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**1st Quarter Poetry Recitation**

*Please help your child memorize one of the following poems. Initial and return this form to school when your child is ready to recite to the class.*

**#1 Back to School #2 Ways to Remember**

*Author Unknown Author Unknown*

Today I hurry off to school, Which one is my left hand?

To work and learn and play. It’s sometimes hard to know.

I’m in a brand new grade this year. But I have a special way

What a happy day! That I will share and show.

Put both hands out in front of you.

Then it is easy to tell.

‘Cause when you straighten out your thumbs

The left hand makes an “L”.

**Evaluation Criteria: Meets the standard – 20 points**

**Progressing toward the standard – 10 points**

**Does not meet the standard – 0 points**

Posture: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Accuracy: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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