Third Graders

Third graders cut apart each of the letters in THIRD GRADERS and place the squares in a bag. Kevin pulls out one square and looks at the letter.

- What is the probability that the letter he pulls out will be the letter, D? Explain how you know.

- What is the probability that the letter he pulls out will be S? Explain.

- On Friday, his teacher says that if anyone can correctly predict which tile he or she will pull out of the bag of THIRD GRADERS squares, the class will not have any homework over the weekend. She asks Kevin’s table to predict for the class. They are nervous because the class is counting on them to say the right letter.
  - Which letter should Kevin’s team predict that they will pull from the bag?
  - Explain how you know that the students should predict this letter.