



Dear Future First Graders,

I am looking forward to being your first grade teacher. I am excited about getting to know each of you. We will have a great year in first grade. It will be a fun year.

Attached you will find a summer reading list and an activity for you to bring the first day of school.

Please read at least eight books and write the name of the book on the enclosed book list sheet. Please feel free to read as many books of your choice and write the names on the back or on another sheet.

Please remember to bring the book list and your "All About Me Project" on the first day of school in August.

Have a wonderful summer!

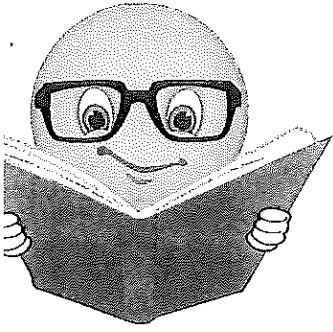
Sincerely,

Mrs. Taylor

First Grade Summer Reading Project "All About Me"

Our summer project will be to create an "All About Me Cereal Box". Have your child cover the box with paint or construction paper, then decorate all sides. They can use pictures, drawings, words, or anything they want to help the students get to know each other. Some ideas are favorite books (especially from summer reading list) foods, games, movies, songs, and pictures of family and friends. Pictured below are a few examples. Have fun creating with your child !





LOWCOUNTRYPREPARATORY SCHOOL 1st Grade Summer Reading

Summer is a great time to review K5, beginning 1st grade skills and to foster a love of reading...

FROM A GREAT BEGINNING COMES A GREAT ENDING!

I am enclosing a list of books your first grader will enjoy reading or you can read to them. Let your child choose at least six – eight books to read during the summer months. Please have your child choose his/her favorite book and complete the enclosed activity. It's your first grader's responsibility to bring this activity on the first day of school in August.

A Arthur's Eyes by Marc Brown

Amelia Bedelia by Peggy Parrish

B Little Bear by Else Minarik

Brown Bear, Brown Bear by Bill Martin Jr.

Biscuit by Alyssa Capucilli

C The Cat in the Hat by Dr. Seuss

Chicka, Chicka, Boom, Boom by Bill Martin

D The Day the Teacher Went Bananas by J. Howe

E Uncle Elephant by Arnold Lobel

F Frog and Toad books by Arnold Lobel

Franklin Series

G The Three Billy Goats Gruff by Paul Galdone

Green Eggs and Ham by Dr. Seuss

H Arthur's Halloween by Marc Brown

The Hungry Little Caterpillar by E. Carle

I Inch by Inch by L. Lionni

J Jen the Hen by Hawkins

K Curious George Flies a Kite by Margaret Resy

Kick, Pass, and Run by Kessler

L Leo the Late Bloomer by Robert Krass

The Grouchy Ladybug by Eric Carle

M Mama Rex and T Lose a Waffle by Rachel Vail

N Arthur's Nose by Marc Brown

O Just Another Ordinary Day by Rob Clement

P Pocket for Corduroy by D. Freeman

Princess and the Pea by H. Ziefert

Peanut Butter and Jelly by N. Westcott

Q The Patchwork Quilt by V. Flourney

R Rainbow Fish by Marcus Pfister

S Swimmy by Leo Lionni

The Snowy Day by Keats

T A Tree Is Nice by J. Udry

U Under the Sun and Over the Moon by M. Brown

V The Very Hungry Caterpillar by E. Carle

W Wemberly Worried by Kevin Henkes

Where the Wild Things Are by M. Sendak

X Fox in Socks by Dr. Seuss

Y Yum, Yum by Janet and Allen Ahlberg

Z A Zoo for Mister Muster by Arnold Lobel

If I Ran the Zoo by Dr. Seuss

OR ANY BOOKS YOUR CHILD WOULD LIKE TO READ.

Happy Summer Reading!

Mrs. Taylor

Supplies: First Grade

- 1 white dry erase board
- 3 composition notebooks- 100 page
- 4 pocket folders
- 4 glue sticks
- 1 24 count Crayola crayons
- 1 pack colored pencils
- 1 pack 24 count sharpened pencils
- 1 12 inch ruler
- 1 blue, black, green dry erase marker (low odor)
- 1 5 inch blunt scissors
- 2 boxes of tissue
- 2 rolls paper towels
- 1 pack wet ones
- 1 disinfectant wipes (ex. Lysol or Clorox)