

Summer 2014

Dear Parents and Students,

Welcome to another year. This year Michelle will be the lead teacher of the Upper El. Cyndi Klein will be her assistant. Michelle and I are so excited to extend to the sixth grade this year. We have been working hard this summer getting ready. Although Michelle is considered the Upper El teacher, we very much team teach. We have moved the Upper El portion of the class to the trailer and the Lower El portion to room 27. We are ready for another good year.

We have again been asked to send out a letter with the supplies the students will need when school begins.

**Please put all receipts in the bags you send in - that way we can exchange items we don't need for those we do.** Please **do not** put names on anything, including notebooks. Please do label coats though.

Upper El needs:

- 1 tub to put their stuff in: 14 X 11 X 4 or 5" is plenty big. They need to have a lid. I have seen them at Michael's for \$5.00 or so. Please do not bring in crates. They are too big and do not stack.
- 2 composition notebooks for language and grammar
- 4 1½ " binders: History, Science, Art and Latin. Some of the returning students already have an art or Latin notebook and they can reuse it. TD students need a TD notebook, as well.
- 1 quadrille notebook for math, 4 or 5 squares to an inch is fine
- Every student should bring 2 packages of composition paper, 2 pink erasers and 24 Ticonderoga pencils.
- Every fourth grade student should bring a box of tissues. We will choose another grade as we run out.
- If they want to have their own ruler, sharpener or colored pencils in their bin, this is fine.

We would like one parent to help us with each of the following once a month:

- Dish washing liquid for the sink – small
- 5 sponges per month
- Cleanser for the tables – can be wipes
- 15 gallon bags for the trash basket - the school ones do not hold the lunch trash when we eat in the room
- Dust rags for the shelves

See you soon,

Barbara and Michelle