

October 15, 2002

Dear Parents,

The students in Ms. Smoyer's and Mrs. Davis' class will be beginning their study of economics. As part of this study we are designing a unit which will involve having the students develop and sell their own products in groups. We have come up with a list of supplies that each group will need to develop their product. We are asking you to donate one of the supplies listed below if possible.

magnetic tape (can be found at Wal-Mart)

small or large googly eyes

craft pompoms

We ask that you send these items to school by Tuesday, October 22 so that we have time to bag them before the project begins.

At the close of the unit the students will be able to spend their profits in a souvenir store. We would like to offer juice boxes, bagged snacks, cookies, candy bars, pretty pencils, stickers and small trinkets for sale. If you would be willing to donate any of these items, it would be greatly appreciated. Please send these souvenir items to school by Friday, November 22 so that we can inventory them and plan what we will have to purchase ourselves. Thanks again for any help that you can provide to make this unit successful.

Thank you in advance!!