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Dear First Grade Students,

Hello! My name is Mrs. Markowski and I will be your first grade teacher. I am very excited to meet you and begin our year of learning together. We are going to be studying many new things this year. I will be getting ready over the summer and I can't wait to begin!

I want to tell you a little bit about myself. I live with my husband and two dogs, Dusty and Winston. You will hear lots about Dusty and Winston in my classroom. My daughter, Christy, and my son, Bradley, are both in college. I enjoy reading, knitting and cooking. I love teaching and I am looking forward to our time together.

Here is a list of supplies to bring with you on the first day of school. Please make sure your name is on all of your supplies.

- backpack
- 1 small pencil box
- box of pencils to share with the class
- 8-10 glue sticks to share with the class
- 2 boxes of tissues to share
- 1 small box of crayons (24 count), no colored pencils or markers please
- art smock
- sneakers (on Physical Education days)
- snack (each day) (I usually have something if you forget)

We could also use these items for our classroom if you would like to donate them.

- Ziploc sandwich bags
- Ziploc gallon storage bags

Please make sure that any money brought to school is clearly labeled for its purpose.

Make sure to look for me on the first day of school. I will have my special First Day of School dress on! Enjoy your summer vacation. I will see you soon.

Sincerely,
Mrs. Markowski