



St. Jane Frances de Chantal School

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Dear Parent,

It is our pleasure to welcome your child to first grade and it is our privilege to share with you one of the most exciting growing periods of your child's life.

As we begin this important year together, may we take this opportunity to answer a few questions and inform you of a few details that will facilitate our everyday, learning experience. Also, please keep this letter for future reference.

SCHEDULE

7:40 AM School Begins 2:00 PM Dismissal

Please be sure that your child knows which mode of transportation he/she will be taking home (e.g. Bus **Route Number**, After Care, Walker /Car Rider). Also, **during the school year you must advise us of any change in transportation with a written note.**

CLOTHING

Please refer to the dress code in the Parent Handbook. The dress code for First Grade is different than Kindergarten. Also, please **label** your child's belongings (coats, sweaters, uniforms, school bags, lunch boxes, books, envelopes, gym sweatshirts, etc.) with your child's name.

GYM

Children will come to school dressed in their gym uniforms on their designated gym day. Both 1A and 1B have gym on **Mondays**. There will be **NO** gym class on the first day of school, therefore children should be in their regular school uniform. Be sure to **label all gym sweatshirts** with your child's name and REMEMBER sneakers must be **all white**.

STATIONERY

School supplies will be given out on the first day of school. This will include the pencil and art cases. Please send in the stationary fee of **\$20.00** on the first day of school. Checks may be made out to St. Jane School. **We will label the copybooks and folders in class and send them home a few at a time to be contacted in clear contact paper.**

BOOKS

Please cover all books, copybooks and folders in **CLEAR CONTACT PAPER**. This helps with neatness and durability. **Start looking and buying it now because clear contact paper tends to be a hot commodity once school begins!!!** All children should have a book bag, take-home folder, 5 pencils, eraser, crayons, scissors and a glue stick on the **FIRST** day of school. Please be sure your child has **at least five** sharpened pencils in their pencil case and all other necessary school items **each day** (art supplies, books, assignments, folder, etc.).

LUNCH/SNACK

First grade goes to lunch from 11:20 am-11:45 am and Snack Time is usually around 9:30 am. Please provide your child with a healthy, nutritious snack and small drink since it is early in the morning (fruit, yogurt, granola bar, cheese, etc.) Only send ONE snack to be eaten, because we have only a short amount of time. Due to allergies, please refrain from sending in any snacks that contain peanuts and/or tree nuts. Children will also need a kitchen towel to be used as a place mat to cover their desks during Snack Time. Please put your child's name in their lunch box.

MISCELLANEOUS

Any donations of paper towels, napkins, tissues, wipes, ziplock bags, and plastic spoons are greatly appreciated.

If any money is sent into school, please label with name, amount, and what the money is for in a sealed envelope.

All parents or visitors **must** report to the school office when entering the school building. Any forgotten items, including lunches, must be brought to the office and **NOT** to the classroom.

You may check our website weekly for information: www.stjaneschool.com. Your child's homework copybook must be signed each night. Test folders will be sent home on Wednesdays and all tests must be signed and returned the next day with the folder.

We trust that this communication will take care of all major questions. We look forward to a good, richly blessed, happy year in the Lord's love.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Mitcheltree (1A)

Mrs. Bozzi(1B)

