



Dear Incoming 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Student,

We would like to take this opportunity to welcome you to the 5<sup>th</sup> grade. This is going to be a challenging and exciting year in which you will create fun-filled memories that will last a lifetime. We hope you are looking forward to it as much as we are.

In this letter you will find a list of supplies that you should bring with you on the first day of school. Please make sure that all money brought to school is placed in separate envelopes labeled with your name and the amount enclosed. In addition, attached to this letter, you will find a summer reading list. From this list, please select two books to read. There are two graphic organizers attached to this letter as well. Fill out both of them, using a different book for each one. The organizers will be collected by your classroom teacher on the first day of school, September 8.

We wish you a happy summer and look forward to seeing you in September.



Sincerely Yours,

*The Fifth Grade Teachers*

### Grade 5 Supply List 2009/2010

1. 12 hard-covered marble notebooks
2. 8 folders
3. 1 Small art box or pencil case
4. Blue or black pens (2 boxes/packages)
5. Lots of pencils (3 boxes)
6. Pencil sharpener
7. Colored pencils
8. Crayons
9. Loose leaf paper
10. Magic Markers
11. Expo brand dry-erase markers
12. Post-it notes
13. Scotch tape
14. Scissors
15. Ruler (12 inches/centimeters)
16. Protractor
17. Pocket dictionary
18. \$6 for homework planner
19. \$6 for news magazine
20. 2 rolls of paper towels
21. 2 boxes of tissues
22. 1 box of baby wipes
23. Zip-lock storage bags  
(Boys - gallon size; Girls - quart size)
24. 2 packages of lined index cards
25. 1 small stapler
26. 1 USB Flash Drive-you can purchase one with as little as 512 MB-please look out for sales throughout the summer, as you may find a great bargain!