

Pre-K4 Supply List 2017-2018

Dear Parents,

Welcome to Pre-K4 at San Jose Episcopal Day School! We are looking forward to getting to know each of you and your children. In order to prepare for our school year, we would like to offer several suggestions.

Each day your child should bring a healthy sugar-free snack and one reusable bottle of water. We do not allow drinks other than water during the school day.

In order to ensure a hassle-free dismissal each day, please send a standard sized backpack large enough to accommodate a folder, snack sack, lunch box and any craft projects going home. Please avoid backpacks with wheels, as they are too large and heavy for the children to safely handle on their own.

As you know, we have a uniform dress code in Pre-K4. Please refer to the school handbook when purchasing shoes and other items your child will be wearing at school. **Be sure to label all clothing, including girl's cross ties and all outerwear.**

On "Meet Your Teacher Day" your child will need to bring the following supplies:

- 2 boxes of Crayola Crayons (regular size, 24 count)
- 1 box of Crayola classic markers (fine line, 10 count)
- 1 box of Crayola erasable colored pencils (24 count)
- 3 large size containers of Clorox wipes
- 2 refill package of baby wipes
- 2 boxes of tissues (Puffs or Kleenex)
- 3 Elmer's glue sticks (large size tubes)
- 1 box quart-sized Ziploc bags
- 1 box gallon-sized Ziploc bags

If you are ordering pre-packaged materials through the school, they will be in your child's classroom on Meet Your Teacher Day.

***Please do not label** any individual supply items as all supplies will be for general, classroom use.

****Please bring in an extra change of clothes** (shirt, shorts, underwear, socks in a labeled Ziploc bag) to put in your child's cubby for any accidents that may occur.

Throughout the year we welcome donations of items that we use often for art projects and frequently run out of, such as plastic utensils, paper or plastic cups, scrapbook paper or other decorative supplies, etc. If you have any extras at your home or happen to pick some up, we can use them! We also find uses for all sorts of household items. If you are cleaning out, feel free to

ask us and we may find a project to recycle your items! We also love inexpensive items for our "Home Living" area and games.

Our program is a very nurturing, creative experience designed to meet the physical, emotional, social and intellectual needs of each child. Thank you for your support and the opportunity to partner with you in the education of your child. Have a wonderful summer vacation! We look forward to seeing you in August.

Sincerely,
Your Pre-K4 Teacher

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Pre-K4	\$45
K Boys	\$67
K Girls	\$67
1st Boys	\$83
1st Girls	\$83
2nd Boys	\$48
2nd Girls	\$48
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Dear Parents,

Welcome to Pre-K4 at San Jose Episcopal Day School! We are so excited to meet you and your child. We look forward to a year full of learning, exploring, faith and fun. We are often asked what children can do over the summer to help prepare for a successful start in Pre-K4. Below are a few suggestions of things to think about and practice over the summer. Please do not feel as though your child needs to master these things before our year together - these are simply suggestions to help prepare your child for an easy transition into the Pre-K4 classroom.

Language and Literature

- Review recognition of upper case letters
- Practice writing first name
- Look at books and have your child explain what is happening in the story by looking at the illustrations
- Read to your child every day
- Create a picture journal - this will prepare them for the journaling that we will do throughout the year where they will complete a picture when given a prompt, and then write about their drawings

Mathematics

- Review recognition of numbers 1-10
- Practice one to one correspondence (for example, give your child a number and have them build the number with blocks, beans, straws, etc)

Social & Physical Development

- Practice dressing yourself completely each morning. Near the end of summer, practice putting on your uniform, including (boys) practicing being able to put on/take off their belts during bathroom breaks
- Clean up after yourself, including after meal and play time
- Practice coloring inside of the lines and using more than one color for pictures. Usually, we go by the rule of using as many crayons (or more!) as years old you are. (If you are 4, there are at least 4 colors in your picture.)
- Practice fine motor skill work to build hand strength for writing. Practice putting beans into a cup with tweezers, and wetting coins and having them use their thumb and pointer finger to pick them up off of the table. Practicing with lacing, buttons, and snaps are also good ways to build their fine motor control.

Summer is also a time to relax and spend time with family. We hope you find these suggestions helpful; many of these skills can be turned into games that will be fun to complete together. Have a wonderful summer. We can't wait to see you at Meet Your Teacher in August!

Sincerely,
Your Pre-K4 Teachers