

Dear Future First Grader,



I'm so excited that you're going to be in First Grade this year! I have been teaching for 20+ years and here at King's for the last 9 years! We will be doing a lot of reading, science, social studies, math, and projects about animals and weather! We also have wonderful Bible books that will teach you great stories about Jesus' life. I've heard how smart you are, and now you will get even smarter! Later in the year we will take field trips and help our local police department.

Here are supplies you need to be ready for the first day of school:

1. 24 sharpened pencils
2. 1 ruler with inches and cm
3. 1 package 10 count skinny tipped markers (Crayola is a good brand)
4. 1 package 10 count fat markers (please don't buy smelly markers)
5. 1 package crayons (at least 24 count)
6. 2 large erasers
7. 1 large pencil box
8. 12 glue sticks
9. 1 set of watercolor paints
10. 2 different colored whiteboard markers
11. 1 pair of children's Fiskars scissors
12. 1 baby picture with your name on the back (that I can keep)
13. 1 two-inch white three ring binder with clear plastic sleeves on the outside
14. 1 box of gallon Ziploc bags, 1 box of Kleenex, and 1 container of bleach wipe
15. Small treasure box prizes (like Happy Meal toys, party favor toys, etc..)



God bless you as you get ready for school to start. I am looking forward to getting to know you even better and sharing this year with you. **Keep on reading** and practicing your math and handwriting so we're all well prepared for school to start. Blessings to your family!

Love, *Mrs. Hawkins*

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P.S. Please join me for our King's "Welcome Back" night on Thursday 8/31 5:30-6:30 to say hello and have a popsicle! You're welcome to bring your supplies then if you'd like.