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Welcome back!

Welcome to what will be a great year in 4^{th} Grade! I am looking forward to working with your Children this year and watching them grow educationally and socially.

A little bit about the classroom. You will receive a weekly newsletter. It is entitled "What is happening in the classroom." This is your tool for knowing when tests will be given and what to study for, and what we will be working on in class. Please look for it every

<u>week</u>. I will also have the current newsletter posted outside the classroom and in the FACTS family portal each week.

To keep our students safe, please do not send in any food that Contains peanuts, tree nuts, or eggs. Thank you for helping us keep our Classrooms a safe space for everyone!

Your child's grades will be in the FACTS family portal. You will have access to them soon. This is a great way to check up on your child's progress, if they have any missing assignments or work to be redone.

There will be homework each night and some weekends. I will try to limit the weekend homework; I know how nice it is to just enjoy your weekends, as I try to do the same! Please be sure to look at and sign your Child's assignment notebook each night as I will be checking each morning. This will help to ensure they do not acquire any late or missing assignments.

Your child will be required to wear their uniform to school each day. It is important to check that all uniform parts conform to the uniform guidelines, regulation and warm weather. I will be checking and giving violations after a few gentle reminders, and after a few weeks of school.

Please be sure that all books are covered by Friday, September 5th. Brown paper bag covers are wonderful and hold up quite well. Please write the name of the book on the spine of the book cover so it is easier for the students to find them in their desks. No book socks are allowed as they break the bindings of books over time.

Each month I will be sending home Scholastic Book Orders with your child. It is up to you whether you would like to order or not. All orders are completed online and can either be shipped to you or the school for distribution. My online code will be listed on the note that goes home.

We will be having snack this year. It really helps get them over the mid-morning hunger! Each student will be able to bring in their own healthy snack each day. On your child's birthday (or close to it) you may bring in a treat for the class. Please let me know what day you are going to bring in the birthday treat via email or a note in their assignment notebook. Thanks!

I will also allow only bottled water in the classroom. Please be sure that the water is in a covered container of your choice so if a spill occurs water is not everywhere! Do not put anything other than plain water in the bottle please. Please no juice with their snacks.

If you ever have any questions please do not hesitate to Call me at school (508.865.5404), email me at julie.olson@assumption-cs.org, or write me a note.

Our specials schedule for this year is as follows:

Physical Education: Friday (please wear your gym uniform and the proper shoes that day)

Art: Thursday
Music: Thursday

Mass: Monday at 9AM

Computers/STEM: Wednesday French: Tuesday and Thursday

I am looking forward to the new experiences and opportunities that the upcoming school year will bring. With our enthusiasm, we can help make this year an unforgettable one!

Thanks,

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