100th Day of School

RIF EXTENSION ACTIVITIES FOR EDUCATORS

For more ideas, look at the book—it's full of fun activities!

CLASS TIME CAPSULE

Materials: large box, envelopes, paper, markers, pens

Have students make predictions about the last day of school. How will things have changed by then? What do they want to have learned? What are their goals? What are the best and worst parts of school right now? Let them write letters to their future selves. Seal the letters in envelopes and put them into a class time capsule. At the end of

the school year, return the letters so children can see how far they've come.

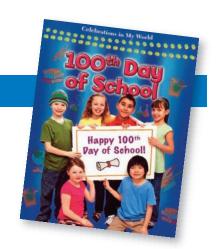


HELPING HANDS WALL

Materials: bulletin board or butcher paper, paint

Cover one wall with paper. Let students dip their hands in paint and make handprints on the wall. Make sure there are 100 handprints. Have children count as they go.





GET IN (NUMBER) LINE

Materials: paper, markers, tape

Assign each student a set of numbers from 1-100. (For example, one student might have 1-7, the next 8-14, etc.). Have them make a number line with their numbers on white paper. Let them decorate it. As a class, put all the number lines together in the right order and tape them up on the classroom wall.

ESTIMATION STATION

Materials: clear jars, various small items (dry beans, jelly beans, paper clips, etc.)

Fill 5-10 jars with small items. Only 1 jar should have exactly 100 items; the rest should be off by at least 10 items. Let students guess which jar has 100 items.

IN 100 YEARS...

Have students write stories or draw comic strips to show what a day in the life of a normal student will be like 100 years from now.

