



The 'Lion' And The 'Rat' Teach Kids To Read

FARMINGTON Farmington reading specialist, and under the direction of Larry Freedman, assistant superintendent of elementary education, the program is divided into two parts, initial concept and beginning reading programs. THE INITIAL concepts program teaches children the concepts of color, size, positions, amount and shape. This is followed by pre-math instruction which teaches equal and unequal amounts, sizes and shapes.

The last unit of this program is pre-reading, which teaches initial consonants. The beginning reading program teaches children the alphabet and beginning word attack and comprehension skills. After successful completion, a kindergarten child should be able to read about 100 sight words. A reading specialist is available at each building to assist teachers in the program.

Teeple's Back From Army

Sgt. William Teeple, son of former Farmington Township Supervisor and Mrs. Earl Teeple, has returned home after three years of U.S. Army service. He plans to return to Central Michigan University in January in quest of a law degree. Teeple qualified as a radio operator, medic and an assassin in the Green Berets. Later he served as a Ranger in Vietnam. During the phasing out in Vietnam, he flew daily missions to treat natives for their illnesses and to utilize medical supplies which otherwise would have been destroyed. He wound up Army service as an instructor at West Point Military Academy.

TOM PELON, a kindergarten student at Longacre Elementary School in Farmington, learns reading skills from teacher Audrey Bowditch. The new reading program is federally funded.

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