

Dear Kindergarten Parents of the 2021-2023 School Year,

As we get ready to begin this special new journey with your children there are things that can be done to help prepare for a more organized start. As you can imagine, the first few weeks can be hectic as we settle into our routine, collect all forms, sort through supplies etc. Once all this is out of the way, we will fall into a comfortable rhythm.

Please note....

1. Your child will go home on the 1st day of school with a folder that will contain a packet of information/forms. Please read it carefully and return all forms ASAP.
2. On the school website you will find a supply list of items needed for the year. The **brands** are specific (Ex. Elmers, Crayola) as well as the **sizes** of the requested supplies. We are attaching our supply list with this note for your convenience.
 - **Do not send in scented anything**- not crayons, glue sticks or scissors. Apparently, this is popular now.
 - Send in **all** quantities of the supplies requested (all 6 glue sticks, 3 packs of jumbo crayons, etc.) We want these supplies to be readily available in school for when replacements are needed.

*Separate supplies should be made available at home for homework or possible remote days.

*Please put all supplies in a zip loc bag (or 2 if needed) with your child's name on it.

3. All supplies are needed on **Monday, September 12th** .
4. Other requested room supplies (paper towels, etc) that you will find listed in the packet that will be sent home, **SHOULD NOT** be brought in the first week because there are too many other things to collect.
5. Please make sure that the school bag you purchased is a regular size-not the smaller ones used for the very young children

More information to come at our Open House Meeting (Date to be Announced).

Looking forward to working with you,
K teachers

An Early Welcome to Kindergarten 2022-2023 School Supply List

Dear Parents,

In order to help your child be prepared for September, please ensure that your child has the supplies listed below for when school begins. Most of these supplies can easily be found in Staples, Target, Walmart or online at Amazon. This year, St. Nick's also has availability to order needed supplies on line through the school. Please be aware of the specific sizes of each item listed. All items must be handed in with your child's name on them so I can keep track of what was brought in.

- 1 pair of Fiskars brand safety scissors (pointed tip)
- 1 zippered soft flexible pencil case (plain solid color)
- 3 packs of Crayola brand jumbo crayons (5" x 9/16" size) 8 standard colors
- 6 glue sticks Elmer's brand (disappearing purple) .77oz size
- 1 first grade notebook with 1 inch ruling with $\frac{1}{2}$ inch red margin (skip a line composition book- green marble cover) 24 sheets inside
- * • 1 large sized plastic solid color work/supply box – 7 3/4" long x 11 1/4" wide x 2 3/4" high
- 3 (12 pack) boxes of BEGINNER pencils with erasers (diameter $\frac{13}{32}$ " size width)
- 1 box of Crayola (24 color count) crayons
- 1 package of Crayola twistable crayons (8 color count)
- 1 package of Crayola twistable colored PENCILS (12 color count pack) **MUST BE TWISTABLE – NO NEED FOR SHARPENING**
- 4 PACKS OF 100 COUNT 9 x12 size WHITE ONLY construction paper
- 1 pack of 50 COUNT 12 x 18 size WHITE ONLY construction paper

Supplies needed at home for homework etc: extra scissors, glue, crayons, pencils

***Extra classroom supplies/ fees will be included in the welcome packet that will be handed out on the first day of school.

Thank you,
K. Teachers.