

# FIRST GRADE Suggested Supply List

The following is a list of school supplies that you may wish to purchase for a successful school year. Please do not label items with your child's name unless noted to do so below. Thank you!

1. One pair of headphones to use in your child's iPad (labeled with child's name)

2. One plastic pencil box (labeled with child's name)

3. 12 sharpened pencils (preferably Ticonderoga)

4. One pack of black Expo Dry-Erase markers (any size)

5. One pair of Fiskar's student scissors (blunt tip)

6. Two packs of Elmer's glue sticks (6 or more in a pack)

7. One set of Crayola watercolor paint

8. One pack of colored Highlighters

9. Two boxes of 24-count Crayola crayons

10. One box Crayola Markers

11. One box Crayola colored pencils

12. Two boxes of Kleenex tissues

13. One pack of Paper Mate Pink Pearl erasers

14. One pack/container of baby wipes

15. One pack/container of Clorox disinfecting wipes

16. One box of gallon and/or quart baggies (male students)

17. One box of sandwich and/or snack baggies (female students)

18. One composition wide-ruled notebook (labeled with child's name)



- The items listed above will be collected from each student during the first week of school in our classroom. There is no need to put your child's name on any items besides your child's headphones, pencil case, and composition notebook.
- Donations of chalk, balls, jump ropes, or other outside items are wonderful for additional recess choices for our classroom.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR HELP!

We appreciate your donation to our classroom!

Dear Future First Grader,

**CONGRATULATIONS** on your Kindergarten celebration! You have worked hard all year and learned so much with Mrs. Herppich, Ms. Mezser, and Ms. Barshaw. It may feel bittersweet finishing up your year in kindergarten, but we are **SUPER EXCITED** to have you join our first grade classrooms in the fall. We will become a new classroom family, and we'll work together to build a community full of bright and kind first graders!

As your future teacher, we encourage you to continue practicing your school skills over the summer. Please get your summer books ready so you can pick one up, find a comfy spot, and **read, read, READ** every single day! You can visit your local library to find some awesome books, too! Don't forget to practice your adding and subtracting facts over the summer as well. You can grab some paper to write your numbers and solve some equations any time! It would also be a fantastic idea to keep a journal of your favorite summertime activities to continue developing your writing skills! You can write a couple of sentences each week and draw a picture to remember all the fun that you'll surely have this summer!

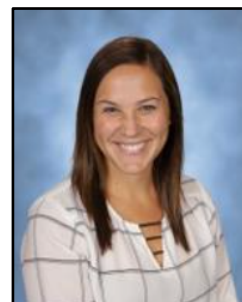
We know that shopping for **school supplies** is a fun and exciting time, but it can be stressful to not have an idea of what you'll need. To get a head start on your suggested school supplies for first grade, you will find a copy of our supply list on the back of this letter. Please have fun with your school shopping and pick out the supply colors of your choice! If there are any changes, your first grade teacher will inform you of their specific needs once school starts in the fall.

Lastly, we wish you a joyful and relaxing summer filled with outdoor play, sunshine, and memories. Be sure to spend quality time with the ones you love and return in the fall with a super smile on your face that's ready for **FIRST GRADE!**

Love,



Mrs. Churray



Mrs. DeWitte



Mrs. Schmidt

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