

September 2018,



Dear Second Grade Families,

What an exciting first day of Second Grade! I want to take this time to welcome you to a new school year at Pine Run Elementary. I am looking forward to a great year with your children and can't wait to see how they grow over the next several months. This is such a special time for you and your Second Grader; however I understand it can be met with some anxiety. Please know that I am here to help ease your children into the routines of Second Grade. Feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns you may have. I can be reached by phone or email. My number at school is (267) 893-4475 and my email is [sberman@cbsd.org](mailto:sberman@cbsd.org). A note in the backpack is always fine too!

Below you will find some important information to get the school year off to a great start!

**Specials:** Our special schedule is as follows:

Monday: **Library**

Tuesday: **Music**

Wednesday: **Art**

Thursday: **PE**

Friday: **Quest**

Please be sure that your child wears sneakers on our PE day, and returns his or her books on library day. I will encourage them here at school to be responsible for remembering these things themselves.

**Take Home Folders:** Each night your will be taking home a "Take Home Folder." Inside you will find important information for you and your child. The papers will be separated into two pockets indicating which papers need to be returned and which may stay home. Please help your child remember to bring their folders to and from school everyday.

**Snacks:** Each day we have 15 minutes for snack. Please send a nutritious snack in with your child. They may also bring a drink. They do get thirsty in the afternoon! If at all possible, please pack your child's snack separate from his or her lunch so it doesn't accidentally get eaten. Additionally, we do have a peanut allergy in our classroom, so refraining from sending in snacks containing peanuts or peanut products is greatly appreciated.

Once again, I want to welcome you to *Second Grade* and I look forward to seeing you at Back to School Night on Thursday, September 6<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM!

Sincerely,

Sarah Berman