Beechwood School Class 3 September 2023

Dear Parents,

We are so happy that your child is in our class this year! Mrs. Romero and I have planned an exciting year of fun and new learning experiences for your child and we look forward to seeing their growth and development over the next 9 months.

We have a few things that we would like for you to know as we begin our new year together. First, our Back to School night will be on Tuesday, September 26 and we will let you know the time as we get closer. Secondly, the teachers will be using Class Dojo as our primary source of communication and we will try to send out something a few times a week. We will include things we did during the day, pictures and upcoming information for you to be aware of. We will also generate a monthly newsletter that we will send through Dojo and we will hang it on the board outside our classroom as well. We will also communicate directly with you via Dojo on personal matters regarding your child.

We will start the school year by talking about ourselves - how we are the same and also how we are different. On Monday, 9/11, we will discuss "our favorites" and each child is invited to bring in their favorite stuffed animal and to tell the class why they chose it. We will also talk about our homes, our families and then colors, shapes and apples to finish out the month.

Show and Tell will begin the week of 9/25. We do this to encourage comfort in public speaking and to connect school and home learning. We will ask you to encourage your child to bring in something that is related to our weekly theme such as the shape, color, letter, etc., subject item for the week. The category will be posted on Class Dojo for the upcoming week. We will also be sending home a Letter Bucket once a week for each child to fill it with things that begin with the letter we are studying. More information on this will be discussed at Back To School night.

We are going to have a great year!

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