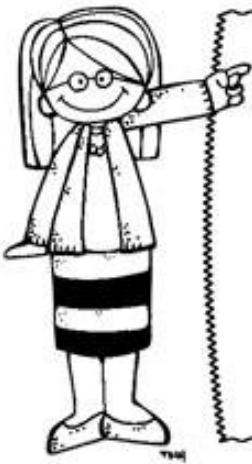


HELLO 5th GRADER!

My name is Mrs. Massey, and I am so excited to be your teacher this year. We are going to do so many FUN things, and of course we will learn a lot. I have been working hard and learning new things this summer to get ready for an amazing school year. I hope you had a fabulous summer, and I can't wait to hear all about it! I am so excited to meet you on your first day of school. I look forward to learning about you and all your favorite things this year!

When I am not in our classroom, I love being with my family: my husband Steve, our kids, Jana (18), Connor (15) and Caleb (12). We live in Souderton and love walking to get ice cream. This summer we spent a lot of time outside, going to the beach and playing board games. Want to know more about me? Here are a few of my favorite things:



Colors: Blue
Season: Fall
Foods: Tacos and ice cream
Drinks: Iced tea
Animal: Frogs
Hobbies: Cooking, camping, hiking and drawing.



On the back of this letter, you will find a special message for your parents and a list of supplies to bring with you on your first day of school. Enjoy the last few days of summer! See you soon in

Love,
Mrs. Massey

What Should I Bring?



- Refillable water bottle (required daily)
- Small pencil box
- Tissues
- Pencils (Dixon Ticonderoga #2)
- 2 Erasers (Pink Pearl or Cap Erasers)
- 2 Glue Sticks
- Personal pencil sharpener
- Composition book
- Crayons or colored pencils (no more than 24 count)
- Disinfectant wipes are totally optional but greatly appreciated 😊
- Earbuds in labeled Ziplock
- Beach towel labeled
- Art smock in labeled Ziplock bag (Adult Large t-shirt works great 😊)

**All supplies listed are optional for you to bring. I will make sure you have everything you need. Each child will have their own individual supply box. There will be no sharing of supplies this school year.

A Note for Parents and Guardians:

Hello, my name is Mrs. Nikki Massey and I am so excited to be your child's fifth grade teacher for the 2022/2023 school year. In our classroom, we focus on developing a growth mindset and creating a positive learning environment where all learners feel confident enough to take risks, make mistakes, and grow as learners! Throughout the year, we will discuss your child's strengths and needs in terms of their academic and social/emotional progress. Open and effective communication is the key to our success. Please do not hesitate to reach out with any questions or concerns that you might have. My email is nmassey@soudertonsd.org. I look forward to meeting you soon!