

Dear Kindergarten Parents,

My name is Raquel Oriondo and I am very excited to have your child in my room this year! Kindergarten is going to be a wonderful year full of learning and change! Instead of waiting until Back to School Night, I thought sending home some information about the “goings on” in Kindergarten would be helpful. I am hoping that this alleviates some questions as well as anxiety.

THE FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL IS ON WEDNESDAY 8/14

Drop Off: Gates open at 7:45. Class begins promptly at 8:10. Please bring them early so they can get their wiggles out and take pictures before we start our day.

Pick up: We will be dismissing students at 1:00. If your child uses a booster or car seat please put it behind the passenger seat so students can easily get in the car and teachers can assist with buckling them in if needed. This is for safety reasons and will help the car line move faster. Please do not exit the car.

First Day and Beyond Suggestions and Information:

Please send your child with ...

1. A backpack, snack, lunch with an ice pack, and a water bottle. Please ensure they can independently open snacks and lunch items. Keep in mind that they have a 15 minute snack and 40 minute lunch. Their snack should be separated from their lunch in a labeled bag or written on the snack itself with their name. This will help prevent them from eating their snack at lunch.
2. Please remind them at drop off how Make sure they know to raise their hand for lunch and breakfast orders if they will be getting school food that day.
3. First-day supplies and donations
4. A change of clothes that I will keep in class in case of an emergency.
5. A family picture. It will go on our family wall that students will have access to if they are missing their family.

Lastly, label all belongings so your child’s personal items can be easily located.

Please feel free to email me at roriondo@tvscougars.com if you have any questions. I look forward to working with you all year. See you at Back to School Night on Thursday 8/22 for more information about classroom procedures and routines.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Oriondo