

# Harvey Elementary School



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## HARVEY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL SUPPLIES 2017-2018 KINDERGARTEN

**We collect a \$40.00 fee per student for school supplies. If you have 3 or more children attending our school, the fee is \$35.00 per child. Please send payment on the first day of school in September. *For accounting purposes this fee needs to be sent to each child's individual homeroom teacher.* We will accept cheques made payable to "Harvey Elementary" or cash payments. This fee will cover the cost of school supplies needed for the year as well as some additional expenses that may arise.**

**Items YOU will need to purchase/provide for your child & send to school on the first day include:**

- **\*\*\*\*\*The PURPLE BUS FORM** stating your child's Monday to Friday bus routine (please include the civic # and either the bus # or the bus driver's name). Thank you - this is needed to ensure that your child arrives at the correct afternoon drop-off location(s) safely.
- **BOOK BAG** – should have 2 LARGE zippered compartments. In the front pouch, please put a Ziploc baggie with your child's name on it and a set of extra clothes (pants, 2 socks, underwear, and shirt); The main compartment needs room for: a lunch box; homework folders; ski pants/winter gear in winter. Extra side pockets are useful for extra mittens in the winter. It will seem like a really large bag, but it will help your child pack it and zipper it closed at bus time by themselves.
- **LUNCH BOX & THERMOS** – When purchasing a lunch box, keep in mind that your child will be opening and closing it independently twice each day, and that it needs to fit into the book bag with room for other items (not too large so that it takes up all the room in the bag!) There are no microwaves in the classrooms, so heated items from home can be sent in a thermos container. \* When purchasing reusable food containers, consider the "Lock & Lock" or "Sistema" brands that have KID-FRIENDLY latches on the sides of the container. These containers also have a leak-proof silicone seal!

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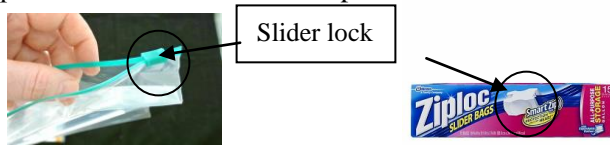
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- **INDOOR VELCRO SNEAKERS** – your child will need a pair of **Velcro sneakers** to wear inside the school and will be kept at school until the end of the year (or until they need replaced if worn out or if your child outgrows them). Please use a permanent marker (such as the Sharpie brand) to **write your child’s name or initials on the heel or inside the tongue**. Sometimes children have the same pair of shoes, so this will help prevent any mix-ups! If needed to help your child put their shoes on the correct feet, please draw 2 smiley faces facing each other on the inner rubber sides of the shoes.
  - **1 BOX OF TISSUES** – any brand will do. I’ll send another note for more if we run out.
  - **1 BOX OF BAGGIES** – check below for the type & size to buy based on your last name (you are not asked to buy all three types below, only one):

**Last names beginning with A-H: LARGE “slider-lock” storage bags** (not freezer bags, as they are more costly/have fewer in the box). If available, please choose a brand that **does not** have the “expandable bottom”. Here are pictures of the slider-lock bags:



**Last names beginning with I-M: Medium “slider-lock” storage bags** (not freezer bags, as they are more costly/have fewer in the box).

**Last names beginning with N-Z: sandwich baggies** (with zipper top, not fold top).

We encourage your child’s independence as much as possible in Kindergarten. Purchasing the book bag, lunch box and sneakers with the above suggestions in mind will help your child be more independent starting on day one! **Remember, Kindergarten students have STAGGERED ENTRY DATES**: Last names beginning with A-L come on Sept. 5-6 for two full days; Last names beginning with M-Z come on Sept. 7 & 8 for two full days. Then all students come for their first full week beginning on Mon., Sept. 11<sup>th</sup>.

Have a great summer! We look forward to greeting our newest “Harvey Heroes” in the Fall! 😊

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