

Dear First Grader,

My name is Mrs. Wynkoop and I am so happy to welcome you to our first grade classroom. We are in for an exciting year as we learn and grow together. This is my second year in first grade, and the start of my fourth year at Bridgeport Elementary.

Before school starts in September, I want to tell you a little bit about myself. My family and I call Bridgeport home. My husband and I have two daughters. Our oldest is a freshman at LeMoyne University and our younger daughter is a junior at Chittenango High School. We have two dogs, Biscuit and Ginger and a cat named Oreo. I enjoy gardening, hiking, camping, traveling, family, cooking, and crafting. I can't wait to discover your interests too.

In order to start the year off right, we will need some supplies:

- Backpack*
- Daily snack and water bottle
- Plastic pencil box *
- 1 Pair of scissors *
- 1 box of colored pencils (regular pencil or Twistables)*
- 1 box of markers (basic set, nothing fancy)*
- 2 dozen #2 pencils **
- Pack of cap erasers**
- 8-10 Glue Sticks **
- 4 boxes of crayons (24 count)**
- 2 boxes of tissues**
- 1 box of gallon or quart size Ziploc zipper style bags (your choice)**
- 1 folder for music (your choice of color)*
- 1 pair of iPad compatible headphones or earbuds*



*labeled with student's name

** classroom community supply

The following items are always appreciated but not required:
Extra tissues, extra glue sticks, and hand sanitizer.

Enjoy the rest of your summer reading, relaxing, and making memories with your families. I am looking forward to seeing you in September.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Wynkoop
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