

**Muskingum Valley Preschool Welcome Letter
Pike Site**

Welcome to Preschool!

Whether preschool is a new experience for you or a familiar process, you will need to know what supplies your child needs to bring to school. Most supplies are provided by the program, but we also request that each family provide some classroom and personal items. Below is a list of items that should be brought to your child's open house. You will receive information about this event closer to the beginning of the school year.

CLASS ITEMS: Please label each item listed below with child's name. Some of these items are not usually on our list but due to current circumstances, supplies need to be individual.

- 2 3 prong, pocket folders
- 1 Shoe box size tote
- 1 pack of markers (basic 10 pack)
- 1 box of crayons (small box)
- 1 box of colored pencils (small pack)
- 1 pair of child scissors
- 1 bottle of Elmer's glue
- 3 glue sticks
- Playdoh
- Regular #2 pencils
- 1 **Leak Proof** water bottle (No sippy cups please) These will be used for WATER ONLY, please don't send bottle with anything but water. (Our drinking fountains are inaccessible)

These Items do not need to be labeled:

- 1 boxes of tissues
- 1 roll of paper towels
- 1 container of Clorox wipes
- 1 box Zip lock bags- snack, quart size or gallon
- 1 package of baby wipes

PERSONAL ITEMS:

- Child-size Blanket (small)
- Extra Clothes (shirt, pants, underwear, socks, pull-ups if needed)
- **Regular-size** Back Pack (to hold a 2-pocket folder, school work and blanket that will be sent home on Fridays to be washed and returned the next week)

*Personal items, including clothing, need to be clearly marked with your child's name. **Toys from home are NOT permitted unless they are specifically requested by the teacher.**

At preschool, we try to help children become more independent and have a higher self-esteem. We need your help to make this happen. **One important thing you can do is dress your child in clothing they can fasten and unfasten on their own.** Also, we are very active throughout the day; therefore, please have your child wear comfortable shoes to school. Dress shoes and flip-flops are very hard to run and play in, especially on our playground.

Please contact the office at 740-452-4518, if you have a question on what your child needs to bring.

Thank you,
Pike Teaching Staff

