

Welcome to Room 1329! We are so excited to welcome you and your child to our 6-9 community. Our community nurtures a caring and compassionate environment where everyone matters, is valued, respected, and each recognizes their responsibility in the classroom.

★ Our golden rule is to treat others the way that you would like to be treated. We work hard to reach our goals and make our learning space safe and happy.

About me, Mary Beth...

I am Mary Beth Hill and the children call me Ms. Mary Beth. I'm grateful to call Dater Montessori my home for the last 22 years. I was born and raised on the west side. My husband Tim and I have three grown children, 23, 25, and 27, our 5 year old mini golden-doodle Grace, and black cat, Leo. You will surely hear about my proud momma moments with my oldest Elizabeth, my very tall middle son Ethan, and my youngest daughter Rachel. During my free time, I cherish my family time, enjoy cooking, gardening, spending time outdoors bike-riding, hiking, kayaking, and being spontaneous and adventurous to try new things. I am blessed and choose to live life with a positive mindset, to serve others, and live with no regrets.

I'm so blessed to have Ms. Gabby Martinear supporting our community as our paraprofessional. We're in our eighth year of partnership in the classroom. She is a hardworking mother of 4 children and her family grew this year as they welcomed two bonus children into her family. Gabby has a beautiful mama-bear heart and a gentle, yet firm spirit, and enjoys cooking and dancing in her free time. She has a wonderful sense of humor, so between her and the children, I am guaranteed to have a laugh every day.

Over the summer, there are many activities that you can do at home to prepare your child for the upcoming school year. Here are some ideas:

- Read aloud every day
- Practice math fact fluency: 1st & 2nd- addition/subtraction, 3rd-multiplication
- Practice tying shoes
- Memorize birthday, phone number, and address
- Play board games and play outside with other children
- Monitor and limit screen time - video games, tablet, cell phone, laptop

At the beginning of next school year, you will receive an email with a Welcome to 1329 Newsletter with valuable information about classroom expectations, volunteer opportunities, and our overall classroom structure.

I am looking forward to meeting all of you and working together to create the most amazing learning experience for your child. If you have any questions, please reach out.

Respectfully,
Mary Beth Hill and Gabby Martinear
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Mary Beth Hill, Room 1329



Student Supply List

2025-2026

Dear Families,

Thank you for helping your child get ready for a successful school year. This means being prepared with needed supplies. Please **do not** put any names on any supplies unless noted with ****Child's name**

* Specific brands are listed because they last longer or are preferred for children's use.

EVERYONE NEEDS:

- 1 set of durable headphones - A must-have to be kept at school.**
- 1 pack Ticonderoga pencils (quality that last longer)
- 1 pack *Crayola colored pencils
- 2 pink bar erasers
- 4 glue sticks
- 1 box of tissues
- Hand sanitizer pump bottle or a refill bottle.
- 1 roll paper towels (the half sheets preferred)
- 1 composition notebooks -100 page, **wide** ruled, black and white cover
- A backpack to carry every day to school/home (****Child's name**)
- Reusable water bottle (****Child's name**)

Optional extras:

- All-purpose **concentrate** cleaner - *Castile, *Meyers, or *Method, or like - These brands are safe for children and sensitive skin (It will be diluted in a bucket of water for our daily table cleaning.)
- A plant- one that's easy to grow in a lower elementary Montessori classroom

Thank you!