

Welcome to the Doodlebugs!

My name is Bernadette Knight (Ms. Bern) and I will be your child's teacher for the 2022 - 2023 school year. My assistant this year will be Ms. Allison. I'm so excited to be teaching at St. Paul's again this year and look forward to being a part of your preschool experience.

My vision of a preschool experience includes lots of play and lots of love for the two year olds. We will play in sand, dirt, water, and shaving cream. We will paint and make things with playdough. We will read books and sing songs every day. And we will do all of this while having an awesome time!!!

I realize that for most of the children this will be their first experience at school or away from family members. Yes, there will be tears (from them and you) but they will pass. Some may take longer than others and that's okay. We will work together to make the transition as smooth as possible. One way to help with the transition is to say goodbye at the door and let them come in alone at 8:30am. If they are upset and clingy, you may hand them to me. You are always welcome to text me to make sure they calmed down.

We will have snack each day, so please pack a small lunch box and include a drink. Something simple like goldfish or fruit is perfect.

I have enclosed an information sheet for you to fill out about your child. Please bring it to "Meet the Teacher". I like to know a little bit about each child before they come on the first day. I also have included a supply list. Please bring supplies on "Meet the Teacher" day or during the first weeks of school. If you have a conflict with attending "Meet the Teacher" please let me know as I am happy to accommodate you and your family.

If you have any questions or concerns, please call, send me a text or email.
Cell phone - 352-427-7404 Email – bbph@cox.net

Looking forward to meeting you and your child on August 16th in Room 5. Mon./Wed. class is welcome from 8-10am. Tues./Thurs. class is welcome from 10-12.

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Doodlebugs Supply List 2022-2023

- An extra set of clothes in a zip-lock bag labeled for your child
- A supply of diapers for the first month
- 1 pack of baby wipes
- 1 roll of paper towels
- 1 container of Clorox wipes
- 1 box of fruit snacks

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Getting to Know Your Child

Child's name – _____

Parent's Name - _____

Sibling's name and age - _____

Primary Caregiver - _____

Medical Concerns or Allergies - _____

What three words would you use to describe your child? - _____

What is your child's favorite activity? - _____

What is your child's least favorite activity? - _____

How can I help comfort your child when they are upset? - _____

What would you like to see your child learn this year? - _____

Any specific concerns or comments - _____
