



2016 - 2017 Classroom Supply List Ms. Milligan, Room 2118 NAM

Personal Supplies

- ◆ **Backpack or book bag** — To carry school supplies, books, homework, and Rocket Pocket. NO rolling packs.
- ◆ **1 pocket folder (heavier duty)** — Monthly homework folder. Put your child's name on the outside. No trapper-keepers or 3-ring binders.
- ◆ **1-2 notebooks (wide ruled)** — Monthly homework journal. Label with name.
- ◆ **1 small potted plant** — Your child will care for this all year in our classroom.

Community Supplies

- ◆ **4 large glue sticks**
- ◆ **3 boxes of 12 colored pencils**
- ◆ **2 packages of pink erasers** (no pencil-top erasers, please)
- ◆ **2 dozen #2 pencils** — Ticonderoga are the best and the only ones worth purchasing. They do cost more, but they last longer and the students get a great pencil with which to write. Mechanical pencils are not permitted.
- ◆ **2 boxes of Kleenex**
- ◆ **1 roll of paper towels**
- ◆ **1 tube of Clorox wipes**

Summer Homework — Book in a Bag

Summer homework is to read, read, read! I would encourage your child to read at least 10 fiction and 10 non-fiction books. First graders can read Easy Readers and picture books, second graders can read Caldecott picture books and transitional chapter books, and third graders are to be reading chapter books.

Your child will, after reading all summer, choose the 1 book she or he liked the best and will create a "Book in a Bag" to share upon returning to school in August. **You will need...** 1 paper lunch sack that has a picture of the book inside (or the actual book if it's small enough), the title and author written on the outside of the bag, and 3 objects that represent the book on the inside of the bag. Please also include a comprehensive list of the books you guys read, in case we want to add any of them to our classroom library! :) We will take turns sharing our favorite books during the first two weeks of school.