

June

To my new students and their families,

I look forward to starting fourth grade with you this September. I know that it's helpful to have a supply list to use as you "hit" the August sales. It also makes it possible for you to be organized right from the beginning when you come in prepared to use these supplies the first day of school.

These items need to be replaced as they are used:

- 12 pencils for each month
- 1 package Loose-leaf regular lined paper (not college ruled)
- 2 Erasers
- 2 Glue sticks
- 1 box of 8 crayons
- 1 pack colored pencils
- 1 scotch tape
- 1 yellow highlighter
- 2 Post-It note pads (1½ x 2 size)

These are usually good for the year:

- 1 half-inch three-ring binder (No trapper keepers, please.)
- 1 "bag" type pencil bag
- 1 box type pencil case – standard size
- 7 two-pocket folders with paper fasteners in the middle
- 3 marbled notebooks (regular lined – not college ruled; pages not perforated)
- 3 spiral notebooks (regular lined – not college ruled; pages not perforated)
- 3 stretchy book covers – **jumbo** size to fit our textbooks
- 1 pair scissors – Fiskers
- 1 pack 3 by 5 lined note cards
- 1 **large** box of tissues
- \$1.00 for the assignment notebook (additional cost subsidized by PTO.)



I am excited to tell you we have a class website. You may visit our site for information this summer and during the school year. The address is: <http://quia.com/pages/mrsmatson.html>. There is a survey on it for you and one for your parents so that I can get to know you better before the year starts. You'll also find several activities, links, and further summer reading suggestions that you may find helpful.

Please make sure that you read several books during the summer and take AR quizzes so you reach 6 AR points by September. Here's a challenge - how many more than six can you earn? You can find a link to AR on our class web page. Please practice your math facts during the summer. Don't forget to pick a writing project to complete and bring to school in September. I hope you all have an enjoyable summer vacation. I will see you in the fall for a great year in fourth grade!

Sincerely,
Mrs. Matson