# MAURY SNEAK PEEK

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**SUMMER MUST DO'S! Do the following to ensure your child is ready for Kindergarten:**

- Read for 45 minutes each day (includes independent reading and reading with an adult)
- Identify his/her first and last name (being able to write name is a plus!)
- Identify numbers to 10
- Identify letters A to Z (upper and lowercase)

MAURY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

## WHERE ARE WE GOING IN KINDERGARTEN?

### Literacy:

- Identify letters and sounds
- Identify rhyming words
- Read independently and with a partner for 30 minutes
- Write stories across pages
- Author studies
- Poetry writing and reciting
- "Star Books" (every day reading of classics and favorites) with reading response journals

### Math:

- Identify numbers to 20
- Skip count by 2s, 5s, and 10s
- Count to 100
- Digging deeper into the terms "same" and "different"
- Compose and decompose numbers to 10
- Create number bonds

### Social Studies:

- Symbols of our country
- Community
- Careers

### Science:

- Living things
- Observe and record like real scientists
- Five senses
- Scavenger hunts

## SPECIAL OFFERINGS FOR KINDERGARTNERS:

- Field trips to the pumpkin patch, Botanic Gardens, Building Museum, Natural History Museum, Discovery Theater and National Arboretum
- Writing unit publishing parties (including a poetry slam!), museum walks and Kindergarten promotion at the end of the year

If you have further questions about Kindergarten, please contact Ms. Battle at Shirley.battle@dc.gov or Ms. Vick at mamie.vick@dc.gov