Welcome to Second Grade!

Let me take this opportunity to introduce myself. My name is Jillian LeBourveau and I am very excited to be your child's teacher this year! I have a Master's Degree in Elementary Education. This is my nineth year teaching at NBCS! I have traveled all over the world; lived in many states and another country as a military spouse, but I am most proud to call New Boston my forever home. It is truly a special place.

I love being a teacher and feel that it is one of the most rewarding professions. I love children and their passion for learning. As a teacher and a mom of two, I feel as though I will provide a safe, positive and loving learning environment to your child in order for them to develop to their fullest potential academically and socially.

As you know I am only their teacher for ten months and you are their teacher for life. As their parents, you are the most important adults in their lives. You know your child's strengths and feelings of inadequacy. With that said, you can be a tremendous source of information to me, and an invaluable extension of support for your child's education at home. With our unified effort and commitment to your child's education, we can be assured of a successful school year!

Here are some items to help make your child's 2nd grade year successful. Please bring these items on the first day of school.

- A backpack (large enough to fit 3 ring binder and lunch box)
- A 1 inch wide 3 ring binder
- 1 two pocket folder (with holes) to fit INSIDE the 3 ring binder (to organize papers)
- 1 box of 24 Crayola Crayons
- Package Black Dry Erase Markers & Box of 10 Crayola Markers (optional)
- Plain Pencils (these will be communal pencils)
- Erasers
- Glue sticks (Elmer's Purple one preferred)
- · Handheld pencil sharpener with compartment to catch the shavings
- Headphones labeled with first and last name (must have a wire, NO wireless)
- Scissors (optional)
- We also use lots of soft tissues, paper towels and clorox wipes! If you are able to donate any of these items it would be greatly appreciated!

Please feel free to contact me at any time with questions or concerns. The best way to contact me is through email. I am also available by phone before and after school hours.

I look forward to meeting you and your family at Meet the Teacher August 31st from 1:00-2:00pm!

Enjoy your summer!

Mrs. LeBourveau

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