



Welcome Back, Dolores Little Bear Families!

Welcome back to a brand-new school year! We hope your summer was filled with joy, rest, and special memories with loved ones. As we prepare to open our doors for another exciting year of learning and growth, we are thrilled to welcome back our returning families and extend a heartfelt greeting to those who are joining us for the first time.



Important Note: Construction & Traffic Changes



This year is especially exciting as we begin construction on our **brand-new High School building**—a project that promises a bright future for our students and community. While we eagerly look ahead, we kindly ask for your **understanding and patience** during this transition, especially as we adjust to **new traffic patterns** around the school.

⊘ Due to construction:

- **Parking during drop-off and pick-up times will be extremely limited—and in most cases, unavailable—for parents.**
- We strongly encourage families to use our **designated carline** and follow staff directions to keep everyone safe and traffic moving smoothly.

Stay Involved—Volunteer During the School Day!

Although parking before and after school will not be available, we would still **love and value your presence** in our school community! If you're looking for a way to stay involved:

- **Consider volunteering** during the school day—in your child's classroom, the library, lunchroom, or other areas.
- **Join PTA**—We are so grateful for our amazing PTA and encourage all families to get involved by volunteering and supporting the many ways they help enrich our school community.

Your involvement makes a difference, and we're committed to working with you to stay connected and engaged throughout the year—even during construction!



Special Arrival Plans for Kindergarten & New Students



We understand that the first week of school is a special time, especially for our **kindergarteners and new students**. To help ease the transition:

- Parents of **kindergarten and new students** are welcome to **walk their child into school during the first week**, starting at **7:45 a.m.**
- Please note: You will need to **park in the bus parking lot** for this brief walk-in period.

Our staff will be out in full force during arrival and dismissal to support students, direct traffic, and ensure a safe and welcoming experience for all. We truly appreciate your cooperation and flexibility as we work together to make this a safe and successful start to the school year.

We can't wait to see our students' smiling faces and to partner with you in making this year one to remember. Thank you for your continued support and commitment to our school community!

Partners in Learning,

Amanda Hill

SCHOOL SUPPLY LIST ON NEXT PAGE

2025-2026

Dolores Elementary School Supply List

Kindergarten

- 2- boxes of Crayola Crayons 24 count
- 2- boxes of Kleenex
- 2- packages of antibacterial wipes (girls)
- 2- packages of baby wipes (boys)
- 2- packages of glue sticks (boys)
- 2- bottles of Elmer's glue (girls)
- 1- box of Ticonderoga pencils
- Water bottle to be left at school (M-Th)
- Snacks for whole class (monthly)
- Full size backpack

ART: Gluesticks

1st Grade

- Daily** Personal Snack from Home
- 2- 24 count boxes of crayons
 - 1- box of CLASSIC water based markers (8-10)
(black, brown, red, orange, yellow, green, blue, purple)
 - 1- 12 count colored pencils
 - 1- 4 pack dry erase markers - CHISEL TIP
 - 1- 4 pack dry erase markers - FINE TIP
 - 1- dozen #2 Ticonderoga pencils or USA all wood only
 - 1- 4 oz bottle of wet glue
 - Headphones (not earbuds)
 - Water bottle
 - Full sized backpack

ART: Crayola Washable Broad Tip Markers

2nd Grade

- 1- Spiral Notebook-Single Subject
Wide Ruled
- 2- Plastic Folders with pockets and brads
- 1- Box of 24 count crayons
- 1- package of baby wipes
- 1- box of pencils 12 count (Ticonderoga)
- 4- Dry erase markers-BLACK
Fine Point Low Odor
- 1- package glue sticks
- Personal Water Bottle
- 2- Box of Kleenex

ART: Crayola Washable Broad Tip Markers

3rd Grade

- 1- Personal Water Bottle
- 1- Pack of Fine Tip Dry Erase Markers
- 2- Composition Notebook
- 2- packages of 24 count #2 Ticonderoga pencils
(communal supply)
- 1- Plastic Pocket Folder with brads
- 1- Elmer's Glue Bottle
- 1- Kleenex Box
- 1- 10 count pack of Crayola Markers
- 1- Pack of Colored Pencils
- 1- Pencil Box/Bag
- 1- Headphones

ART: Colored Sharpies

4th Grade

- 24- wood pencils (Ticonderoga preferred)
- 1- package pencil top erasers
- 1- 12 pack colored pencils
- 1- Crayola markers
- 1- 2 pack glue sticks
- 2- composition notebooks
- 4- 2 pocket folders with holes
- 1- Fiskars 5" pointed tip scissors for kids
- 3- Clorox or lysol wipes
- 2- boxes of Kleenex
- 4- fine tip dry erase markers
- 1- Headphones

ART: Wipes

5th Grade

- 1- Three Subject Notebook
- 1- Pair of Headphones
- 1- Four Pack of Dry Erase Markers
- 2- Boxes of Tissues
- 2- Packs of Wet Wipes
- 1- Pencil Bag
- 1- Large Pack of Number 2 Pencils
- 1- Box of Crayons and/or Colored Pencils

ART: Black Sharpies

ALL STUDENTS: P.E. Shoes (clean Non-slip) to be left at school