

Dear Kindergarten Parents,

We are sending this letter to introduce ourselves and to help you to prepare for the first day of kindergarten. Mrs. DeMarco was a third grade teacher before becoming a kindergarten teacher at Oxford Central School. Miss Knauer graduated from Bloomsburg University in 2008 and has worked at Oxford Central School for the past three years as a part time in-class support teacher and instructional aide. We both are very excited to be teaching Oxford's full-day kindergarten this year.

There are a few items we would like your child to bring to school on the first day. Please use this list for checking items as you shop. Let us know if you have difficulty finding anything. Please do not send supplies other than what are listed below.

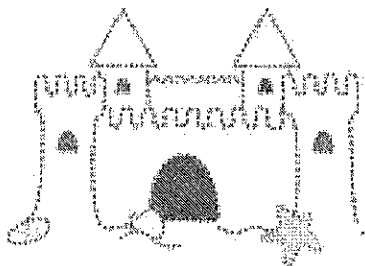
- 1 full-size backpack with two shoulder straps
- 2 double pocket folders (horizontal pockets) labeled with child's name

Remember that your child will be eating lunch in school. Packing healthy food your child likes in a small portion may be the wisest choice for starting school. While the choice is yours, buying lunch can be introduced later as the children become comfortable in the cafeteria setting. One small, healthy snack should also be packed separately. Some snack ideas might include raisins, grapes, baby carrots, or a small handful of pretzels or crackers. A drink is not necessary, but if you choose to send one, a small water bottle is best.

Kindergarten orientation will be on Wednesday, August 24 at 9:00 a.m. During this time, your child will get to see the classroom, meet classmates and listen to a story with the teacher. This is also a time for you to ask any questions that you may have. This is your kindergartner's special day, so please no siblings. If your child will be riding the bus to school, you can take a short bus ride that day. Parents can ride too!

Enjoy the rest of your summer. We will see you in September.

Sincerely,  
Lisa DeMarco and Laura Knauer



## First Grade Supply List

1 Spacemaker Pencil Box, labeled with your name (your supplies will fit inside)

1 box of 16 crayons

15 glue sticks - please put your name or initials on each one

5 sharpened pencils with erasers

5 Pink erasers - please put your name or initials on each one

2 folders (different colors)

1 simple hand held pencil sharpener that can contain the pencil shavings

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## Second Grade Supply List

Please send the following supplies to school on the first day with your child:

- 1 standard size pencil box
- about 10 Dixon Ticonderoga pencils (they sharpen best)
- scissors
- crayons
- washable markers
- colored pencils (Crayola sharpen best)
- sharpener for colored pencils
- 1 bottle of Elmer's glue
- 3 glue sticks
- 4 composition notebooks
- 4 folders

# 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Supply List

(Miss DeWitt & Mrs. Paola)

- **4 Composition Notebooks**
- **A pack of loose-leaf notebook paper**
- **Folders:**
  - 3 Regular Folders
  - 1 Folder with tabs
  - 1 Folder (paper, 2 pockets) for Spanish
- **A pencil box with...**
  - Supply of pencils
  - Cap erasers
  - Scissors
  - Hi-liter
  - Red pen, blue pen
  - Glue sticks (at least 5)
  - Pencil Sharpener
- **Optional Items:**
  - Markers
  - Crayons
  - Colored Pencils
- **Donations of the following are always appreciated:**

- Cleaning Wipes
- Baggies (with seals) - sandwich, gallon
- Napkins

# Hello Fourth Graders!

Mrs. Dowd and Ms. Mazzeo can't wait to see your smiling faces in fourth grade! Oxford is providing most of the supplies you will need for the school year. The following is a list of the supplies that you will need to bring to school with you on the first day:

- ❖ **1 pocket folder** – pick a “fun” design – this will be your homework folder
- ❖ **4 jumbo sized stretchy book covers**
- ❖ **1 zippered pencil case** – to hold all of the supplies you will get in school
- ❖ **1 pair of scissors** – child sized, preferably Fiskars brand
- ❖ **15-20 pencils** –pre-sharpened – this should be enough for the entire year
- ❖ **1 glue stick**
- ❖ **1 pack of 3x5 index cards**
- ❖ **1 purple pocket folder for Spanish (must be paper so it can be written on)**
- ❖ **2 highlighters**
- ❖ **2 red pens**
- ❖ **1 pack of colored pencils**

Donations of the following items can be sent in at any time during the year:

- Gallon or sandwich sized “Ziploc” or slider bags
- paper towels
- hand sanitizer
- baby wipes (used to clean desk tops)

A homework agenda book will be provided. We have markers and crayons, but you may bring *small* packs if they fit in your pencil case. Please **DO NOT** bring in Trapper Keepers or any other type of binder. They are too large to be stored in your desk.

See you in September!

*Mrs. Dowd and Ms. Mazzeo*

## 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Supply List 2011-2012

- 1 2-inch 3 ring binder (heavy duty if possible)
- 1 8-pack of binder dividers
- 1 150-pack of loose leaf paper
- 2 composition books
  - One for Writing
  - One for Math
- 1 three hole punched pencil case for binder (no pencil boxes, please)
- 5 packs of white lined 3x5 index cards
  - 3 for LA
  - 2 for Science
- Pencils
- 2 red pens
- 4 fine tip dry erase markers
- 1 TI 30xa calculator
- 3 3-hole punched pocket folders
  - One for Family Life
  - One for Music
  - One for Homework

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Supply list for all incoming 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade students

<b>Language Arts:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ 1 <b>red</b> 1 ½ inch 3 ring binder</li><li>○ Filler paper</li><li>○ 1-two subject spiral notebook with pockets</li><li>○ Red pens</li><li>○ Blue or black pens</li><li>○ Pencils</li><li>○ 1 pack of 3x5 index cards</li><li>○ 1 composition notebook</li></ul>	<b>Math:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ 1 <b>black</b> 1 ½ inch 3 ring binder</li><li>○ Spiral 3-hole notebook</li><li>○ 1 composition book</li><li>○ Pencils</li><li>○ Blue pens</li><li>○ Ruler</li><li>○ Protractor</li><li>○ Fine point dry-erase markers (two 4 pack)</li><li>○ Calculator – TI 30XA</li></ul>
<b>Science:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ 1 <b>green</b> 1 ½ inch 3 ring binder</li><li>○ Filler paper</li><li>○ Blue ink pens</li><li>○ Pencils</li><li>○ 1 pocket folder</li><li>○ 1 roll of paper towels</li><li>○ 1 composition notebook</li></ul>	<b>Social Studies:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● 1 <b>blue</b> 1 ½ inch 3 ring binder</li><li>● Filler paper</li><li>● 3 x 5 index cards</li><li>● Pencils</li><li>● 1 spiral notebook</li><li>● 1- 5 pk. of poster board size 17x 22</li><li>● 1 pk. of dividers with 5 tabs</li></ul>

- **Health class:** two pocket folder
- **Spanish:** two pocket folder (made of paper material not covered in plastic)

- Please remember that these supplies are intended to last for the entire school year.
- We also request that students do not use Trapper Keepers as binders.

**Optional material:**

- Cap or regular erasers
- Homework folder
- Pocket dictionary
- Pencil case (not a plastic box)
- USB drive
- Personal hand held sharpener

We look forward to meeting you on the first day of school. Enjoy your summer!

Sincerely,  
The Sixth- Eighth grade Teachers

