Dear Families,



Your fourth graders are off to a great **TUNNER** start! I have enjoyed getting to know them over the past three day. They have already shown me they can be silly, work hard, and be kind - a great formula for a successful year!

One of the most important jobs of the first few weeks of school is for the children to make classroom rules together so that they can all accomplish the goals they set for themselves. We want to make our classroom a safe and caring place so that all our hopes and dreams come true. The rules that the children created are:

- Take care of myself (body, brain, work hard)
- Take care of others (listen, work quietly)
- · Take care of materials inside and outside of the classroom

These rules are broad guidelines that will take lots of attention and practice throughout the school year. I expect mistakes and, as I told the children, it is not the mistake, but how you learn to fix it, that counts

You can support your child by reading over these rules together and talking about them. It's important that your child knows your expectations, too. I look forward to working together to create a caring community of learners.

If you have any questions for me, please feel free to email or call. I look forward to working with you to help your child be the best they can be!

Best, Ms. Curran

#### COMMUNICATION

You may contact me via email at <u>currann@foxborough.kl2.ma.us</u>; or phone at 508-543-1607, extension 53113.

#### TRANSPORTATION/AFTER-CARE CHANGES

Should your child's end-of-day routine change, he or she **must bring a note or you need to email me and the school secretary early in the day in order to avoid any confusion**. If I do not receive a note or email, your child will follow their typical routine for that day.

#### ILLNESS

Please remember that it is in the best interest of everyone that your child stay home from school if he/she has symptoms of a contagious cold or flu. Please check the school handbook on specifics about contagious illnesses and our school wellness policies.

#### SUPPLIES

As stated in my summer letter, your child will be provided with everything they will need at school. If you do send in any supplies, please try to ensure that they do not inhibit learning (i.e., they cannot be used as toys). Thanks for your help!

#### SNACK

Please have your child bring **one nutritious snack** every day. We will have snack for 10–15 minutes every morning.

#### WATER BOTTLES

Children may bring in a water bottle with a cap, preferably one that is easy to open and close. <u>Only water is allowed</u>.

#### LIBRARY

Students will go to the school library once a cycle. They are allowed to check out two books at a time. Books should be returned either prior to or on library day in order to have the privilege of checking out more books.

#### HOMEWORK (coming soon)

Homework will be assigned and written into student agendas. Please check your child's agenda daily.

#### BIRTHDAYS

Birthdays will be acknowledged on or around your child's birthday. As per Foxborough Public School policy, due to food allergies, food treats are no longer allowed as part of a child's birthday celebration. Summer birthdays will be celebrated throughout the month of June.

#### CORI FORMS

Only parents who have an up-to-date CORI form will be allowed to volunteer or chaperone field trips. I highly suggest you check with the secretary to see if yours is current, as these take several weeks to process.

Please complete this form about your child and send it back to school. This will help me get to know your child. Thank you!
Child's name:
Your email address:
 My child is good at
My child needs help with
My child enjoys
 My child likes to
Academically, I would like to see my child
Socially, I would like to see my child
Anything else I should know about your child to help make the school year most successful?
Thank you for participating in your child's education!

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