Dear Incoming Fifth Grade Students,

New Student Orientation Aug. 30, 2018 at 11:00 in the Joy Center

Welcome, this is going to be an exciting year! I am praying for you as you prepare to come to fifth grade. Our first day of school will be September 5th, dismissing at 12:00. This year please bring in a healthy snack but refrain from bringing in any food that contains nuts as we are a peanut free classroom. I am looking forward to seeing you soon. For your convenience I have including a list of the supplies that you will need for the upcoming school year. Please make sure you have everything labeled with your name.

- ♦ 1 1-1/2" or 2" 3 ring binder (hard, not flexible, and open binder, no zipper/closing type bulky binders
- ♦ 1- Blue plastic pocket folder-left pocket labeled "Homework"; right pocket labeled "Return"
- ♦ 1- Pair scissors
- 1- Subject dividers with labels Math, Bible, Health and Science, Language, History, Reading
- ♦ 2 Dozen yellow #2 pencils sharpened
- ♦ 1- Package blue/black erasable pens—no permanent ink pens or pens with click tops.
- ♦ 1- Package colored pencils—sharpened
- ♦ 2- Glue sticks
- ♦ 2- Erasers
- ♦ 1- Thesaurus
- ♦ 1- Dictionary
- ♦ 2- Dry erase markers and a dry erase eraser
- ♦ 1-Package 3x5 cards and file box
- ♦ 2-pads of Post-It Notes
- ♦ 1-Scotch Tape
- ♦ 1-NIV Student Bible Compact Hardcover ISBN:9780310437147 (Barnes & Noble and www.christianbook.com carry it)
- ♦ 4-Packages of notebook paper
- ♦ 2-Composition books
- ♦ 2-Red pens
- ♦ 2-Boxes tissues
- ♦ 1-Student size calculator
- ♦ 1-Hand sanitizer
- ♦ 1-Art smock (Oversized T-Shirt works best)
- ♦ 1-English/Metric ruler, protractor, and compass for Math
- ♦ 1-Art supply box
- ♦ 1-Highlighter
- ♦ 2-Containers of Clorox wipes
- ♦ 1-Roll masking tape

Please also remember to complete your required summer reading of *The Prince Warriors* and your reading guide during the summer. This is a graded activity and you should be prepared to turn it in on the first day of school.

Please bring a healthy snack for the mornings, such as fruit, vegetables, pretzels, crackers and granola bars (no fruit cups or yogurt cups.) Please, no candy! Students may have a non-disposable water bottle at school, but only if it is a bottle with a sports top closure. When your child is not participating in the lunch program, please remember to pack a sandwich, a snack and a water bottle or juice box for lunch. We hope you are as excited as we are about the upcoming school year!