School Supplies – Kindergarten 2020-2021

Welcome to Kindergarten! Here is a list of things to get your first year at school started out just right!

**Non-marking running shoes:** a pair of good running shoes with non-marking soles to wear as indoor shoes and for gym. Please send slip-on or Velcro shoes as laces are too tricky for little fingers and tying shoes takes time out of playing.

**Backpack:** a backpack big enough to carry a lunch kit, communication bag with agenda, and a few other items from the school day.

**Water bottle:** Please send a ‘spill-proof’ water bottle. Water bottles with flip tops or straws seem to work best (such as the Contigo bottles). We will be using the water bottles for drinks during class time and to keep ourselves hydrated during outdoor exploration.

**Paint shirt:** Kindergarten can get a bit messy! Please send an old button-up shirt or t-shirt to cover up during painting/gluing projects.

**Extra change of clothes:** Accidents happen, whether it be a fall in a puddle or a craft explosion. Please send a full set of clothes (pants, shirt, underwear, and socks) in a large zip-lock bag labeled with the child’s name to be kept at school in case of an accident.

**$25.00 cash or cheque written out to classroom teacher** to ***reimburse him/her*** for school supplies that are purchased in bulk by the teacher - such as pencils, erasers, rulers, scissors, notebooks, duo-tangs, binders. Please **do not** combine this payment with the Vanscoy School Activity Fee (see below).

**SCHOOL ACTIVITY FEES**

The school activity fee ***supplements*** the school for the student agenda book, communication bag, class field trip(s) which includes entries into events/activity and bus transportation, guest speakers and performers. Payment is to be received within first two weeks of school.

Please send either exact cash or a cheque written out to Vanscoy School. The teacher will forward this amount to the school office. A receipt will be issued and sent home with your child.

***New students***to our school - activity fee is **$30.00.**

***Multiple-student families*** may pay their activity fees in one payment.

Thank you for your prompt payment.