

Dear Parents,

Tonight is your child's night to enjoy a sleepover with Freddy the Frog! Everyone is so excited for their turn!! 😊 My hope is that your child will develop a sense of urgency and excitement about writing through Freddy.

In the front of this notebook, I wrote an example of an appropriate entry. Please encourage your child to stretch their words and write the sounds that they hear. Please do not tell your child how to spell the words or let him/her copy your writing! This is a growing experience and I want the Kiddos to do as much thinking and responding as possible on their own, but not to the point of frustration. Some children will only write a few words about their night with Freddy and will spend more time on a small picture. Others will write a lot and will do little illustrating. Either choice is fine! **Please limit the entry to one page.**

Once your child has finished his/her writing, please write the "book spelling" or correct spelling underneath. Your child will read his/her entry to the class and your spelling will allow me to help if the decoding gets tricky. 😊 Please make sure to return the backpack, journal, and Freddy on the next school day for another child to enjoy.

Thank you for sharing this experience with your child. Have fun!

Mrs. Nelson



Dear Friend,

When I go with you to stay at your home,
please take good care of me - don't leave me
alone!

Take me with you to watch what you do,
don't leave me in a backpack the whole night
through.

Let me come out to see where you stay,
to see what's for dinner and what games you
play.

Tonight when you're finally ready for bed,
help me write what we did, and then rest your
head!

Thanks for a frog-tastic time!

Love,
Freddy the Frog

*P.S. Please remember the rule... tomorrow I have
to be back to school!*