

July 28, 2017

Dear First Grader,

Welcome to a new school year. I hope you have enjoyed your summer and that you are getting excited about being in first grade! My name is Mrs. Prince and I am your new first grade teacher. I am really excited to start school and meet you.

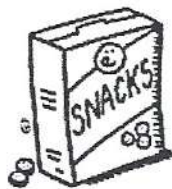
School begins on Tuesday August 15, 2017. We will have Back to School Night on Thursday August 10, 2017 You can bring your parents to come see your new classroom and get important information for the upcoming school year.

The following items are not required, but if you are wondering what donations we can use, please refer to this list. THANKS! ALL DONATIONS ARE APPRECIATED!

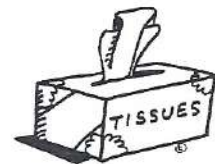
*A package of glue sticks



*Clorox or Lysol wipes



*A box of tissues



* Germ X

*A snack to share with the class (crackers, fruit snacks, cereal, pretzels, etc.)
The snacks will be shared with the class during morning recess.



On the first day of school please bring a backpack or book bag with your name on it and a lunch or lunch money. (please continue to bring this everyday!)



Thank you so much! I can't wait to meet you! ☺
Enjoy the rest of your summer break and I will see you soon.

Love Your Teacher,
Mrs. Prince

Parents read the back.

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Dear Parents,

Welcome back to school! I am excited for this year to begin and look forward to working with you and your First Grader. I believe that it takes great parents and teachers working together for students to be successful. This year is very exciting for your student. In first grade they learn and grow so much.

Enclosed you will find the following forms:

*Mrs. Prince's First Grade Registration

*All About Me information sheet



Will you please fill these out with your child and bring them with you to our Back to School Night August 10, 2017? We will meet in our classroom from 6:00-6:30 pm. Please review the letter from Principal Jenkins for more important information. If you have any special information about your child that you feel I should know, please include it on the bottom of the yellow registration form or give me a call. Please review the information in your child's letter and bring items, if possible, to Back to School Night. It is not necessary to label items because all items are shared with the class.

At back to school night, I will be collecting information about how your student gets home each day. If they ride a bus, I will have you provide the bus#. To find this information, please use the following website:

<http://irondistrict.org/bus-routes>

I am excited for the opportunity to work with you and teach your child this year. This will be a fun and exciting year for your child. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me at the school 586-9485, at home 865-9175, or by e-mail at brenda.prince@ironmail.org

Thank you!

Mrs. Brenda Prince

IRON SPRINGS ELEMENTARY

MINERS- Digging for Knowledge

Dear Parents/Guardians and Students,

It won't be much longer until school begins again. As summer comes to a close, I am thrilled to have another year to serve the students of Iron Springs. I hope everyone has a wonderful school year that is filled with friends, good experiences, and lots of learning. Please read this letter closely as there have been several changes to our beginning of the year schedule.

Kindergarten Assessments August 7th & 8th (9:00-3:00)

Your child's kindergarten classroom teacher will be posted on kindergarten doors on Back to School Night.

Back to School Night - Thursday August 10th (6:00 - 8:00) - All Grades (Including kindergarten)

This evening will be a great opportunity for you and your child to meet their new teachers and get prepared for the upcoming school year. Sometime during the evening, please visit the gym to receive important information regarding the PTA, school programs, how to sign up for clubs, and other important news. Please plan on attending.

Our Back to School Night schedule will go as follows:

Back to School Night Open House

(6:00-8:00 PTA - Gym)

(6:00-6:30 Kindergarten and 1st Grade)

(6:30-7:00 pm 2nd / 3rd Grade)

(7:00-7:30 4th / 5th Grade)

First Day of School (Except Kindergarten) - Tuesday August 15th (8:50 - 3:30)

First Day of School (Kindergarten) - Thursday August 24th (AM:8:50-11:35) (PM 12:45-3:30)

Attendance

Daily school attendance is crucial to your child's academic success. When a child is absent, they miss out on activities and lessons that cannot be adequately made up at home. Please help your child by bringing them to school on time, unless they are running a fever, throwing up, or are contagious.

Student Drop Off/Pick Up

To ensure your child's safety, please bring them to school **no earlier than 8:30**. This allows the school to have adequate supervision. Pick-up time for students is **no later than 4:00** on regular school days and **no later than 2:00** on early out Wednesdays. Parents are welcome to pick-up or drop-off their students at the front of the school or near the back/west corner. If you need to enter the school, please park your car in the parking lot.

Integrity, Respect, Ownership, Now (IRON)

At the start of the 2017-18 school year, Iron Springs Elementary will begin teaching students what it means to be an IRON Miner. Students will learn Integrity, Respect, Ownership and Now (urgency) and how these four elements impact their lives. They will have an opportunity to practice these skills, earn rewards and recognition, and develop skills that will empower them throughout their lives. Please reinforce your student in their learning by asking them about IRON throughout the school year.

I look forward to having a chance to meet with you. Please feel free to come by my office or call me at anytime. Thank you for your continual support.

Principal
Nathan Jenkins

Secretary
Melody Wilson

Mrs. Prince's First Grade Registration

Name your child goes by: _____

Address: _____

Home phone number: _____ Cell Phone number _____

Child lives with: _____

Father's name and work phone number: _____

Mother's name and work phone number: _____

Child's birthday _____ e-mail address: _____

Child is: Left Handed _____ Right Handed _____

Allergies: _____

Doctor's name and phone number: _____

If you cannot be reached, who should be contacted?

Name and phone number: _____

Does your child have siblings in this school? Please list siblings, grade, and teacher below

Name _____ Grade _____ Teacher _____

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What are the two most important things you want your child to learn this year?

1: _____

2: _____

Any other comments or concerns:



ALL About Me



My name is: _____

My birthday is on _____

I was born in _____ (city & state)

I have _____ brothers and _____ sisters.

Mom and I like to _____

Dad and I like to _____

What I like to do with my family _____

What I like to do with my friends _____

My favorite color is _____

My favorite sport is _____

My favorite food is _____

My favorite animal or pet is _____

My favorite day this summer was _____

The day of the week I like best is _____ because

My hobbies are _____
