

June 2011

*Dear Incoming Kindergarten Children and Families,*

*We hope everyone has an enjoyable summer! We are looking forward to seeing you in September. We have many great activities planned for the school year!*

*We will be co-teaching the Kindergarten children. Mrs. Florino will be teaching on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday mornings. Mrs. Tarpey will be teaching on Wednesday afternoons, Thursday, and Friday. We are looking forward to continuing co-teaching the kindergarten children and also have time at home with our young children.*

*Throughout the school year we will be sending notices and a weekly update to inform you of what is going on in our classroom. If you have any questions or concerns at any time please do not hesitate to speak with us.*

*You may want to get an early start with your supplies. Please send your child to school on the first day with a **backpack** and a **2-pocket folder**, which he/she will need to bring daily. The folder will be used for notices to and from school and for teacher/parent correspondence. Also please send your child to school with a **smock** to wear to art class and while working on art projects. The smock will stay in school all year. Please print your child's name clearly on the smock. A smock may be an old shirt, apron, etc.*

*Your child will need the following school supplies:*

*Package of 48 Crayola crayons*

*8 glue sticks*

*8 pack of colored pencils (short ones if possible)*

*1 small personal pencil sharpener*

*1 plastic Rubbermaid shoe box sized container with cover*

*1 Gladware sandwich sized container*

*The supplies listed above will be placed in a container with your child's name on it and it will be kept in our classroom for his/her schoolwork throughout the year.*

*We are also requesting that each child bring to school for classroom supplies; a box of tissues, a roll of paper towels, a container of baby wipes, a container of Clorox bleach wipes, 8 pack of Crayola markers and an 8 pack of Crayola skinny markers (to be used for class projects.)*

*Enjoy the summer. See you in September!*