

August 2024

Dear Families and Guardians,

Welcome to the 2024-2025 school year. I hope everyone had a restful and relaxing summer. I am delighted to have your child in my classroom this year. I am anticipating a year filled with many wonderful experiences. The first day of school is Wednesday, August 28<sup>th</sup>.

Each day we will have a short snack time in the morning. Please send in a healthy <u>nut-free</u> snack and a water bottle. If your child will be ordering lunch, please add money to your online account. In addition, please send in extra clothing labeled with your child's name (shirt, socks, pants, and underwear) to be kept at school.

This year will be filled with many exciting experiences. I will be sharing your child's daily schedule with you during the first week of school. Remember, your child's happiness and well-being are very important to me. If you feel there is anything I should know about your child that will help him/her succeed in school, or if any problems arise, please do not hesitate to contact me by sending in a note, e-mailing <a href="mailto:SKotlus@jerichoschools.org">SKotlus@jerichoschools.org</a> or by calling our school at (516) 203-3650. Please leave a message and I will return your call at my earliest convenience.

Your support is greatly appreciated. I am looking forward to working with you and am excited to be a part of your child's growth and development. I can't wait for a fantastic year ahead!

Sincerely,

## Mrs. Kotlus



## I ask that you please send in the following items on the first day of school:

- 2 containers of anti-bacterial wipes
- 3 boxes of Elmer's glue sticks, 1 washable Elmer's glue
- 2 boxes of crayons of 24 or more
- 1 box gallon and 1 box quart zip bags
- 1 box Crayola thick markers
- 2 highlighters
- 1 black sharpie
- 7 pocket folders and 4 pocket folders with prongs
- 2 boxes #2 pencils
- 3-3x3 sticky notes
- A change of clothing to be kept at school and labeled