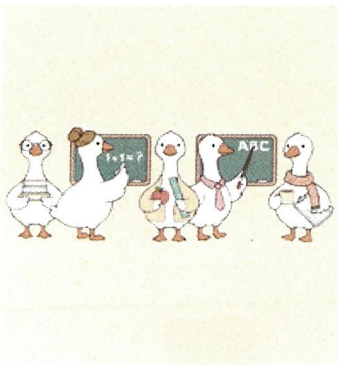


Dear Silly Goose Families,

Welcome to kindergarten! I hope everyone enjoyed their summer! My name is Mrs. Lomonaco and I am absolutely thrilled to be your child's teacher this school year. I can't wait to get to know your little one and watch them grow, learn and shine!

Kindergarten is such a magical time filled with curiosity, giggles and so many "I did it!" moments. In our classroom, we will explore letters and numbers, dive into books, addition and subtraction, rhyming and build friendships while celebrating every success along the way.

More than anything, I want our classroom to feel like a second home, a place where your child feels safe, valued and excited to come every day. We'll laugh, learn and grow together as one big class family.

Parent-teacher communication is extremely important! I value open communication and encourage you to reach out with any questions or concerns you may have. We will be utilizing "Remind" as our means of communication throughout the year. Information to join will be shared the first day of school. I believe that parent involvement plays a crucial role in a child's education. There will be many opportunities throughout the year for you to participate in classroom activities and school events.

Snack: Have your child bring in two nutritious snacks and drinks every day. Please have your child practice opening their lunch/snack(s) at home. Label your snack bags separate from your child's lunch to avoid confusion. We encourage children to bring in a refillable water bottle for use throughout the day. Be sure that it opens and closes with ease, but also that it keeps as leakproof as possible.

Backpack: Label your child's lunchbox and backpack with their first and last name. Please include extra seasonal clothing in your child's backpack (just in case they have an accident at school).

Bus Tags for the First Week: To ensure a smooth transition, all students will be required to wear bus tags for the first week of school. These tags help our transportation staff and teachers ensure students arrive safely to and from school. Please make sure your child wears the bus tag visibly during this period.

I am excited to embark on this journey with you and your child. Together, we will create a positive and enriching learning experience.

Sincerely,
Mrs. Lomonaco 😊