



Mrs. Franchini's 2022-2023 Kindergarten Supply List

(Please send in only what is on this list. Thank you!)

These are the items that I am asking you to please send in by the end of the first week of school. You don't have to send it all in on the same day. Thank you for your help!

- 2 boxes of tissues
- 1 roll of paper towels
- 1 pack of unscented baby wipes
- 1 pack of glue sticks (no gel glue sticks)
- 1 Box of washable markers
- 24 count crayons
- 1 package of black thin dry erase markers (expo markers)
- **2 HARD** Transparent Plastic Snaps Closed Pencil boxes Dimensions: 2.25"H x 8.25"W x 5.63"D (for individual tools and pencils)
- 1 Composition Notebook



- **Regular/Standard Size Backpack** large enough to fit standard sized folder
- 1 change of clothes appropriate for the current season in a plastic bag **with your child's name on labels**. Please include underwear, socks, shoes, stretch or sweat pants, and a shirt
- 1 set of headphones labeled with your child's name for computer use (NO RECHARGEABLE OR CORDLESS HEADPHONES PLEASE)



Dear Families,

Welcome to Kindergarten! My name is Mrs. Franchini.

I am really looking forward to meeting my new students! It is going to be a fantastic year. Kindergarten is a year of magic! You will see your child grow into an early reader and writer. They will also build many new math skills. We will explore topics in science and social studies. There will be a lot to talk about with your child when they come home from school! My goal is for your child to continue to develop a love for learning, reading, writing and FRIENDSHIP! I need your support to help make this happen. This letter will answer many of your questions, so please read it closely.

PROCEDURES TO REMEMBER

- Please put lunch money in an envelope or baggie marked with your child's name and what s/he is to buy with it. (NO LOOSE MONEY PLEASE)
- Lunch can also be paid for on-line through the district website under food services.
- Label your child's lunchbox and drinks with their name.
- Each day, send in a refillable, reusable water bottle. Our drinking fountains are not in use, but there is a filtered water bottle dispenser available.
- Check your child's take home folder (to be given out on the 1st day) every night for important information.
- Please put any notes or important papers into your child's Take Home folder to ensure that I get them. I check the folders, not the entire backpack. Of course the first week I will take out all items from the backpack that are sent in.
- If your child is absent or being dismissed early you must let the office know. In the event that I am absent, I may not see your email.
- Label your child's jacket or sweatshirt with their name.
- When we celebrate your child's birthday, please contact me ahead of time so we can organize the date/time. Whatever the treat is, please make it all the same kind and same flavor.

- A list of our daily specials will go home on the first day of school so you can be aware of which days your child needs to wear sneakers.

SNACK

- Send your child in with a snack EACH DAY. Please try to keep the snacks as healthy as possible.
- It is helpful to show your child what their snack is so they are not confused with their lunch.

COMMUNICATION

Keeping an open line of communication is an important key to your child's success. Always feel you can contact me no matter the situation regarding your child. You may call the school (446-1008), send in a note, or email me (dana.pizzuto-franchini@hffmcsd.org). I will also be setting up an online messaging system called "Class Dojo." Class Dojo is just like text messaging, I also post pictures from our experiences and students will have assignments on their Dojo Portfolios. My parents of past classes love this because it is instant and the pictures give an eye into the classroom. So, when I send home your log in sheet the first week of school, please sign up! I had 100% participation last year!

In the meantime, enjoy the rest of your summer! I can't wait to meet and work with your child this year!

Sincerely,

Mrs. Dana Franchini