Welcome to 1st Grade

Dear First Grader,

I hope that you are enjoying your summer. My name is Mrs. Vaughan and I will be your teacher this year. We have an exciting year ahead of us in First Grade! You will make new friends and learn about a lot of different things. Our classroom is filled with many great books that I can’t wait to share with you. I hope that you will be a good listener. I can’t wait to meet you! The first few days will be a little tiring for all of us, so be sure to eat a good breakfast and get to bed early.

Please purchase all the supplies on the first grade supply list. Please bring these supplies to school on the first and second day so that we may organize them and start our work all together. Please label all supplies and clothing. In addition, please bring $15 (cash) in an envelope with your name on it. This is for our newspaper subscription and supply boxes, etc. Please add contact information on an index card and bring it to school on the first day. This should include: name, address, contact numbers and how you will be traveling home from school (bus number or walker). If you will be a walker please state who will be picking you up at dismissal. Also, be sure to wear your name tag with your, “bus number” or “walker” clearly written for morning and afternoon. Eg. Bus 17 AM, Walker-PM. If at any time there is a change in your dismissal, be sure to send a note. Please bring a healthy, peanut free snack every day and your lunch if you are not purchasing at
school. We are a peanut and nut free school. Enjoy the rest of your summer and I will see you soon!

Sincerely,

Mrs. Joan Vaughan

**Please bring the following items on the first day of school.**

- 1 box of sharpened pencils-labeled with your name on it  
- 1 eraser out of the wrapping  
- 1 box of crayons-labeled with your name on it  
- 2 large glue stick (out of packaging)  
- 1 pair of scissors-out of the packaging  
- 1 pink and 1 yellow highlighter, labeled and out of packaging  
- 4 plastic folders-yellow, green, red and blue. Please write your full name on a label and place on the upper right hand corner of each folder  
- 1 or 2 pocket size tissues for your child’s supply box  
-$15 supply money (Place in blue folder)  
-small photo 3x5 is perfect with your name on the back (Place in blue folder).

**Please bring the following items on the second day of school.**

- 1 package of baby wipes  
- 1 container of Clorox wipes  
- Boys only -1 box of gallon size ziploc bags  
- Girls only-1 box of quart size ziploc bags  
- 1 package of 4 Dry erase markers -out of the packaging  
- 1 box of each Crayola Markers (thin and thick)  
- 1 bottle of Elmer's glue  
- 1 package of 3x5 index cards

Please keep any additional supplies at home until we need them. Thank you so much for your help.