

WELCOME TO KINDERGARTEN!

My name is Miss Anna and I will be your child's teacher this year! I am looking forward to watching our class learn and grow! I have a Bachelors Degree in Early Childhood/Elementary Education and a Masters Degree in Curriculum and Instruction. This is my 19th year teaching and my 15th year at SOTA 1!

It is expected that children entering kindergarten are fully potty trained and able to use the bathroom independently. This includes recognizing when they need to go, using the toilet without assistance, wiping themselves, washing their hands, and independently pulling up and fastening their clothing. Building these self-help skills helps students feel confident and supports a smooth and successful school day for everyone.

TENNIS SHOES



We have two recesses daily as well as physical education and drama on our weekly schedule.

Please send your child in good shoes for movement or provide a spare pair of shoes to be kept in your child's locker!

SNACKS

In Kindergarten we have snack once a day. I ask families to send in one snack item each month to share with the class. Some ideas include goldfish, graham crackers, ritz, popcorn, and pretzels.

BIRTHDAYS

Your child may bring a birthday treat to school on their special day. School policy is store bought items only. No cupcakes please! Please reach out if you would like some suggestions!



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**STUDENTS ARE ASKED TO PLEASE
KEEP TOYS, TRINKETS, FIDGETS,
AND EXTRA ACCESSORIES AT
HOME. THIS HELPS TO PREVENT
UNNECESSARY DISTRACTIONS
DURING CLASS.**



If you send cold lunch for your child, please know that we are unable to refrigerate or microwave items. There are adults in the lunchroom to help open items, but this is a great skill to practice with your child and promote independence! Please label your child's lunchbox with their first and last name. No glassware please!

LET'S KEEP IN TOUCH!

Please set up and utilize the Parent Square account for communication. I'll do my best to respond in a timely manner! For urgent needs, please call the office

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