



# Welcome To KINDERGARTEN

## Note to Parents:

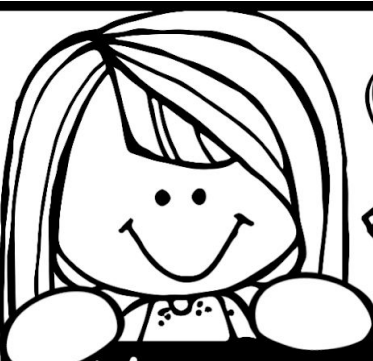
Please review the attached information sheets. We have included a gradual entry calendar, a supply list, and some suggestions of ways to help prepare your child for Kindergarten.

## Gradual Entry

For the first week (2 days) of gradual entry the class will be coming in the morning only (8:50-11:30) and the second week will be until after outside play (8:50-1:00). Please make sure your child is prepared with a backpack, a water bottle, a recess snack, and a pair of indoor shoes for this week.

For the second week, the whole class will attend 8:50-1:00. Please make sure your child is prepared with a backpack, a water bottle, a recess snack, a lunch and a pair of indoor shoes for this week.

Please don't hesitate to call the school or email the teachers with any other questions



# September

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

WELCOME TO KINDERGARTEN!!  
Here is the gradual entry calendar for all students entering Kindergarten this year.

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5 Labour Day  
NO SCHOOL!!

6 Gr.1 - Gr. 7  
First Day of School

7 No School for Kindergarten

8 Kindergarten Students  
8:50-11:30

9 Kindergarten Students  
8:50-11:30

12 Kindergarten Students  
8:50-1:00

13 Kindergarten Students  
8:50-1:00

14 Kindergarten Students  
8:50-1:00

15 Kindergarten Students  
8:50-1:00

16 Kindergarten Students  
8:50-1:00

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23 Planning Day  
NO SCHOOL!!

← Full Days 8:50-2:50 →

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30 National Day for Truth and Reconciliation  
NO SCHOOL!!



**What supplies will my child need for school?**

There is a \$40 supply fee due to the school at the beginning of the year. This fee covers all of the school, art, science, and play supplies your child will need for kindergarten.

**What does my child need to bring to school everyday?**

Your child will need:

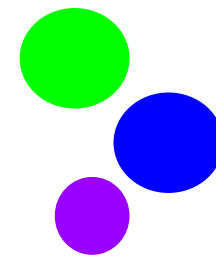
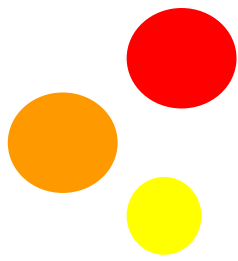
1. A large backpack
2. A change of clothes in a plastic bag
3. A healthy lunch and 2 healthy snacks
4. A pair of indoor shoes to stay at school

**What if my child is sick?**

If your child is sick please keep them home and contact the office to let Mrs. Scott know your child will be away.

**Other important information:**

1. Your child's teacher will be finalized by Monday, Sept. 12.
2. Please ensure your child gets lots of rest. They will be exhausted from the structure and pace of Kindergarten, especially the first 2 weeks of school as they adjust to the new routines..



## Please help me...

Develop my fine motor skills by...	Develop my early reading skills by...	Develop my early numeracy skills by...	Develop my oral language skills by...
<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Rolling, squishing, and shaping play-doh.</li><li>2. Cutting, tracing, printing, drawing and coloring.</li></ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Looking at the pictures in a book and let me tell you about.</li><li>2. Sharing books and stories regularly</li><li>3. Demonstrating what reading looks and sounds like.</li></ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Helping me count forward to 10 and backward from 10</li><li>2. Playing dice and card games with me</li><li>3. Helping me count objects in the house and the yard.</li></ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Asking me about my day.</li><li>2. Encouraging me to share imaginative stories with you.</li><li>3. Helping me sing the alphabet song and nursery rhymes.</li></ol>