Dear amazing 5th Grade Families & Students,

Welcome to fifth grade! Most of you are joining me for our second year together. However, I do believe there are a few of you who will be new to our Room 24 family. I'd like to welcome you and tell you how wonderfully excited I am to get to know you! Additionally, you will be pleased to know that the other 5th graders in our class are incredibly welcoming and will make you feel right at home.

I'm sure you are beginning to think about school supplies for this year. As you start your back-to-school shopping, please note that most of the needed classroom supplies will be provided for each student. If you take a look at the 5th Grade supply list, you will notice something new. BINDERS! I look forward to showing you how to set up and utilize this fantastic organizational system. Don't worry, we will also find ways to continue color-coding!

Parents, I would be most grateful if you could fill out the **Parent Survey** linked on my website. You can either send it with your child when we return to school or email it to me directly. Additionally, each classroom will have a Homeroom Parent Coordinator. If you would like to volunteer for this position for our classroom this year, please contact the office over the summer to let them know.

I am SO excited to see you when school begins and hear all about your summertime adventures! I hope you are also making some time for a good book or two! That will be one of our morning meeting topics during our first week back. See you soon, my fifth-graders! Enjoy the last bit of summer!



Warmly, Mrs. Ojeda