

## FIRST GRADE SUPPLIES 2018

*Please label all items with your child's name, except for pencils (item #18).*

*Please keep specialty items such as special pencils, large sets of markers, or twistable crayons at home. Your first grader will need to have pencils, colored pencils, crayons, glue, scissors, and a stapler at home for homework.*

- 1) Several large pink or white erasers
- 2) 1 medium to large size triclosan-free hand sanitizer, pump dispenser preferred (we keep a communal bottle by the tissues; children sanitize after every tissue use).
- 3) 2 rolls of paper towels and one large box of soft tissues (Please note that we will ask you again later in the year if this supply runs out.)
- 4) 3 sturdy flat folders with pockets for carrying papers (not with clips or for three-hole binders, please)
- 5) a package of colored pencils
- 6) a set of thin, washable markers (12 marker size)
- 7) a box of crayons (Crayola 24 crayon box recommended)
- 8) 3 binders
  - 2 flexible cover 3 ring loose-leaf binders, 1 inch
  - 1 hard cover binder; should be 2 - 3 inches
- 9) 3 hard cover composition books--one of which must have an open area at the top of each page for illustrations. This kind of notebook is generally available at Staples, Walmart, and Target at this time of year
- 10) 4 glue sticks (please label with name)
- 11) Scissors your child can use (please label with name)
- 12) a clipboard (please label with name) Kindergarten clipboards, rather than new, if possible
- 13) 1 book on child's reading level, neither too hard nor too easy. This will be returned after sharing.
- 14) PSOLI t-shirt for field trips (sold at school for \$20)
- 15) a resealable plastic bag with some plastic spoons and forks. Note: First graders do not discard their plastic utensils from lunch. They are asked to show kindness to the planet by bringing them home to wash and reuse. This bag is an emergency supply, in case a needed utensil hasn't been packed that day. (Food items needing to be cut with knives are cut at home, not in the classroom.)
- 16) 5 x 8" plastic storage container for supplies, labeled with child's name. Larger sizes do not fit in lockers.
- 17) two containers of triclosan-free sanitizing table wipes (NOT hand or baby wipes)
- 18) 24 #2 pencils, sharpened. "Different" pencils are a distraction, so please send in only the yellow kind such as Ticonderoga or Dixon. These pencils will be pooled and available to the children as needed so please don't label them.
- 19) Earbuds or headphones for computer use, labeled with your child's name and kept in a reclosable bag
- 20) Handheld pencil sharpener (child-powered, not battery powered)
- 21) 1 pack of white index cards, 3 by 5 inches

**Children should bring in water daily, especially on pizza days, in spill-proof, "sweat-proof" bottles. Usually double walled bottles work. This way the children can keep their water with them and drink a healthy amount.**