

**FIRST GRADE SUMMER READING / MATH ASSIGNMENTS AND SUPPLIES**

Dear Families,

Welcome to first grade for the 2009-2010 school year! It is with experience and pleasure that we, the first grade teachers, welcome your child to our classrooms. We look forward to working with you and your child in order to make first grade a very exciting and rewarding school year.

Your child will need a large school bag that he/she can open themselves. *Schoolbags on wheels are not permitted.* Instead of asking for a long list of supplies, we would like to ask all parents to send in \$20.00 on the first day of school. This amount of money will allow us to buy in bulk and will prevent you from having to replace supplies throughout the year. What we are buying includes: pencils, crayons, markers, colored pencils, glue, scissors, folders, tissues, zip lock bags, etc. We are hoping this system will save you time and money. We would also strongly recommend keeping pencils, crayons, glue, scissors and a pencil sharpener at home for homework. In addition, it would be very wise to purchase a box of 100 envelopes for sending in trip money or any other fees required throughout the school year.

**SHARPENERS, SCISSORS, MARKERS, ELECTRONICS AND TOYS  
ARE NOT PERMITTED IN CLASS.**

We are looking forward to a great year beginning in September! We need your support to accomplish this. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

Sincerely,  
The First Grade Teachers,



First Grade Summer Reading Assignment

A. Read the book, Red Eyed Tree Frog. Talk about the story. Draw and color a habitat for a frog. Be sure to include the frog in its home!

B. Read the book, Frog and Toad are Friends. Talk about the story. Draw a picture of you and a friend. In your drawing, show something that the two of you like to do together, just like frog and toad.

First Grade Summer Math Assignment

Collect and record data during the month of July to show how often you:

- go swimming
- read a book
- ride your bike

Use the calendar on the back of this page to help you keep track of your summer activities. Create a representation of your results.