

Dear Parents,

I would like to welcome you to 1<sup>st</sup> grade! You will be amazed at how far your first grader progresses this year. My goal is to give your child the tools he/she needs to be successful not only this year but next year as well. Here are some ways you as a parent can help.

1. Check your child's agenda book for notes and homework and please sign or initial it each evening. Any questions that you have can be noted in the agenda book and I will answer your questions as quickly as possible.
2. Check your child's behavior grade each evening. My goal is to strive for excellent behavior each day, but keep in mind everyone has a "bad" day from time to time. If you note a pattern in behavior that concerns you, please feel free to contact me.
3. Here is a list of words your child learned in Kindergarten. Please practice these words until your child can recognize them quickly on sight.

a	down	I	me	said	we
and	find	in	my	see	where
away	for	is	not	the	yellow
big	funny	it	one	three	you
blue	go	little	play	to	
can	help	look	red	two	
come	here	make	run	up	

I look forward to working with you and your child this year. Please feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns you may have throughout the year.

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