WELCOME TO PRESCHOOL!!!

For those parents who are returning to us this month, WELCOME BACK! We have missed your child and are excited to spend another year with them. You will find reminders and any other pertinent information necessary to the preschool program in this newsletter.

NEW PARENTS: We are excited to spend the year learning and growing with your child. We understand that this is going to be a new experience for you and your child in many ways. In this newsletter, you will find important procedures for the preschool program, as well as items that we feel are important for success in our classrooms.

Introduction to Staff

ROOM 10 – Ms. Kane and Ms. Crowley

ROOM 9 – Mrs. Blanke and Mrs. Dukes

Every month you will receive a newsletter. The setup of the newsletter looks like this:

FRONT - The front will have a fun poem and song we are learning in class, as well as news items and important dates. There will be academic concepts listed on the front that we will be working on in class.

BACK - The newsletter should be front and back only. Sometimes, there may be too much information for the front, in which case you will find some of these items on the back as well.

We are including HOME ACTIVITIES on the back of the newsletter. We do not assign homework, instead, these activities will reinforce our classroom learning. For each activity that is completed at home, please initial the box and send back to school. We will check on Friday (or the last day of the week) to see if it is complete, and your child will earn a sticker for having their home activity finished. 😊

Important Dates

August 11
First Day of School
September 1
NO SCHOOL
Labor Day
QUIET TIME

Your child needs to bring a blanket for quiet time. It needs to be brought to school on Monday (or the first day of the week) and taken home on Friday (last day of the week) to be washed. Please label with your child’s name.

EXTRA CLOTHES

Please bring in a complete set of extra clothes. This includes shirt, pants/shorts, underwear, and socks. Occasionally these will need to be swapped out as your child outgrows them, or the weather changes. Please label EVERYTHING with your child’s name. This will prevent your child’s clothes from accidentally going home with another student.

SIGN IN/OUT

Every morning during drop off your child will need to be signed in. Every afternoon your child will need to be signed out. BECAUSE YOUR CHILD’S SAFETY IS IMPORTANT TO US:

If anyone other than yourself is going to be picking your child up, they will need to bring a picture ID. This is important as your child will only be released to someone who has been placed on the authorized list (or you may call and notify us PRIOR to 3:00). You may add people in the office to the authorized list at any time, but you also need to add them to our list in the classroom as well. This is especially important as we can not leave the classroom during dismissal to check the list in the office.

PHONE NUMBERS/ADDRESSES

Please let us know, as well as the office, if you change your phone number/address. It is extremely important that we have a CURRENT WORKING phone number for you in case of an emergency.

HOME ACTIVITIES

Week of August 18-22:
Write the name of 2 books you and your child have read together.

1. _______________________________________________________________________________________
2. _______________________________________________________________________________________

Initials

Week of August 25-29:
Write the name of 2 books you and your child have read together.

1. _______________________________________________________________________________________
2. _______________________________________________________________________________________

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