## Kindergarten Information – September 2021



## Child-Focused Conversations

Between Tuesday, September, 14 through to Friday, September 17, these afternoons will be dedicated to Child-Focused Conversations between parents and teachers. Please complete the attached "Getting Acquainted Information Sheet" and bring it to the interview with you.

A schedule will be posted in your child's classroom on Friday, September 10<sup>th</sup>. Please select a time that best suits you and sign your name next to the time slot selected. You may want to make note of the time you have chosen to help remind yourself later.

The child-focused conversations are a chance for you to tell us about your child. We ask that you keep your child at home during the interview time. However, if you are unable to arrange for alternate child care, your child is welcomed to be part of the interview.



For Kindergarten supplies, our school will be collecting \$40. Please register at SchoolCash Online, through our school's website. This will allow families to pay online for the supplies. The school will purchase supplies in bulk and supplies will be communal. If you want to purchase school supplies please see a Kindergarten teacher in September. Throughout the year, teachers may also collect monies to cover the cost of additional supplies for arts and crafts and for special activities.

Your child will need a large backpack, lunch kit and a water bottle. Your child will also need a pair of indoor running shoes and a set of extra clothing (shirt, pants, socks, underpants) to be kept at school. All these items should be clearly marked with your child's first and last name or initials, wherever possible.

## <u>Snacks/Lunches</u>



Please pack your child a morning snack and a lunch each day. We are promoting healthy eating so please keep that in mind when packing snacks and lunches. During gradual entry, your child will only need to bring a morning snack. Starting on Monday, September 20<sup>th</sup>, your child will be in full time attendance and will need both a snack and lunch. Please also keep in mind that our school is a nut and peanut-aware environment.