



Dear Kindergarten Families,

Welcome to Kindergarten, I am so happy to be your child's teacher! As your teacher, my first priority is to make your child feel welcomed, valued and safe.

This will be a wonderful year of learning, fun, and an incredible year of change. Together we will guide their social, emotional, intellectual, creative and physical development. We will achieve this through an appropriate balance of cooperative learning, exploration, whole group lessons, center activities and creative learning opportunities. As your child's capabilities develop, so will my expectations.

You will be amazed to watch your child mature as a student, friend, reader, thinker and so much more. I feel that open lines of communication between you, your child, and me are the keys to cultivating this growth. As parents, you are your child's first teachers. As your child's newest teacher, I would like to benefit from your experiences. Please take the time to fill out the attached "Let's Get Acquainted" sheet. To further ensure a smooth transition, fill out the contact form and the first few days dismissal document. Please take note of our very own Kindergarten class supply list and the common Kindergarten supply list. All forms and supplies should be brought to school on our first day meeting one another.

Enjoy the rest of your summer. I look forward to seeing you in September when we begin our Kindergarten adventure!

Fondly,
Ms. Katie-Anne Torres

Ms. Torres's

Supply List

Please purchase all of the supplies on the common Kindergarten supply list and the additional supplies below.

Supplies <i>*Only these items need to be labeled with your child's first and last name</i>	Quantity
Sturdy plastic folders with three fasteners in the center*	2
Gallon size Ziplock bags	1 box
Quart or Sandwich size Ziplock bags	1 box
\$10.00 in cash to be brought in on the first day of school	
Change of Clothes including an Extra Fitted Mask* Please include shorts and long pants in addition to a shirt, socks and underwear. Place these clothes in a labeled Ziploc bag. Place the extra fitted mask in a separate small labeled Ziplock bag.	1 full set 1 mask

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These are the common supplies every kindergarten teacher kindly requests. There will be an additional supply list unique to your specific kindergarten teacher, available in August on the Waverly website.

Supplies <i>*Only these items need to be labeled with your child's first and last name</i>	Quantity
Pre-Sharpened Ticonderoga #2 Pencils	1 box
24 pack Crayola Crayons	4 boxes
Crayola Classic Colors Broad Tip Markers	2 boxes
Expo Low Odor Thin Black Dry Erase Markers	8
Large Elmer's Glue Sticks	6 sticks
Kleenex or Puffs Tissues	2 boxes
Large Backpack* Please consider a large backpack with NO WHEELS	1
Lunchbox*	1
Change of Clothes including an Extra Fitted Mask* Please include shorts and long pants in addition to a shirt, socks and underwear. Place these clothes in a labeled Ziploc bag. Place the extra fitted mask in a separate small labeled Ziplock bag.	1 full set 1 mask

Wish List and Suggestions	Quantity
Clorox Wipes	2 containers
Velcro Shoes If your child is not proficient at tying shoes please consider sending your child to school wearing shoes they can manage independently.	

Contact Information

Child's Name	
Parent's Name	Cell Phone Number
Email Address	Home Phone Number
Parent's Number	Cell Phone Number
Email Address	Home Phone Number

Transportation Information

Please circle ALL that apply			
Morning Arrival	Walker	Bus	Bus Number
	M T W TH F	M T W TH F	
Afternoon Dismissal	Walker	Bus	Bus Number
	M T W TH F	M T W TH F	
If your child will attend an aftercare program please fill this portion out			
After Care	Program Name	Days Attending	Bus Number
		M T W TH F	
If your child needs to ride the bus due to after care closure or a change in dismissal please indicate their home bus.			Bus Number

First Days of School Transportation Information

Here at Waverly we are lucky to have a phase in schedule. We know that half days may cause changes in dismissal so please fill out each day with your child's dismissal. Please write either the bus they will be taking home or if they are a walker on **each line**. If your child is attending an after care program please specify and write the subsequent bus they will be taking.

Friday, September 10th 11:40 dismissal:

Monday, September 13th 11:40 dismissal:

Tuesday, September 14th 3:05 dismissal:

Let's Get Acquainted!

A little information can go a long way! This sheet will help me build a positive relationship with your child. The more I know, the better I will be able to support your child at school; making your child feel comfortable and ready to learn.

Thank you!

Child's name: _____

Siblings names' and ages

Primary language spoken at home

Other language your child knows (if any)

Does your child have any allergies?

Did your child go to preschool?

Based on your child's previous school experience, how can we help your child be successful in Kindergarten?

Tell me about your child's interests or favorite games at home:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

Other Information you would like to share:

