Business Day

In our classroom, students have the opportunity to earn "money" by completing weekly jobs. This class cash can be used to purchase various school supplies and/or privileges from the teacher. Once a student earns \$80.00, he/she may choose to purchase a business license from me and create a business portfolio. If a student has a business license, it allows him/her to bring in handmade goods to sell for class cash on designated Business Days. If your young entrepreneur wishes to create something for business day, please supervise and help out, but be aware that this is your child's experience and I expect them to do most of the creating. Please do not agree if your child comes home and asks you to make a craft for them. This is his/her project!

It is also important that students learn the skill of planning ahead and managing their time. Students will know when business days are at least 2 weeks in advance (I am also enclosing a schedule here and posting it online). If your child mentions the night before at 8:00pm that they need to come up with something for tomorrow, please do not feel obligated.

I like to encourage students to be creative in what they sell. For allergy and safety reasons, no food please (including baked goods to be sold). Also, no glass products. In the past, students have made bookmarks, bracelets, posters, ornaments, sun catchers, magnets, and many other things. Let your child's imagination soar!

Our first business day will be Friday, October 4th. I will post reminders in the classroom for the students.

If you have any questions regarding business day, please email me!

| Business Day Schedule (Optional Activity-More Info available on our class website and at Back to School Night) |
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| Business Day # 1: Friday, October 4th |
| Business Day # 2: Friday, November 22nd |
| Business Day # 3: Friday, January 24th |
| Business Day # 4: Friday, March 6th |
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