



Dear Fourth Grader,

Hello. I hope you are enjoying your much needed summer vacation. I am so excited for our upcoming year together! Fourth grade is such a memorable year at Sunnymead! You will be learning about different regions of the United States, participating in new explorations in Science, receiving your music recorder, possibly joining chorus, enjoying the Fourth Grade Function and of course developing into an even more creative writer! But, the best part of this journey for me, is being able to share it with you and your parents!

I would like to tell you a little bit about my family. I live in Hillsborough and have been married to my husband Wayne for 35 years. My daughter Ashley is starting her seventh year of teaching at a school in Flemington as a science and math teacher. My daughter Gabrielle recently got engaged. She has her own business as an Esthetician and Make up Artist. My teacup yorkie Peanut will be turning 15 years old on September 20th, and our other dog Peaches, our miniature Dachshund, just turned 7. This summer was spent going on my very first cruise, and relaxing by our pool with our family and friends.

In September, I will be starting my 38th year of teaching. I still love what I do. We are going to have a fun-filled year of learning! Also, please have your mom or dad pack you a **nutritious snack with a water bottle only!**

I have absolute confidence that this will be an exciting year for us all! **Please note the items below that I would like you to bring on the first day of school. (I included what was already on the General Summer List. So all you need to do is follow the list below)**

**PLEASE make sure you unwrap all packages prior to bringing in your materials.**

- a pair of student scissors
- 1 box of 24 crayons **only**
- 2 large black Dry Erase markers (odorless if possible)
- 2 glue sticks
- 1 pencil sharpener with cover for shavings
- 1 box of **sharpened** pencils
- 1 box of eraser caps
- Headphones (Make sure they are durable)
- 1 small box of colored pencils
- **NO PENCIL BOXES NEEDED**

**The following items are optional:**

- 1 box of Ziploc Bags (**small and large**)
- 1 package of baby wipes
- 1 box of soft tissues
- 1 hand sanitizer

**World Language:**

- 1- two pocket folder for World Language

**Art class:**

- 1 -Art smock with their name on it
- 1- box of baby wipes

**NOTE:** If a purchase of any of these items is a hardship, please email me at [rdevincenz@https.us](mailto:rdevincenz@https.us) so I can make other arrangements.

Have fun shopping and enjoy your last few weeks of summer. Warmly, Mrs. DeVincenz