

You Don't Have Much to Spend... Spend Wisely!

WHAT TO DO:



- * **Take advantage of the library!** Our Futura library has many useful items for a great classroom, such as:
 - conversation balls
 - flyswatters
 - microphones
 - white boards
 - stickers
- * **Dollar Store/Doller Tree & Goodwill** are a great resources for classroom items also!
- * **Skip the paper!** Your classes should be FUN, so worksheets are completely unnecessary.
- * **Utilize your families!** Ask parents to send their children with a healthy snack each week.
- * **Bring culture into the classroom!** Cultural reinforcements are a great way to teach various topics.
- * **Use your money to make you a better teacher!** Create visuals to enhance learning such as flashcards and postcards.

WHAT NOT TO DO:

- * **Don't go snack crazy!** Don't buy costly items for snacks. Instead buy in bulk for those students that forget—Like boxed raisins.
- * **Don't give a sticker/prize for EVERYTHING!** Students go through the whole day at school without stickers/prizes, so it is okay to play a game and not to give the winners something each time.
- * **Don't stock up on craft items!** Crafts are a very small portion of our classes, so utilize the Futura library to pick up items instead of splurging on materials.

