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*“Developing our students’  
knowledge, skills and talents  
to the fullest so they  
can make the world  
a better place for all”*

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Dear Parents.

This month we are celebrating **Perseverance** as our **IALAC** theme. In school we are encouraging children to continue their hard work in and out of school. As we are now entering our last term of the school year we are encouraging the children to work as hard as they have all year long. This is not easy with the beautiful weather that we have been waiting so long for.

When talking to your child about perseverance remind your child that no matter how difficult a task is to not give up and do your best.

We appreciate any time that you might be able to spend with your child in discussing how perseverance pays off in the end.

Some suggestions might be:

- When something doesn’t work right try and try again.
- Don’t lose your temper when something upsets you.
- Always finish what you start.
- Keep working at something that is difficult until you complete it.
- Don’t give up on difficult jobs of situations.
- Work a little harder of a few minutes longer on a task that you do not like.

Thank you for your help and continued support.

Yours in **IALAC**,

Patricia Scales and the Dawson Elementary School Staff