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Boys & A Love for Reading



Can these two concepts really go together




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"We're investing in our "Greatest Resource"Our Children!"


THREE MOST IMPORTANT WORDS IN EDUCATION

- *Relationships*
- *Relationships*
- *Relationships*




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Children.....



- **Don't Care How Much You Know**
- **Until They Know How Much You Care!**

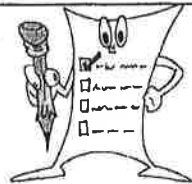


CHARACTERISTICS OF KINDERGARTEN BOYS

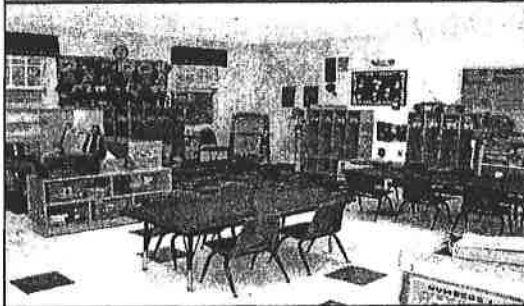
- Enjoy movement
- Enjoy music
- Enjoy sports
- Enjoy competition
- Very energetic

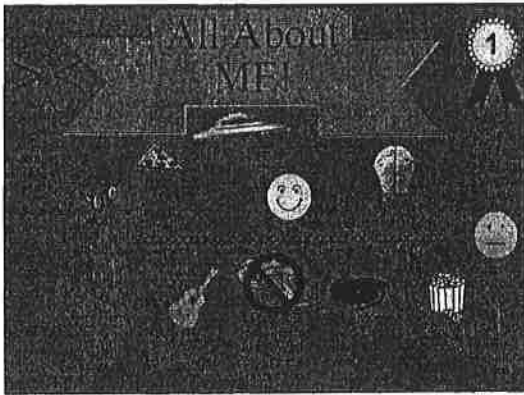


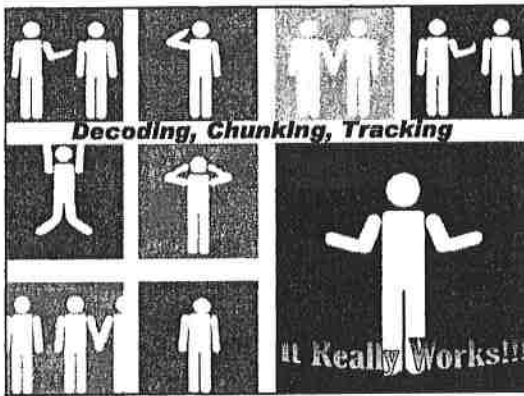
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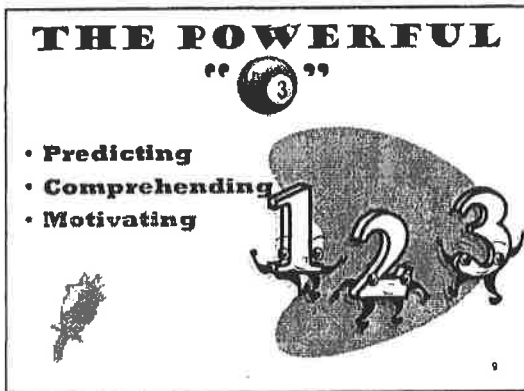


The Need for a Stimulating Room Environment










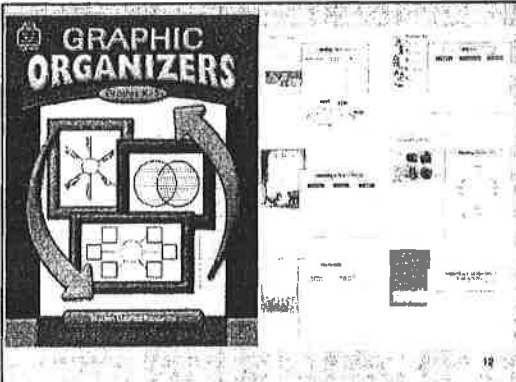


**The
Interpersonal
Way
of
Teaching
Reading**



- **Journal Entry**
- **A
Journal
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