face
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and comb my hair
and brush my teeth.

hair	teeth
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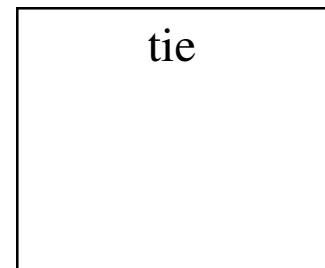
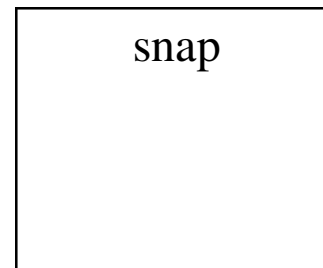
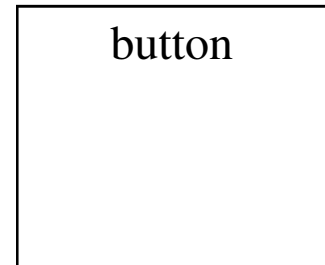
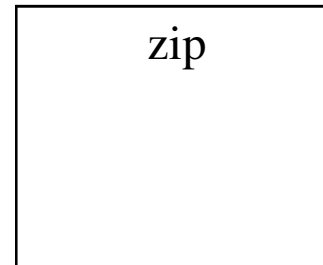
To get ready.....

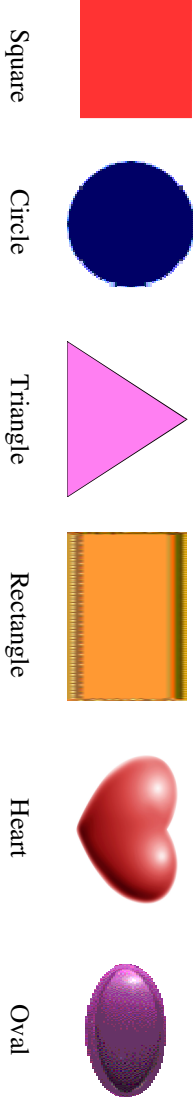
I will be able to tell my
parent's name,
address and
telephone number



I'm ready for
school
when.....

I can zip, button,
snap and tie.





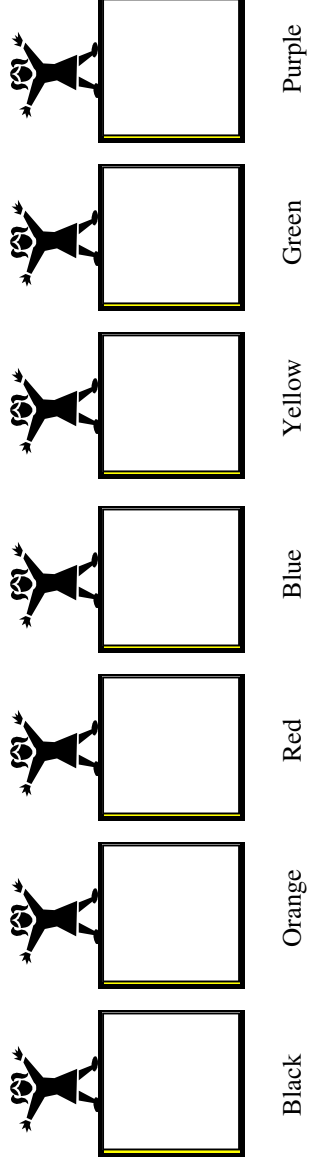
To get ready.....
 I will know my shapes.....



To get ready.....

I will know my colors.....

**Parent helps child color in corresponding squares
 and name colors.*



To get ready.....

I will cut, color and paste these pictures...

Cut, Color and Paste



Address



Phone



Parents

