

Welcome to First Grade!

We are so excited your child will be attending first grade at C.T. Walker. To make the transition from kindergarten to first grade a little easier, please look over this list of expectations. First grade is a big change for our little ones, and we want them to be prepared for a year full of adventure.

We will see you in August!

-The First Grade Teachers-

What can you do to prepare your child for first grade?

1. Make sure your child knows how to tie his/her own shoes.

- 2. Keep working on letter names and sounds throughout the summer. First grade students should know all 52 upper- and lower-case letters and their sounds at the start of the year.
- 3. Encourage your child to sit and listen. We give our students plenty of opportunities to move and talk. It is imperative that they also sit and listen when it is appropriate.
- 4. Handwriting! We need to be able to read your child's handwriting.
- 5. Please teach your student his/her full name, address, phone number, and birthday.
- 6. Practice counting and identifying numbers to 100.
- 7. Practice math and reading skills using iReady or other online programs (abcya, mathplayground, etc.).





First Grade Supply List

Book bag (no rolling book bags)

1 ½ -inch three-ring binder (no ½" or 1" binders)

6 wide-ruled composition notebooks (no primary composition notebooks)

1 spiral notebook

2 pocket folders (no prongs)

Pencils (at least 24, no wrapped pencils, no mechanical pencils)

2-24 pack of crayons

Scissors (blunt tipped)

4 Pink Pearl erasers

8 glue sticks

1 primary paper tablet

Pencil bag (no boxes)

Headphones

5 sheet protectors

Wish List

Hand sanitizer

Paper towels

Kleenex

Copy paper (white or color)

Ziploc bags (any size)

Clorox wipes

Dry erase markers

Extra glue sticks, erasers, pencils, and/or

crayons

Please label the supplies with your child's name and send them on the first day of school.

Thank you!