

Dear Parents and Students,

We want to welcome you to fifth grade at Garden Road School. We are already beginning to prepare for the 2011/2012 school year. You may want to begin to prepare also. We will provide all the materials you will need for a successful year. However, we know that many students enjoy having their own materials and parents want to take advantage of the bargains and sales which occur prior to the start of school. To help you do that we've prepared the following list of suggested materials you might want and we believe will be useful in fifth grade.

SUGGESTED STUDENT ITEMS

Zipper pencil pouch
1-1½ " binder (no Trapper Keepers)
6 subject dividers, with tabs
Box of colored pencils
Box of #2 pencils
Eraser tops/Pink Pearl big eraser
Ruler with inches & centimeters with 3-holes
Scissors
Glue Stick
Highlighter
Pencil Sharpener (enclosed)
3-hole lined paper, normal size (2 packages)
Fine tip Sharpie
Small Post-Its
(Markers and crayons will be provided)

WELCOME DONATIONS

Computer/copier paper
#2 pencils
Kleenex
Small Post-Its

Please think carefully about the clothes you may be buying for school. At Garden Road we do not allow blouses or tops which show your tummy or bare back, pants which "sag" excessively, and shoes which prevent you from participating in active play. All sandals must have back straps. We want you to dress comfortably and safely.

Enjoy your summer and come back prepared for a challenging and enjoyable year.

Your Fifth Grade Team

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