



**Solid Rock Christian Kindergarten and Preschool
Mrs. Starr's Class**

July 29, 2016

Dear parents,

Welcome to the upcoming 2016-2017 Kindergarten and Pre-kindergarten school year. I am excited about the new school year; and I hope this information will prove to be helpful as you begin to plan and prepare for that first day of school. It is coming fast!

Important Dates for Your Calendar:

- **The first day of school** is Wednesday, September 7, 2016. Our class will begin at 9:00. The preschool class will be dismissed at 12:00; and the kindergarten class will be dismissed at 3:00.
- **Open House** will be on Tuesday, August 30, at 10-11:30 a.m. This will be a special time for your child to come and get familiar with the classroom.
- **Parent Orientation** will be on Tuesday, August 30, at 6:00-7:00 p.m. This will be an evening for you to meet the staff, look at the curriculum, get familiar with the program and ask any questions you may have. There will be no childcare available at the Parent Orientation.
- **Back to School** sales are in full swing and I hope you can take advantage of all those good deals. I appreciate your help in providing for these supplies. If you have any questions or concerns please email me or call my cell number.

School Supplies

- Water Bottle- labeled with your child's name**
- 3 packages of 8-10 primary color markers – not labeled**
- 1 scissors -not labeled**
- 2 package of 24 count crayons**
- 1 large eraser**
- 1 pencil sharpener**
- 1 package of colored pencils**
- 1 package of three large Elmer's glue sticks or 6 small Elmer's glue sticks**
- 1 school box-labeled**
- 1 plain crème or white colored canvas tote bag to use for a homework bag or you can give me \$2.50 and I will purchase it for you.**
- 1 package of wipes**
- 2 Containers of Lysol wipes**
- Emergency Kit (details listed on next page)**

Please put one of each item in your Child's school box for daily use. I will collect the rest of the supplies to be distributed throughout the school year as needed. I will collect scissors and glue sticks to be put in a container to be used during group and center times. The canvas bag will take the place of a back-pack (unless you prefer to have both) and it will be decorated with your child's picture and will be called a" Homework Bag". Your child will need to bring their homework bag every day to school. Thank you for all your support as we begin our new school year.

EMERGENCY KITS are an important way for the school to meet your child's needs in the event of an emergency. Please provide a pre-packed snack, emergency blanket, small pack of tissues, small pack of wipes or hand sanitizer and a picture of your family. You can build your own emergency kit or buy a pre-packaged kit. Please remember to put items in a plastic zip-lock bag and label it with your child's name and class. We will provide water. These are due the first week of school. If your child requires medication of any kind please include explanation letter and medication in a separate sealed zip lock bag labeled with child's name and name of medication. Please note date sensitive medications.

God bless you! Mrs. Kim Starr
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