



# Preschool Information

## Preschoolers should come prepared with the following:

- Full-size backpack that is large enough to fit all of their belongings and a folder (provided) and is easy for your preschooler to pack on their own.
- Packed lunchbox with snacks, no "treats" (candy, cookies, cakes) please.
- 2 Water bottles - please bring a full bottle each day and one that can be left at school
- Full change of clothes in a labeled Ziploc bag and proper seasonal outdoor clothing
- If your child still naps, please send them with a nap mat of their own that can be kept at school. We prefer mats that roll up and come with a blanket and pillow attached. This helps with space at naptime as well as easy, compact storage.
- During the winter months, please send an additional large bag for all snow clothes and gear and a pair of slippers or inside shoes that can stay at school.
- Please label all belongings with student's first and last name.

**When choosing items for your child, please recognize the importance of independence.** Clothing, backpacks, water bottles and lunch boxes should be able to be opened, closed, zipped, put on, etc. by the student independently. Please do not allow your child to bring toys to school with them.

## Helpful Tips and School Policies:

- Class begins at 8:30, please drop off between 8:00-8:30 at side door one. If you will be arriving after 8:30, please enter through the front door.
- You have chosen either a full-time or part-time enrollment for your preschooler. *Please understand that your part-time preschooler will likely be missing fun events (parties, pajama days, guest speakers, etc.), as well as projects, lessons and activities. Though we make every effort to spread these activities and events evenly, unfortunately, we cannot allow our preschool students to attend on days that they are not enrolled.* Thank you for your understanding.
- If you would like to check for availability and do a drop-in on days that include special events, you may. Drop-ins are \$60/day. Thanks for understanding the need for this policy.
- *Part-time days may not be switched or made-up due to absences, vacation, illness, etc.* However, you may inquire about drop-ins on days that are not regularly scheduled. The rate is \$60/day.