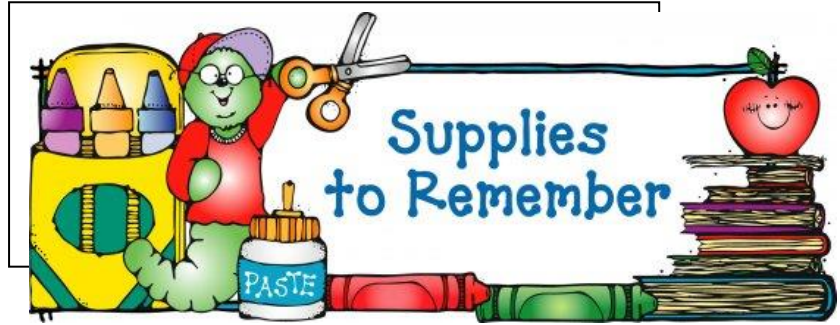


August 14, 2017



Dear Parent/Guardian:

I have been given the privilege of being your child's 4th grade teacher for the 2017-2018 school year. This will be my eighth year teaching at North Aurelius. Prior to that, I taught special education at Mason High School for 10 years, middle school for 3 years, and preschool for 8 years.

In case you are planning to do any school shopping over the summer, a list of **possible** supplies (if you wish) is listed below. However, all necessary materials will be supplied by the school, so **NONE** of these items is required.

- Their own seat cushion (only for sitting upon—I will also have some available)
- Water Bottle (preferably with an air space around it to avoid condensation)
- Backpack (the lockers are narrow, so a soft/collapsible bottom is preferred)
- Pencil Box/Bag (for inside their desk)
- Handheld Sharpener (with a container to catch pencil shavings)
- Pencils, Replacement Lead (if using mechanical pencils), Erasers
- Dry Erase Markers, Washable Markers, Colored Pencils, Crayons (their choice)
- Their own paper or writing materials (if they wish to have extra)

In addition, any of the following donations for the entire class to use are appreciated as well:

- Kleenex, Paper Towels, Wipes
- Band-aids (preferably Latex-free)
- Ziploc baggies (mostly sandwich size)
- Small individually wrapped candies (for prizes)
- Dry Erase Markers

If you have any concerns or questions for me in the meantime, please feel free to leave me a voicemail message at (517) 676-6506, ext. 715, mail a letter to the school, or e-mail me at dunsmoree@masonk12.net.

I look forward to meeting you and your child at the Fall Welcome-Back Open House on Thursday, August 24, 6:00-7:00 p.m., or on the first day of school, Monday, August 28.

Sincerely,

Ellen Kerr-Dunsmore (Mrs. Dunsmore)
4th Grade Teacher
North Aurelius Elementary School