This is a newsletter template from Microsoft Word. When changes have been made, be sure to save as a PDF before putting into a File Library in Schoolwires. For directions on how to upload class newsletters into Schoolwires, go to the Schoolwires page on Hardware & Software Tools in the Technology Department online.

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Every article you post needs its own title. It’s also a good idea to use clip art and graphics to illustrate themes, activities, or events. When you don’t have enough text, fill empty spaces with graphics or classroom photos.

Keep the tone simple and positive. Occasionally you might need to remind parents about classroom rules.

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This Week’s Assignments
This week in Science we will be studying animals, including dinosaurs and pets, as well as astronomy. Children will be required to complete an in-depth science report on the animal of their choice by next Wednesday morning. Our trip to the zoo on Thursday may inspire some creative choices!

We will also work on geometry problems in Math homework. In Social Studies, we will read a book about the culture of the Inuit people, who used to be called Eskimos.

Reminders to Students
- Bring money for field trip lunch
- Bring umbrella in case it rains
- Think of a costume for Friday’s assembly

Reminders to Parents
Your child will need the following supplies this year:
1. backpack
2. 3 spiral notebooks
3. 1 box of pencils
4. erasers
5. rulers
6. compass
7. lunch box

This Week’s Highlights

**Monday**
Today we are learning about dinosaurs.

**Tuesday**
Today we are learning about pets.

**Wednesday**
Today we are learning about the solar system.

**Thursday**
Today we are going on a field trip to the zoo.

**Friday**
Today we have a special guest from the fire department to tell us about fire safety.

Upcoming Events

**Classroom Open House**
Tuesday, September 6, 7:30 P.M.

**Ice Cream Social with the Faculty**
Friday, September 9, 5 P.M.

**School Assembly**
This week’s school assembly is on storybook characters. Children may dress up like a character on Thursday. (You might want to bring a change of clothes for the rest of the day.) Costumes can be as simple as a hat or a small picture of your character pinned to your shirt. Have fun.

Thank You Students!

Special thanks are due the following students:

**Jay Adams** for volunteering to clean up after the fall open house.

**Kari Hensien** for donating her checkers set to recess.

**Alan Shen** for baking us his grandmother’s chocolate chip cookies last week.

Thank you also to **Ms. Brown** for bringing in the travel posters to decorate for open house.