

September 2011

To the Parents :

We're so glad you're joining us for an exciting year of fun and learning at the Beechwood School. Back to School Night will be Sept. 13th, times to be posted on the parent board, hope to see you there.

Please make sure your child has an adult size T-shirt to use as an artist's smock. Please label all clothes, backpacks, etc. that the children bring into school. We would also like you to send in a small picture of your child that will be returned at the end of the year. Please send in a change of clothes in a large ziplock bag in case of any accidents. Children who stay for nap should have a crib-size sheet and blanket, travel size pillow and a small stuffed animal in a backpack that will remain in school all week.

We will start our year exploring shapes and colors. The first full week of school we will begin studying red, blue, circles, and squares. Feel free to send in snacks that fit the colors or shapes we are studying. Please encourage the child to wear the color as much as possible during that week and find pictures of objects that coincide with the shape. The children's Show & Share should also follow each week's theme. The color and shape will be posted outside our classroom.

To help your child adjust to their new surroundings, please give them a cheerful kiss and leave promptly so your child may start their day.

We're looking forward to a good year!

Sincerely,

Pat Ranshaw & Bettyann Cloak