

## TURTLEBACK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL SUPPLY LIST – FIRST GRADE

Dear Future First Grade Students and Parents:

We want to congratulate you and welcome you into the first grade at Turtleback Elementary School. It will be a very exciting and busy year for you.

As you know, every time you move up to another grade level you face new and exciting challenges and new expectations. Your child will be learning study and organizational skills and may want and need a few items. Although the school has supplies available, we know children prefer to have their own personal materials. Here is a list of the items we suggest you donate for your child. If you choose to send materials with your child, please **mark each individual item with his/her name in permanent ink.**

Please send only the items listed below:

- 1 box of crayons of 24 crayons
- 4 glue stick (jumbo)
- 2 bottle of Elmer's glue (white only)
- 10 pencils – **sharpened**
- 1 pencil box to hold items above (**8 x 5**)
- 1 box of Crayola markers – washable
- 2 black sharpie markers
- 1 water color paint set (8 colors)
- 1 pair pointed (heavy duty) children's scissors (**Fiskars**)
- 1 large box of facial tissue to be shared in the classroom
- 1 box of gallon size zip lock bags (**IF YOUR CHILD IS A GIRL**)
- 1 box of small zip lock bags (**IF YOU CHILD IS A BOY**)
- 2 container of Wet Ones/Baby Wipes
- 1 4-pack Expo **fine tip dry erase** markers
- 2 pink medium erasers
- 1 composition book – primary, ½" ruled

If you choose to send these items, please send them with your child the first day of school.

Many parents ask how to best prepare their child for first grade. We suggest reading to your child on a regular basis. You might also start "weaning" your child from their afternoon nap. To reduce the anxiety about all the changes with a new grade level, please talk with your child about how much **FUN** first grade will be!

We look forward to working with your child. See you in the Fall!

Sincerely,

The First Grade Teachers

NOTE: You can order online from [Innisbrook.com](http://Innisbrook.com) thru June 20 or if you purchase items from Office Depot, give them our school number (70013891) and Turtleback will receive 5% cash back.