

October 27, 2009

Dear Team I Parents,

We are *very* excited to announce that your child will now have the opportunity to improve their reading skills at home using a software program called **Lexia**. As a part of our reading curriculum at school, many students are currently using Lexia to develop the essential reading skills necessary to become successful readers. Lexia is a research-based software program that helps students rapidly develop reading skills in a *very* dynamic way. The software is able to adjust to the *specific* needs of each student as they progress through the system.

Students will be using Lexia at school and they can continue completing the same lessons at home. The program will provide teachers with very detailed reports on your child's progress in reading and areas where more practice is needed.

Using Lexia at home is your choice. Your child will still have all the benefits of Lexia if they only use it at school. However, you will find that your child will be very motivated by the software and it can certainly reinforce the reading instruction they are receiving at school. Reading is a skill that is taught in a variety of ways and Lexia is just one more tool we believe works well for many students.

Attached you will find all the necessary instructions to get started using **Lexia** at home. Lexia works with both Windows and Apple and only requires downloading and setting up an application to get started.

Important: Lexia is intended to be used *independently* by your child with no assistance from parents or siblings. Please allow your child to work in the program at their pace. You may encourage your child but please allow them to work independently. The software will monitor progress and only allow students to progress when they have mastered a skill.

If you need technical support installing the program please call Lexia Learning support at: 1 (800) 507-2772 (8:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m. EST)

Sincerely,

Team 1 Teachers

School Setup Information

School Customer ID **8608-4379-4133-9999**
(Please include dashes.)

Student Login: first initial last name
(i.e. Henry Jones would login as: hjones)
Password: welcome