



Dear First Grade Families,

We are so excited to be working with all of you this fall. We will have a fantastic year in first grade! In September we will be working on learning 1st grade routines, as well as reviewing the entire alphabet, beginning, middle, and ending sounds, short vowels, and numbers to 20. Then we will dive into lots of reading, writing, adding, and subtracting!

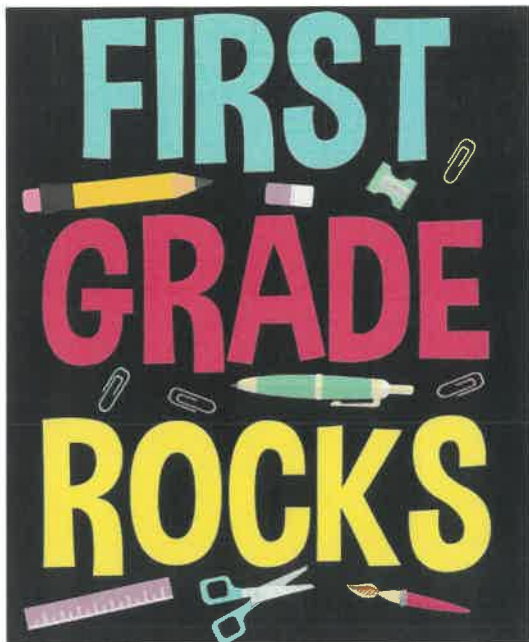
When school begins, please make sure your child has a backpack he or she can bring to school every day. Your child will get a communication folder that he or she will need to bring back and forth to school every day too. Please use this folder to send in lunch money, bus notes, and any other communication. **When you send in money for your child, please send it in an envelope or baggie labeled with your child's name, your child's teacher's name, and what the money is for.** Please send in a **water bottle** with your child to stay at school to help make water easily accessible in the classroom. Any day is a perfect day for sneakers in first grade, but sneakers are a must for gym days, which will be once or twice a week. We will send home a special area class schedule when school begins.

We will have snack time in our classroom daily. Please send in a healthful **snack** for your child every day. Snacks that need to be kept cool, such as yogurt or cheese sticks, are welcome, but please send them with ice packs to keep them cold until snack time.

Below is a supply list of things your child will need to help make this school year the best one yet. Have a super summer! We can hardly wait to see you in September!

Sincerely,

The 1st Grade Teachers



Saranac Elementary School First Grade Supply List

2023-2024 School Year

1. 2 boxes of 24 count Crayola crayons
2. 1 box of colored pencils
3. 1 10-pack of Crayola washable markers
4. 2 dozen #2 Ticonderoga Pencils
5. Pencil top and block erasers
6. 1 4-pack of Expo Dry Erase fine point markers
7. 8-10 glue sticks
8. 1 pair of scissors
9. 1 highlighter
10. 1 standard-size pencil box
11. 1 two-pocket plastic folder
12. 2 boxes of tissues
13. 2 packages of wipes
14. An extra set of clothes for emergencies
15. Earbuds/headphones
16. A backpack and a big smile!