

# Joseph Teres School Welcome To Kindergarten



**When you registered for Kindergarten, you received a “Welcome to Kindergarten” bag from our school.**

**It is filled with many amazing resources and materials to help prepare your child for Kindergarten!**

**Crayons, a pencil, scissors, playing cards, dice, drawing paper and many game and song ideas are included in the bag.**

**Please use the items in the bag over the summer time to help prepare your child for Kindergarten.**



**Playing, building, fine motor skill development activities, math and language literacy development activities, playing games and singing songs are all important things you can do with your child to help him/her be successful at school.**





There are **3** things we would like to see your child doing independently and confidently in September.

1. Your child should be able to dress and undress himself/herself (practice those jacket zippers, buttons and snaps over the summer months please).

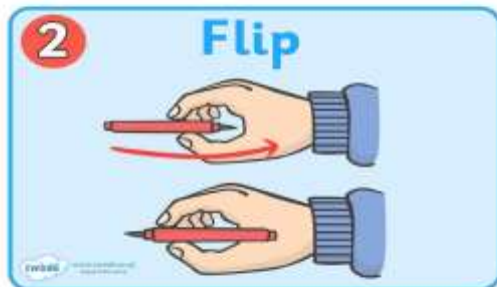




2. Your child should be able to take his/her shoes off and put them back on by himself/herself.



3. Your child should be able to hold and use a pencil and a pair of scissors correctly.



Just a few reminders...

We will be frequently washing our hands and using hand sanitizer throughout the day.



Please review with your child what “personal space” means and the importance of keeping our hands to ourselves.



Please send a labelled water bottle and healthy snacks; one for morning recess and one for afternoon recess. Please remind your child, that we will not be sharing food throughout the day.

Please send a healthy lunch for your child to enjoy.



Please send a pair of indoor shoes along with your child on the first day. Velcro runners work well for those who are still working on learning to tie laces.





**Check out our school website for ongoing information!**

**[Joseph Teres School \(retsd.mb.ca\)](http://retsd.mb.ca)**

**See you soon!**

