

Dear First Grader,

Welcome to first grade! We are SO excited that you will be in our class this year. It is going to be a fun year filled with lots of learning and new adventures. We can't wait to learn all about you!

To begin the year we will be sharing our favorite stories with each other. Please bring in a favorite picture book so we can share and read these books together over the first weeks of school. Also, draw a picture of one of your "happy" places or the people that make you feel happy. We will hang the pictures up in our classroom.

We have an exciting year ahead! We look forward to meeting you when school begins. Enjoy the rest of your summer vacation. We will see you soon!

> From, Mrs. Bergeron Ms. Lydon MS. Sanborn