

Learner Development

Title of Artifact: Classroom Newsletter **Date Completed:** Fall 2013

In Educational Psychology, we had to create an informational classroom newsletter of any elementary grade that was for the parents of our students. The newsletter had to include physical, social, moral, emotional and cognitive development of a typical child in this particular grade. It also had to have home learning activities and we had to note growth variations for parents to observe. I chose to do my newsletter on the typical first grade student.

This artifact best aligns with the Learner Development standard. We had to understand how learners grow and develop, recognize the patterns of learning and development within and across the cognitive, linguistic, social, emotional and physical areas. I feel that I met all of these points in the newsletter and that the parents will learn more about their first grade child with it.

I enjoyed making this newsletter and it was an informative assignment to get to do seeing as we will be making many of these to come in our future. If I would do anything different, I would make it be front and back instead of all the information on the front. When I am a teacher in a classroom setting, I will have much more information to put in the newsletter such as: lunch menus, important dates and etc.