



Dear Parents,

Welcome to the 2023-2024 school year!

Let me begin by introducing myself. My name is Kim Sanderford and this will be my 21st year of teaching and my 20th year of teaching in the Liberty Public School District. I grew up in Liberty and graduated from Liberty High School. I then attended William Jewell College where I double majored in Communication and Public Relations. I received my Early Childhood Teaching degree from Park University, my Master's Degree in Curriculum and Instruction from Baker University and I have earned a certification in autism from Missouri Western University; I am also certified in special education. I am married to John and we have four grown children who also attended Liberty Public Schools.

The partnership you and I are about to embark on will be very rewarding for your child. I use the word "partnership" to illustrate that we are a team. As a parent, you are your child's first and most important teacher. As their classroom teacher, my role is to provide educational and social experiences that will help them be successful as they continue on to Kindergarten. For both of us to best support your child, the key component will be communication. I need to know as much about your child as possible and I will share my experiences with you as well. You can reach me by phone at 816-736-2808 or by email at Kimberly.sanderford@lps53.org.

Please review the supply list on the Early Childhood Center website and please send the supplies as soon as you can. I hope you and your child are looking forward to the first day of school as much as I am!

Ms. Kim