

Gearing Up for Kindergarten

Suggestions and Ideas!

What to bring to school that stays at school:

- Rain jacket
- Rain pants
- Boots
- Indoor shoes
- Full change of clothes (*Ziplock and label each piece of clothing – check sizing throughout the year*)

****Please label child's name on each item***

RAIN JACKETS – Waterproof for Outdoor Play

**Label child's name inside jacket*



AVOID

(Fleece, Denim, Cotton)



BOOTS – For Rain and Winter

**Label child's name inside boots*



AVOID



RAIN PANTS – Waterproof for Outdoor Play

**Label child's name inside pants*



AVOID

(Light athletic pants will not stay dry inside)



INDOOR SHOES

(Velcro or no-lace pull on runners are best)

***Label child's name inside shoes**



AVOID

(Crocs, laces, flats, sandals - indoor shoes are also used during gym times)



BACKPACKS

(Include front, main and water bottle pocket)

***Label child's name inside bag**



Encourage your child to practice zipping/unzipping their backpacks and removing the water bottle from the pocket



Lunch Bag Suggestions

Water Bottle Suggestions

Ice Pack Suggestions

LUNCH AND SNACK CONTAINERS

(Thermos, plastic and metal containers preferred)

***Label child's name on individual containers**



Encourage your child to practice opening/closing their containers to promote independence

AVOID

(limits waste at school and potential glass hazards)

