## WHAT'S INSIDE THE ENVELOPE?

- 1. You will need a large manila envelope.
- 2. Place Topic Frames and Topic Photos inside the envelope.
- 3. Place Elkonin Boxes and three objects such as pennies that
  - students can push for each sound in the word.
- 4. Student writing journals should be included in the envelope.

## **COMMON CORE CONNECTION**

- \* RF.K.2d Isolate and produce initial sounds (phonemes) in three-phoneme words.
- \* RF.K.3a Demonstrate basic knowledge of one-to-one letter-sound correspondences by producing the primary or many of the most frequent sound for each consonant.
- RF.K.3c Read common high frequency words by sight. (e.g., the, of, to, you, she, my, is, are, do)
- ❖ L.K.1a Print many upper and lower case letters.
- ❖ L.K.1f Produce and expand complete sentences in shared language activities.
- ❖ L.K.2a Capitalize the first word in a sentence and the pronoun I.
- ❖ L.K.2b Recognize and name end punctuation.
- L.K.2c Write a letter or letters for most consonant and short vowel sounds (phonemes).