

June 8, 2021

Dear Parents and Guardians:

Plans are underway for the 2021-2022 school year. The first day of school for your child is Thursday, August 26, 2021. Later this summer, please look for more information from the school, in regards to COVID- 19.

Supplies/ Items needed for Kindergartners are as follows:

- ⇒ **Regular sized pencil box** (the long ones won't fit in their cubbies)
- ⇒ **Headphones** (Dollar Tree has them)
- ⇒ **2 -Two pocket folders** (different, the plastic ones last much longer)
- ⇒ **Scissors** (blunt end)
- ⇒ **LOTS of Pencils** (NO mechanical) Please restock regularly!
- ⇒ **2- Large erasers**
- ⇒ **5- 24 packs of Crayola crayons** (This should last the year, any extras will be sent home in June.)
- ⇒ **2-boxes of washable markers**
- ⇒ **1- pencil pouch** (for markers)
- ⇒ **12- Glue sticks**
- ⇒ **1 Large boxes of Kleenex**
- ⇒ **2- one subject notebooks**
- ⇒ **1-coloring book** (For read aloud and free time)
- ⇒ **1 box of Sandwich sized Ziploc bags**
- ⇒ **1 box of Gallon sized Ziploc bags**
- ⇒ **Clorox Wipes**
- ⇒ **Water Bottle** (Your child will be allowed to have a water bottle at his or her desk. We will NOT be allowing access to the water fountains in the school due to COVID-19. The bottle MUST have a flip top or a pop-top lid (no screw tops) and will ONLY be filled with water.)

⇒ **FULL SIZED book bag** (the smaller ones are cute but will NOT fit many things in them). It should fit a folder in it with no problem.

⇒ **Optional: Hand Sanitizer**

Please DO NOT send in colored pencils, or pencil sharpeners, as they are not needed in Kindergarten.

- There is a snack every morning and afternoon in Kindergarten. Each day please provide two healthy snacks for your child. Please DO NOT send in juice.
- Physical Education is Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursdays. Students need to have their sneakers on those days. They may keep them in their cubby, especially during the winter months. **Your child needs sneakers that they can put on INDEPENDENTLY.** Tying is a skill that is not taught in the curriculum and needs to be learned at home.
- Please send in a change of clothes for your child. This should include a pair of pants, shirt, underwear, and socks. Please put these items in a **LABELED large gallon sized Ziploc baggie!**

Have an enjoyable rest of summer! There will be some kind of orientation before school starts. We don't know if it will be in person or a welcome video; posted online and sent out through email, a few days before school starts. I look forward to seeing your child on the first day of school. If you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to email me.

Sincerely,

Chantalle B. Cote
Kindergarten Teacher
chantalle.cote@schoolunion122.net