

# Welcome to Kindergarten!

Dear Parents/Guardians & New Friends,

Welcome to Kindergarten! My name is Mrs. Terinoni, and I will be your child's Kindergarten teacher. I hope your summer is going well and you've had some time to play and relax. I am looking forward to what is sure to be a wonderful year!

We will have a **Kindergarten Orientation on Tuesday, September 3<sup>rd</sup> from 9:00-9:30 AM in room #3**, followed by presentations by school administrators, nurse, and school counselor in the all-purpose room from 9:30-10:00AM. It will be an informal opportunity for you and your child to visit the classroom.

**The first day of school is Wednesday, September 4<sup>th</sup>.** Our day runs from 8:50AM - 3:40 PM. Kindergarten is a fun and eventful year. We will learn many new things and build strong friendships in our classroom. I want you to be ready for the first day, so here is a list of supplies you will need on September 3<sup>rd</sup> (*Please label all items*).

- **LUNCH** - For the first few days of school we encourage all parents to send a lunch rather than use our hot lunch program. Please label the bag/box "lunch" along with your child's name.
- **SNACK** - Send a small, healthy snack each day. Please label it with your child's name and write "snack". Please place it in a *separate* bag from the lunch.
- **BOOK BAG** - Please label with full name and be sure it is large enough to safely carry a folder, projects, and belongings.
- **SNEAKERS** - To be worn on assigned GYM days. We will send home a schedule of the specials.



The following is a list of items that your child will use in our classroom throughout the year. These items need to be labeled with your child's name:

- 1 - 100 Sheet Hard Cover Marble Composition Notebook
- 2 - Pocket Folders of choice
- 1 - Art Smock (large, old t-shirt works well)
- 1 - Hard Plastic Pencil Case (measuring at least 8.375"Wx5.625"Dx2.5"H)
- 1 - Pair of 5" Blunt Tipped School Scissors
- 1 - Pack of Crayola Washable Markers
- 4 - 24 Box of Crayola Crayons (one for each marking period)
- 8 - **Jumbo** Glue Sticks
- 1 - Pair of Personal Headphones
- 1 - Bottle of All-Purpose Wipes
- 1 - Bottle of Hand Sanitizer with pump
- 2 - Large Boxes of Tissues



I look forward to meeting you, and working together to create an enriching and joyful first experience for your child.

I am excited to meet you and your child at our Kindergarten Orientation on Tuesday, September 3<sup>rd</sup>. ***Please bring all supplies to school that day!***

I am looking forward to what is sure to be a wonderful year! Enjoy the rest of the summer!

Sincerely,

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