

Dear Second Grade Family,

Happy New School Year! Welcome to Second Grade! My name is Melissa Nelson. I hope you are enjoying a fabulous summer!

I am excited to be your child's teacher this year. We will be starting off our year with the theme "It's Your Time to Sparkle Second Grader"! To be most effective I am writing to ask you to become a partner with me in your child's education. I feel it is so important and valuable for us to develop a strong partnership in order for our children to be successful in learning and life. I want our children to develop a love for learning that will last a lifetime.

I start off every year developing relationships with my students along with forming our classroom community. As we enter this year, I feel that these relationships are even more critical than ever before. This is where I would like our partnership to begin. Please provide me with any pertinent information about your child that you think that I should be aware of, such as their interests and school experiences. Please email me with your responses and/or any questions or concerns @mnelson@madisoncentralny.org. Listed below is our supply list.

Supply List:

-back pack

-12 sharpened pencils

-big chunked pink erasers

-box of 24 crayons

-box of Crayola markers-original colors

-pencil box

-a pair of scissors

-Glue sticks-you can buy a 12 packet and only send in 3 at a time when needed

-1 folder of your choice

-a box of tissues-you can send in one and then send in more as the year progresses if easier

-1 box of gallon Ziploc bags

-addition/subtraction cards to keep at home to practice for math

-1 container of Clorox wipes

Please label all of your child's belongings. I would greatly appreciate it. Thank you!

I am looking forward to seeing your child in September and working with you. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me. Thank you in advance for your help and support. Enjoy the rest of your summer!

Sincerely yours,

Melissa Nelson