

Sutton Elementary School

Dear Parents and Incoming Fifth Graders:

I am looking forward to working with your child in the fall. To prepare your child for a successful school year we suggest the following:

- Memorize basic math facts (addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division).
- Practice written and verbal communication skills by writing in a journal.
- Read on a regular basis

As you shop for back to school supplies, please include the following materials that your child will be using on a daily basis:

- pencils (many for the school year)
- colored pencils (12 pack is perfect)
- markers (fine tip or regular)
- calculator
- Sharpies
- crayons
- highlighters (2-4 is perfect)
- dry erase markers (any kind)
- red pens
- pencil box
- erasers (pencil top or other)
- glue sticks
- white glue
- post-it notes
- scissors
- ruler
- scotch tape (2 is reasonable)
- pencil sharpener
- index cards (3x5 or 4x6)
- 1 1/2 inch binder
- 6 folders that go inside a binder (three hole punched) (math, reading, language/writing, science, social studies, homework)
- 2 hardcover composition notebooks
- shoe box for later in the year

We are also asking for **\$15.00** to cover subscription based programs such as MobyMax and Scholastic News (or other similar classroom magazine) and **\$3.00** for an Agenda book (please write separate checks). Also note that there will be a cost for the class field trip to Boston later in the year (around **\$30**) a permission slip will be given out much later in the year about the trip.

If you would like to donate to the classroom we can always use the following supplies:

Classroom Wish List

Clorox wipes
Tissues
Hand-Sanitizer
Paper towels
Ziploc Bags (snack or sandwich size)
Bandages
Plastic spoons
Craft supplies

Have a great summer vacation!

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