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Welcome to a Kindergarten!

Thank you for entrusting me with the privilege of being your child's kindergarten teacher. Please know that I do not take my teaching responsibilities lightly. I will work tirelessly to help your child achieve success. I believe that, given the right conditions, every child can excel and succeed. With your help and support, we can provide an optimal learning experience for your child. This year promises to be filled with discovery and learning as your child works in an environment that promotes independence and self-confidence.

On the back, you will find the complete school supply list. On the first day of school, please send in only the items listed in blue on the supply list. Also, include the plastic folder labeled with your child's name. In the folder, please include one completed lunch ticket indicating what your child will have for lunch on the first day. The remaining items can be brought to school when we meet on Back to School Night.

Your child will be having a snack in class each day. For the first two weeks, we will have two snacks—one in the morning and one in the afternoon. Each snack should be small and healthy, such as fruit, pretzels, yogurt, veggies, or cereal. Also, include a juice box or water bottle (please practice opening snack items at home). Please put the snack in a **separate** bag marked with **your child's name and A.M. SNACK and P.M. SNACK** written on it. Do not put snack items in your child's lunch box. The children's snacks are kept separate in the classroom. We keep the snacks separate to prevent any confusion with what your child is eating for lunch.

If transportation arrangements should change for any reason, please send a written note. Please do not rely on your child to give me information because children may misunderstand and relay the message incorrectly. If I do not have a written note, your child will be sent home by their usual method of transportation. **Please remember to have your child wear their bus ticket each day.**

Please do not send your child to school with their Chromebook during the first week. I will notify you when to send in the Chromebook. I look forward to working together. Please do not hesitate to reach out to me with any questions or concerns you may have. The best way to reach me is at esinglemann@mccsd.net.

With kindness and gratitude,

Mrs. Singlemann

In-School Supply List



- 1 backpack- **NO WHEELS**
- 8x8 plastic supply box (no zippers please)-labeled with your child's name
- 1 plastic folder labeled with your child's name
- 1 coloring book labeled with your child's name
- 1-24 count box of Crayola crayons (Please empty and place in supply box)
- 2 packages- 6 counts of glue sticks (no jumbo size please)
- **1-24 count box of Crayola crayons**
- Headphones-labeled with your child's name (they will remain in school)
- 1 pair of Fiskars scissors
- 1 box of 10-count Crayola twistable color pencils
- 1 can of 3 oz Playdough-labeled with your child's name

*Please send only the items in blue on the first day of school. The remaining items can be brought to school when we meet on Back to School night. It is too much to carry on the first day of school.

If your last name begins with A-M, please send in 1 box of gallon storage bags.

If your last name begins with N-Z, please send 1 box of sandwich-size bags.

Also, your child will need a change of clothes in case of an accident. Please place it in a gallon-size zip-loc bag with your child's name on it. Include the following items:

- a pair of pants
- a shirt
- underwear
- socks

These items will be kept in your child's backpack. Please rotate the clothes according to the season. Also, monitor frequently for size. If your child does not have a change of clothes you will be called to bring up a new set.

Thank you so much.