Welcome to First Grade! The first grade teachers hope that you are as excited about the upcoming academic year as we are. We know how difficult it is to get school supplies in the beginning of the school year (long lines, items out of stock, etc.). To start the year smoothly and begin working right away, we will purchase the supplies. We buy the materials in bulk and do not pay sales tax. We believe we are able to save some money by purchasing things this way. Items purchased with this money include: pencils, notebooks, folders, markers, glue, etc.

We request that each family contribute \$50.00.

This will cover the cost of materials above. Please send in a <u>CHECK</u> on the first day of school made out to <u>PS199</u>. Please send this check in a <u>sealed envelope with your child's name on it</u>. (Every student will receive the same supplies regardless of what you can contribute.)

Thank you in advance for your cooperation. Have a wonderful summer. We look forward to meeting you in September! ©

Sincerely, The First Grade Teachers

Your child will need to **BRING TO SCHOOL**:

- •<u>A STANDARD SIZED</u> book bag labeled with your child's name, school & class.

 <u>DO NOT send in small (child-sized)</u>

 <u>bookbags or bookbags with wheels</u>
- •1 small bottle hand sanitizer

- 2 rolls of paper towels
- 1 box of sandwich size **Ziploc bags**
- 1 large box of tissues
- 2 containers of **Lysol Wipes**
- 1 box of Paper Mate Flair Pens



Your child will need the following supplies to <u>KEEP AT HOME</u> for homework and class projects:

- Pencils
- Pens
- Crayons/markers
- Paper
- Post-its

- Scissors
- Glue/glue sticks
- Dice
- Tape
- Deck of Playing Cards

