



WELCOME TO KINDERGARTEN

Dear Families,

Welcome to the REES family and the exciting world of Kindergarten! I'm Ms. Harvey, and I am thrilled to be your child's teacher this year. As a first-year teacher, I'm passionate about creating a joyful, engaging, and supportive learning environment where every child feels valued and encouraged to do their very best. Our classroom will be full of curiosity, creativity, and care — and I can't wait to get started!

Below are some important notes to help us kick off the year smoothly:



Attendance & Transportation

Please ensure students arrive on time daily. If your child will be absent, send an excuse note or notify the school. Transportation changes must be in writing or communicated to the school office to ensure your child gets home safely.



PE/Gym

PE is every Monday. Recess is daily!

If you'd like, send a labeled pair of extra shoes to be kept in the classroom all year.



Communication

I'll use ClassDojo to keep in touch:

www.classdojo.com/ul/p/addKid?target=class&class=CNJT86Z



Homework

Weekly packets go home Monday and are due Friday. Packets will be checked for completion.



Classroom Rules & Behavior

We follow the SOAR Matrix with daily behavior levels (1–5). Behavior is tracked on a green card that must be signed by a parent/guardian daily.



Extra Clothes

Please keep an extra change of clothes in your child's backpack for food or restroom accidents.

I'm so excited to build connections, celebrate growth, and watch our scholars shine this year! Let's make it a fantastic year — together!

Warmly,

Ms. Harvey and Ms. Matthews

Kindergarten Teacher and Assistant Teacher

