

# Welcome to Kindergarten

## Required Supply List:

Please see the below list of supplies that we would like to see your child bring to school by the first week. We would like your child to be prepared for kindergarten with all the necessary materials to ensure an exciting and meaningful learning experience throughout the school year. We thank you in advance and appreciate your support and understanding.

- White, **1"inch**, 3-ring binder w/**clear front sleeve** - (1)
- Sheet Protectors - (50 Top Loading Sheets)
- **Plastic** two-pocket folders - (1 red, 1 orange, 1 yellow, 1 green, 1 blue) - (5)
- Dry erase expo markers - (6)
- Fine point felt tip markers in **black** - (3)
- Highlighters - (4)
- Glue sticks - (8)
- Plastic pencil box (8in L x 4in W x 2inH) – (1)
- Box of **24** Crayola crayons only - (2)
- Pencils - (5)
- Erasers - (2)
- Pencil sharpener - (1)
- Pair of scissors - (1)
- **Wide Ruled** spiral notebook - (2)

## Skills to know:

Please see the list below of some of the necessary skills you may review with your child over the summer. Daily review of these skills will help your child be better prepared in the fall.

1. Be able to state first and last name when asked.
2. Be able to write first name with first letter upper case and remaining letters lower case.
3. Count to at least thirty and tells what number comes before or after a given number to 20.
4. Identify basic shapes
5. Know basic colors
6. Identify numerals 1-10 in random order.
7. Make most letter/sound matches.
8. Identify most upper and lower case letters.
9. Use finger to accurately touch count items to ten.
10. Retells simple stories in sequence.
11. Use restroom independently including washing hands without reminder.
12. Clean up after themselves.
13. Be able to hold a pencil.
14. Tie their shoelaces.

### Suggested Summer Reading List:

One of the best things you can do with your child is to read with them. Summer reading helps children get excited about reading and attending school in the fall. Attached you will find a list of suggested books that are appropriate for your child to read, or for you to read to them.

- The Busy Body Book by Lizzy Rockwell
- I Will Never Not Ever Eat a Tomato by Lauren Child
- I Spy School Days by Walter Wick & Jean Marzollo
- What the Sun See/What the Moon Sees by Nancy Tafuri
- Do Unto Otters by Laurie Keller
- The Very Hungry Caterpillar by Eric Carle
- The Apple Pie Tree by Zoe Hall
- Growing Vegetable Soup by Lois Elhert
- Like Me! by Nancy L. Carlson
- I Like to Be Little by Charlotte Zolotow
- Just Me Books by Mercer Mayer
- Ten Little Fish by Audrey Wood
- Who Will Be My Friends? by Syd Hoff
- Each Peach Pear Plum by Janet and Allan Ahlberg
- Gregory the Terrible Eater by Mitchell Sharmat

### Teacher Wish List:

Please see the below list of items we will need in our classroom this year. It is hard to predict everything we will need or how much of any one thing we will use, but any donations would be greatly appreciated.

- Kleenex (10 Boxes)
- Elmer's Glue sticks (100ct.)
- **White Card** stock paper (10 packets)
- Dry erase markers (20 ct.)
- Pencils (Ticonderoga preferred - 100 ct.)
- Plastic sheet protectors (10 packets)
- Erasers (50 ct.)
- Baby wipes (10 packets)
- Paper towels (10 packets)
- Ziploc bags
- Band-aids (100 ct.)
- Potting soil (Large pack)
- Crayons
- Hand soap & Hand Sanitizer
- **Colored Cardstock** Paper (5 packets)
- Multi- Color Construction Paper (5 packets)
- Clorox wipes (5 packets)

