



Dear Parents/Families,

Welcome to kindergarten! My name is **Megan Levy** and I will be your child's kindergarten teacher. Kindergarten is a year filled with growth and new experiences and it will be an exciting one for not only your child, but for you as well. I am looking forward to getting to know both you and your child!

My goal for each and every one of my students is for them to love to come to school each day and learn. They will enjoy student-led learning experiences, as well as opportunities for the development of independence and positive social interactions.

Parent/teacher communication is vital as we work together to provide the best educational experience for your child! I will be communicating through the Class Dojo app. Please check in DAILY, as I will utilize Class Dojo to post important announcements, weekly newsletters, upcoming events, links to songs and curriculum supports, as well as pictures! A few days before the school year starts, I will be sending out Class Dojo sign up requests via text/email. If your teacher used ClassDojo last year, I should be able to add you to our class without the need to sign up again, so keep an eye on the app if you still have it.

In order for me to get to know your child more quickly, I would love to have some information about your child. I will be sharing a "Back to School Survey" in a Google form, if you would kindly fill it out for the first day of school. I will post the link and information on ClassDojo. You are your child's first teacher and I value and look forward to your input! Feel free to add any other comments or note any questions or concerns you may have. Please know that your child's health and safety, social/emotional learning and academic development are all equally important and will be integral components of our lessons and our day! You can always contact me on the Class Dojo app, by email at mlevy@mccsd.net or send in a note. *Looking forward to a great school year together!*

Sincerely,
Mrs. Levy





OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION



- ★ Our class symbol is an apple! Make sure your child is wearing their apple tag to school everyday for the first two weeks of school.
- ★ If your child will be absent from school, please call the attendance office to let them know. Please also reach out to me on Class Dojo. Absence notes should accompany your child upon his/her return to school with the date and the reason for absence clearly stated.
- ★ If you are picking your child up early from school, please send in a note on the day you'll be picking your child up early. YOU MUST SHOW YOUR PHOTO ID. If something comes up last minute, please call the office and let them know you will be coming, it makes for an easier transition.
- ★ Please have your child wear sneakers on gym days.
- ★ A snack time will be set aside each day. Please send in a small snack and drink Please no candy. Depending on the time of our lunch period, snack will be either in the morning OR the afternoon. I will let you know.
- ★ Students may keep a water bottle on their table during the school day. They also have access to a water filling station. ONLY WATER please.
- ★ Please make sure that your child knows in advance if they are buying lunch and what they are buying. If they do not want the "lunch of the day," they may choose one of the daily alternate options. It is also very helpful for your child to have their snack items separate from their lunch items. Please discuss with your child what is for snack and what is for lunch prior to school each day.

- ★ Please send in a gallon sized bag with a spare change of clothes/socks/underwear for your child. This will be stored in the classroom in the event of an accident or spill. Pants/leggings with a short sleeved shirt is best since the weather in the beginning of the year may be warm, but will soon turn cool.
- ★ Students do not need to bring their Chromebooks during the first few weeks of school. I will let you know when we will start using them. If you attended UPK in the district you should have one. If you are new to the district, you will be issued a Chromebook. I will provide information for that process when I receive it.
- ★ Please do not put toys/keychains on your child's backpack.

SCHOOL SUPPLIES

Please see below a copy of the Kindergarten Supply List. This was shared with you at the beginning of the summer. Supplies will NOT be shared amongst students. Read below to see what is needed for the first day of school. If possible, please label and send the remaining supplies in by Friday, September 12.

Please LABEL and bring these items on the FIRST DAY of school:

- ★ Backpack
- ★ Lunch bag for lunch and/or snack (if needed)
- ★ One hard plastic supply box

Please put the following items in your supply box for the first day of school:

- ★ 2 sharpened pencils
- ★ One box of 24 Crayola crayons
- ★ One pair of Fiskar scissors
- ★ One glue stick



Unity Drive Kindergarten Supply List

Backpack



(large enough to fit a folder, notebook, chromebook, jacket, and lunchbox). No wheels.



Child headphones over the head (with wire jack-plug for chromebook **NOT** bluetooth)



1 package of Ticonderoga
24 sharpened pencils



3 boxes of 24 pack
Crayola Crayons



1 ~ 8 pack Crayola
Markers



1 pair Fiskar scissors blunt
edge



1 plastic supply box
(4.7" W, 8.1" L, 2.2" deep)



12 large Elmer's Glue
sticks



1 ~ 4 pack of thin black
Expo dry erase markers

Tissues

Paper Towels

Baby Wipes

****Seasonal Change of clothes in a ziplock bag labeled with your child's name on the baggie and the articles of clothing****

PTA School Supply Sale
\$45 for all supplies w/o headphones.
\$10 add'l for headphones.
Orders accepted Until 7/14/25
Supplies delivered to the K classroom
www.educationalproducts.com/shoppacks
Enter the school ID UNI205 (3 letters /3 numbers) Sales tax will be applied at checkout.