

May 2023

Dear Student,



Welcome to Home Community 2016! We are excited you are joining us, and we are looking forward to getting to know you. We are a kind caring community and when school gets started in the fall, we will make sure you feel like an important member of our community.

What is a “Home Community” anyway?

2016 will be your home base for your 4th-6th grade years. This is where you’ll start and end your day. This is where you’ll keep all of your gear. You will sit with the students in our Home Community at lunch, and play with them at recess. (Of course you will play with children in other classes too!) We will also have a couple of days each month where we will stay together all day to catch up on work and play getting to know you activities and events.

Ms. Sophie and I will be your math and science teachers, and will organize field trips and other special events for our class. Your social studies and language arts teachers will be Ms. Amy and Ms. Liz. Ms. Hook is the Intervention Specialist in our community and she pushes into both classrooms to work with small groups of children.

Do I have any homework over the summer?

Yes. You need to read at least one novel to complete a “Book Talk” in the first weeks of school. Also, *please* practice math facts. It makes math so much easier when you know them. Also, if you work on your **Iready MyPath** for 30 minutes a day twice a week it will help you remember your math concepts over the summer. It will also make 4th grade math easier.

What school supplies will I need and when should I bring them?

Your school supply list is attached in the folder. Please bring the items for your own personal use on the first day of school so you are ready to start. I am hoping your community supplies can be dropped off at a specific time before the school year starts. I will contact you in August to see if I can make this work.

How can I get in touch with you if I have questions?

If you have questions or concerns, you can reach me at walterm@cpsboe.k12.oh.us. I will start checking my email again in August.

Have a beautiful RELAXING summer!

Ms. Meg and Ms. Sophie

