

DEAR PARENTS,

In our classroom this year, you will have the opportunity to participate in a sure to be student favorite activity- Mystery Readers!

On specific days, we will host parents, grandparents, siblings, neighbors, etc. to bring in and read aloud a favorite picture book to the class. Students will love when their family members are the Mystery Reader and all students benefit from an adult sharing their love of reading.

Because this is a mystery, all information must be kept TOP SECRET from your child, including the date you are coming and the picture book you will be reading. A week before you are scheduled to come in, I will send home a letter via e-mail or paper copy (depending upon your preference) asking for five clues about yourself. These clues will be read to the class before your arrival to build suspense and keep the students guessing about who our Mystery Reader will be! If you need help choosing a book, I am happy to help!

Please see our Mystery Reader Sign Up, under the volunteer link on our class web page, for available dates and times. We will be looking for volunteers throughout the year so if a time this month doesn't work for you please check back frequently for new dates and times. You are also welcome to stop by or send me an email or secret note if you have a specific day you are available and would like to come be a Mystery Reader. Because our schedule, we may not be able to have a reader at specific times during the day, but I willing to do my best to accommodate your schedule.

Please let me know if you have any questions and I look forward to seeing you in class this year!

Sincerely,

Miss Larrinaga

