**Welcome To First Grade**

Welcome to another fun and exciting school year!!! We are excited to begin a new year of learning and creating new memories.

Within first grade, we value each child as an individual. We believe that all children learn differently and every child has different strengths and needs. Therefore, we challenge all students to excel no matter what level they are at. We challenge students and individualize instruction by creating an environment where your child will feel safe to take academic risks to enhance their learning in every subject. During your child’s first grade experience, we will take multiple engaging, fun-filled field trips that will enhance our learning experiences. In the classroom, your child can expect to experience multi-sensory learning opportunities such as singing, exercise and dance movements, building, eating, creating, and inventing.

It is very important for all students to bring a backpack to school on a daily basis to help keep materials organized and to help carry items to school and back home. We will provide a take home folder for all students to bring their materials/papers to and from school.

 Although class lists will not be posted until shortly before school begins in August, we thought you might find this suggested supply list helpful.

**suggested supply list**:

* 1 package of Ticonderoga pencils.
* 1 package of dry erase markers.
* 2 packages of glue sticks.
* 1 disinfectant wipes.
* 2 boxes of facial tissues.
* 2 boxes of 24 count crayons.
* 1 package dry erase markers

Each teacher will also be including a personalized supply list with beginning of the year paper work including what is listed above with possibly a few more items to fit each classroom’s needs.

***We look forward to an AMAZING 2019-2020 school year!***

***Thank you,***

***First Grade Teachers***