

SAMPLE

LOGISTICS:

- Gather students in a circle.
- Prepare the morning message on a piece of chart paper or on the board.

Morning Meetings

at KME

MORNING MESSAGE:

August 1, 2019

Dear New Friends,
As we get to know each other and build community, I am noticing that many of you already have many friends. To help us to continue to get to know one another, let's collect some data on our class.

Write your initials above your favorite sport.
Let's see our results.

Sincerely,
Your teacher

Our Favorite Sports

Soccer swimming baseball basketball football softball other

GREETING

Students say, "Good morning" to person on their left and person on their right. They must include the person's name (even if they have to ask for it) and then give a Micro-wave (waving with the pinky).

SHARING

Students are given a moment to think about their answer to the question: What do you like to do on the weekends and why? Teacher gives answer first, modeling a complete sentence. Go around the circle until each student has a chance to share.

ACTIVITY

Play Group
Counting. Choose a number to which the class will count, maybe the number of students. Any student may call out a number at any time. However, the numbers need to be said in order and each student may only say one number. If two students say a number, start over.

MESSAGE

Do a choral reading of the morning message. Work with students to identify parts of the message (date, greeting, body, closing, and signature). Complete the activity together and analyze the results.