

Welcome to Room 1



You have brains in your head.
You have feet in your shoes.
You can steer yourself in any
direction you chose.

-Dr. Seuss

WELCOME TO ROOM 1

I'm **Kathy Pegler** and I am your child's teacher. I'd like to welcome both you and your child to our classroom. Our classroom is **Room 1** located at **Dorn Primary Center, 7840 W. 92nd Street in Hickory Hills**. There are three ways to contact me at school. The phone number for our classroom is **(708) 233-5620**. You can leave a voice message during school hours and I will return your phone call. If you need to contact me for an emergency, the office number is **708-598-5509**. You can also e-mail me at kpegler@npd117.net. I check my e-mail once a day. Please feel free to call me at school if you have any questions or concern.

If your child is not toilet-trained, please send in diapers and wipes (daily or by the box). Please dress your child in loose fitting pants that your child will be able to pull down. The elastic waistband pants are easy for those who do not know how to zip and button. Our goal and yours is to help your child to become as independent as possible. Please dress your child in clothes that are casual. We explore the world with all our senses and that can be very messy!

We will be having a snack every day. Milk is available for snack. Please call the office for the fee. Otherwise you may bring a thermos or juice box everyday. To eliminate the inconvenience of having you send a snack every day; I will purchase nutritious snacks for the class. There is a **\$3.00 snack fee** each month to help cover the cost of snack and cooking supplies. A snack fee reminder note will be sent home when the fee is due or you may pay for the **whole year for \$27.00**.



I realize many parents work and it is difficult when we call you because your child needs to be taken home due to illness. This year there are students who are quite susceptible to colds and viruses. I ask you to please keep your child home if the child is running a temperature and if your child's nose is running constantly. It is very easy for all of us in the class to pass colds to one another and that is why I am insistent that you keep your child home.

We value the trust that you give us when you send your child to our classroom. It is our #1 priority that your child be safe when at school. If you wish to volunteer in our classroom or go on our field trips with us, the office **MUST** have a copy of your driver's license or state ID on file one week before you intend to volunteer.

Show-n-Tell will not be on any specific day. We will have Show-n-Tell whenever someone has something special that they want to bring to school. Show-n-Tell items can be anything from a picture to a toy to a note about what they did last night. Everything is acceptable if the child wants to share it.

Each month I will be sending home an order form for various children's books. Please take a moment to look over the book selections. If you are interested in any of the books, please return the order form with payment by the date on the flyer, I will mail the class order and in about two weeks the books will arrive.

Pegler's Pals Supply List

- one school bag
- one complete change of clothes: pants, shirt and socks (labeled in a bag)
- one notebook for communication
- four glue sticks
- one box of jumbo primary crayons (**8 pack only please**)
- one box of washable primary color markers (**8 pack**)
- one two-pocket folder
- two boxes of kleenex
- two rolls of paper towels
- one package of napkins
- one box of zip-loc bags - AM class quart size
PM class gallon size
- one bottle of antibacterial liquid soap
- one box of disinfectant wipes
- one container of baby wipes

Name _____ Parent Questionnaire

Please return this with your child so we may get to know him/her better

E-mail Address and a Home/Cell Phone Number I can use to contact you

Does your child have any nicknames? _____

Who lives at your home? What are the ages of brothers or sisters?

Does your child have a favorite:

Song/record _____

TV show _____

Toy _____

Book _____

Do you have any pets? (names & types please)

Does your child have any allergies? _____

What are the names of your child's playmates? _____

Does your child have any fears that we should know about? _____
