

A decorative border surrounds the text, featuring various school supplies and apples. At the top left is a yellow school bus. To its right are a green crayon, a yellow pencil, and an orange crayon. On the right side, there are blue-handled scissors and a yellow pencil. At the bottom right is another yellow school bus. Along the bottom edge, there is a yellow pencil, a red crayon, a teal crayon, and blue-handled scissors. On the left side, there is a red apple with a green leaf, a purple crayon, and a yellow pencil. The entire page has a light blue grid background.

"Welcome Bears and Families!!

I would like to welcome you to the 2022-2023 school year. My name is Michelle Beck, and I will be your VPK Teacher this year. My assistant is Cara Watson. We are looking forward to working with you and your child, and helping them succeed in VPK in preparation towards kindergarten.

We are so excited for "Meet Your Teacher" on Tuesday, August 16<sup>th</sup>, 9-10:30am, in room 4. I have included a supply list for your child. Please remember to bring your supplies to "Meet Your Teacher" day. The first official day of school is Wednesday, August 17<sup>th</sup>.

We are thrilled about the upcoming year and understand that the first few weeks will be a time of transition. It is very important for your child to arrive promptly at 8:30am. We have many fun activities we will be doing; therefore, we plan on starting each day right away. We ask that you wait outside our door in the mornings and at pick up until the bell rings and we open the door to greet you.

We will have a mid-morning snack each day; so please make sure you pack a lunch box with a healthy snack and spill proof thermos for your child. Even on pizza days please send in snacks and a drink as some of them may want more to eat or just something out of their lunch box.

Once again, we look forward to meeting you and your child. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to call or text me at 352-615-9151. Have a blessed summer, and we look forward to seeing you in August.

Your teachers,

Ms. Michelle and Ms. Cara

# Bear Supply List

## EVERYONE

Change of clothes (shirt, shorts, socks & undies) in a labeled gallon zip-lock bag

2 rolls of paper towels

1 inch 3 ring binder W/clear front sleeve

1 pack Crayola Play-Doh classic colors

1 Box of Tissues

1 box 24 count Crayola Crayons

1 pack of Crayola Washable Markers Broad Line Classic Colors

1 multi pack Elmer's Glue Sticks

1 pair of blunt end scissors

2 Ticonderoga no.2 pencils

Abram, Amelia, Blythe, Cade,

Caleb, Carter, Ella

1 Large bag of Skittles

1 Box of Cheerios

Evelyn, Finnley, Harper, Jayce,

Kennedy, Stella

1 Large bag of M&M's

1 Box of Froot Loops

## BONUS ITEMS

(if you would like to grab 1 bonus item that would be awesome)

Scent free shaving cream, Baby wipe refills, Clorox wipes, large container of bubbles

\*\* We will put sticky notes or lists on our bulletin board outside our door for items we may need throughout the year. \*\*