

June 16, 2023

Dear First Grade Families,

I am very excited about starting a new school year, and I am looking forward to being your teacher. We are going to be learning about several different things, some of which include spiders, dinosaurs, the Rainforest, and much, much more!

The only things your child will need to start the school year is a backpack and a water bottle. We do not have a fountain in the classroom so I allow them to keep water at their seats. If for some reason you can't get these 2 things, please email me at [djaeger@gccs.us](mailto:djaeger@gccs.us) and we will figure it out. The school will be providing all other supplies needed for your children.

I hope you enjoy your summer, but I also want you to keep reading. There are libraries in Windham, Middleburgh and Stamford. I would like you to keep a journal about the many exciting things you may do this summer. This can be done as a scrapbook, a written journal, or even a poster. When you come back to school in September, I want you to either bring your journal or one thing from your summer that you would like to share with the class. I am also including a Sumer Break Review for ELA and Math, this is just something a little extra I like to send home if you would like some ideas for keeping all of what they learned in kindergarten fresh in their minds.

Have a GREAT summer and I can't wait to see you in September.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Jaeger-Brand

