 August 2021

Welcome to 2nd Grade! I can’t wait to meet you! School starts on August 16th and we will be learning together in **Room 2**.

Everyday, you will need:

* Your school assigned, *fully charged* tablet AND the power cord/charger
* At least 3 clean masks
* A water bottle filled ONLY with water

Materials you will need for the school year:

* 1 [pencil box](https://www.target.com/p/sterilite-pencil-box/-/A-83757535?preselect=14790827#lnk=sametab)
* 2 pencils
* 1 eraser
* [Expo or other brand Dry- erase markers](https://www.target.com/p/expo-6pk-dry-erase-marker-starter-set-with-eraser-cleaner-chisel-tip-multicolor/-/A-14790217?ref=tgt_adv_XS000000&AFID=google_pla_df&fndsrc=tmnv&DFA=71700000085191339&CPNG=PLA_DVM%2Ba064R000011tbfcQAA-Newell_2021+BTS+Solo+Campaign_Flight&adgroup=PLA_Newell&LID=700000001393753pgs&network=g&device=c&location=9032085&gclid=Cj0KCQjw6ZOIBhDdARIsAMf8YyEPP0yOqHjg0syG1RbKXfhGm_Z4u0rYx7tE_UPLvB-LVk9VKIPhIAcaAknYEALw_wcB&gclsrc=aw.ds)
* 1 [bottle of Elmer’s School Glue with the Orange cap](https://www.target.com/p/elmer-39-s-washable-school-glue-7-625oz/-/A-17089133#lnk=sametab)
* 1 [pair of scissors](https://www.target.com/p/6-34-kids-39-scissors-pointed-tip-up-38-up-8482/-/A-51677688#lnk=sametab)
* [Post-it or other type sticky notes in various sizes](https://www.target.com/p/post-it-15ct-super-sticky-notes-pack-miami-collection/-/A-51586280#lnk=sametab)
* 1 [box of crayons](https://www.target.com/p/crayola-24ct-ultra-clean-washable-crayons/-/A-14152239#lnk=sametab), any size
* 2 [composition notebooks](https://www.target.com/p/wide-ruled-composition-notebook-colors-may-vary-unison/-/A-17079109#lnk=sametab) for language arts
* 1 [spiral notebook](https://www.target.com/p/wide-ruled-1-subject-flexible-paperboard-cover-spiral-notebook-up-up/-/A-80796214?preselect=78871376#lnk=sametab) for math
* 2 [2-pocket folders with prongs](https://www.target.com/p/2-pocket-plastic-folder-with-prongs-up-up/-/A-53699544?preselect=17079607#lnk=sametab)
* 1 [package of printer paper](https://www.target.com/p/500ct-letter-printer-paper-white-up-38-up-8482/-/A-75001545#lnk=sametab)
* [Flair](https://www.target.com/p/paper-mate-5pk-marker-pens-flair-medium-tip-7mm-multicolor/-/A-14463182#lnk=sametab) or [InkJoy](https://www.target.com/p/paper-mate-6pk-gel-pens-inkjoy-fashion/-/A-81278288#lnk=sametab) colored pens
* 1 [container of Clorox wipes to clean their desk with](https://www.target.com/p/clorox-disinfecting-wipes-bleach-free-cleaning-wipes/-/A-82804633?preselect=12992463#lnk=sametab)
* 1 [box of tissues](https://www.target.com/p/facial-tissues-up-up/-/A-79834432?preselect=53524230#lnk=sametab)

The links are just examples, you do not have to shop at Target. I included them as examples to help with your decision making.

We will be doing a lot of STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematic) projects this year. I will ask you to bring in various items as needed, such as paper towel rolls, cereal boxes, etc. You can start saving items like that now!

Here is our learning schedule:

**Primary Instructional Schedule**

**Grades 1-3**

| 9:00 a.m to 10:00 a.m. | Instruction |
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| 10:00 a.m. to 10:10 a.m. | Recess |
| 10:10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. | Instruction |
| 11:30 a.m. to 11:50 p.m. | Lunch |
| 11:50 a.m. to 12:10 p.m. | Recess |
| 12:10 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. | Instruction |
| 1:00 p.m. to 1:10 p.m. | Recess |
| 1:10 p.m. to 2:55 p.m. | Instruction |

2:55 p.m. Dismissal

Dismall is at 1:55 p.m.on Minimum Days, FRIDAYS are Minimum Days!

If you have any questions, [check the website](https://www.wccusd.net/olinda) where you will find the FAQ, links to the student handbook, the daily bell schedule, and other items! To reach me, you can email me at [christina.blum@wccusd.net](mailto:christina.blum@wccusd.net) or on Class Dojo.

See you soon,

Mrs. Blum

