

# Welcome

Dear New 1002 Family,

Welcome! I'm so glad you're joining our community. My name is Kristen Rammel (Ms. Kristen to the kids) and I'm looking forward to working with you and your child over the next three years! This will be my 6th year at Sands and my 14th year teaching 1st - 3rd grade Montessori. Our classroom paraprofessional, Juli Miller (Ms. Juli), is also excited to get to know you as she begins her 7th year at Sands. We love teaching these grade levels - it's amazing to see kids learn and grow!

I am often asked how to help kids be ready for first grade... The most important thing you can do is dedicate a little time everyday to reading together. The Summer Bridge workbooks are a great tool as well.

**Please take a minute to drop me an email so that I have your contact information.** Keep an eye out for messages from me in early August with back-to-school information. Feel free to reach out with questions. Have a wonderful summer!

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# Community 1002 Supply List

## 2023-2024

### Personal Supplies: Label everything with your name

- 2 2-pocket heavy duty plastic/ poly folders of your choice (one for classwork, one for take home)
- 3 wide-ruled composition notebooks (color of your choice)
- 1 clipboard
- Water bottle and backpack to go back and forth between home and school
- Headphones to keep at school

### Community Supplies

- 1 black sharpie
- 2 containers of anti-bacterial wipes
- 24 regular pencils
- 4 glue sticks
- 24 colored pencils
- 8 erasers
- 2 dry erase markers
- 1 box of Kleenex
- 1 roll of paper towels
- 1st graders - 1 box of bandaids
- 2nd graders - 1 pack of sandwich zip lock bags
- 3rd graders - 1 box of quart zip lock bags

### Wish List (Not required, but always appreciated!)

- Extras of any of the above listed supplies
- White Card Stock
- Thermal Laminating Pouches
- Post It Notes
- Highlighters

