

ERDMAN PRESCHOOL

BACK TO SCHOOL CHECKLIST

1. Return Authorization and Consent (blue), Developmental History (yellow), Health (white form or Pediatrician provided), Transportation Plan (purple) and First Aid/ Emergency Medical Care Consent (salmon) forms by the first day of school. The State requires that health forms be on file when your child starts school.
2. Provide an appropriate school bag for your child to bring to school every day. An open bag with handles works best. We suggest a reusable grocery bag because they are lightweight and large enough for school projects. Child's name should be in big letters on the outside.
3. Dress your child in play clothes. We do get messy with paint, water, mud, play dough, etc. Your child should feel free to explore!
4. Bring a complete change of clothes, in a bag labeled with your child's name, to be kept at school for emergencies. Your child will need extra pants, shirt, underwear, socks and shoes.
5. Label all sweaters, hats, boots, jackets and mittens. Please do not send your child to school with gloves. They are too difficult for a young child to put on by himself.
6. Check outer clothing to be sure it fits and is manageable by your child. Remember that we go outside every day. Being able to manage clothing is a great source of self-confidence for your child.
7. Take a snapshot of your child to bring to school on the first day.
8. Remember that your second tuition payment is due by September 15.
9. Make driving arrangements if you will carpool with another family. Please inform the Office in writing of these arrangements.
10. Answer your child's questions in a simple, straightforward manner, but do not talk about school too much. Your confident, positive approach to school will reassure your child that Erdman will be a safe and special place for him or her.

Please call the school if we can help you in any way.