

School Supplies:

Please send the following supplies to school. ***The only items that need to be labeled with your child's name are the back pack, scissors and binder.*** Check with your child during the year to make sure they still have the supplies they need.

- 5 Boxes of baby wipes
- Clear front binder 1.5 inches
- 3 boxes 24 count Crayola crayons
- 1 wide tip dry erase marker (pkg of 4)
- 1 thin tip dry erase marker (pkg of 4)
- 20 glue sticks
- 1 large bottle Elmer's glue
- 1 box fine tip classic color markers
- 1 box wide tip classic color markers
- 1 pack of large paper plates (girls)
- 1 pack of small paper plates (boys)
- 20 unsharpened #2 pencils
- 12 pack colored pencils
- 1 red pocket folder
- 1 green pocket folder with prongs
- School bag/backpack
- 5 inch Fiskars scissors for kids
- 2 boxes of tissues
- 2 watercolor paint sets – Crayola
- 3 bottles waterless antibacterial soap
- 1 box Ziploc gallon size (girls)
- 1 box Ziploc sandwich size (boys)
- 2 reams of white copy paper

Field Trips

Our Kindergarten class takes several field trips during the school year. We will visit Ijams Nature Center, Discovery Center/Space, Fire Station, Channel 6 Weather Station, Pumpkin Patch, McClung Museum/Native Peoples, James White Fort/Tennessee History

About Mrs. Bushur



Ann Bushur has been teaching at First Lutheran School for the last 11 years. She has a Bachelor's Degree in Elementary Education, concentrating in Special Education and Early Childhood Education. She previously taught school in Indiana and Illinois before settling in Knoxville with her husband Paul and four children.

Our Kindergarten Assistant

Laura Dudley



Laura Dudley has been the Kindergarten assistant since 2008 and also a member of First Lutheran Church. She is married to Jim and has a grown daughter.

Parent's Guide To Kindergarten at First Lutheran School

**Welcome to
Mrs. Bushur's
Kindergarten
Class!**

Our Mission Statement

**We believe that all children are created
and loved by God.**

**First Lutheran School, together with
family and church, educates children's
spirits, minds, and bodies in a Christ-
centered environment, preparing them
for Christian service and eternal life.**



Kindergarten Handbook:

Please refer to the Kindergarten Handbook for information concerning behavior expectations, class routines and curriculum. You will receive a copy on opening service night. You will also receive a copy of the Lion Handbook which includes the rules and policies of First Lutheran School. Please take the time to read this valuable information and share it with your child.



Just in case.....

Please send an extra change of clothes for your child. Place it in a labeled plastic bag so it may be kept in your child's cubby.

Lunches

First Lutheran School offers a daily hot lunch of nutritious, kid-friendly lunches. Of course, lunch may be brought from home. **Microwaves are not available for student use.** A monthly lunch menu will be posted on the FastDirect system or available in the school office.

Lunches are \$2.75 per day and include a choice of 2 percent, whole, or chocolate milk. Extra milk may be purchased for 35¢ each. Lunches are billed weekly, and will appear on your monthly statement.

Communication:

Education is a partnership between home and school. We value parental involvement at every level and encourage you to partner with us. In order for this partnership to be effective, we need to be able to communicate. Please feel free to call, write a note, or e-mail us if you have concerns or questions about your child's education. We are always available to schedule a conference to discuss any issue or concern you have regarding your child.

Our most effective method of communication is the FastDirect System. This is an online program that enables you to track your child's progress as well as a direct link to your child's teacher.

Visit the website at:

www.fastdir.com/firstlutherschool

***Contact Ms. Kim at 524-0308 or
Email:ksmith@firstlutherschool.com
to receive your screen name and password.***

The morning announcements, as well as other pertinent school-wide information for the day/week, will be emailed to you via *FastDirect*. Classroom related activities will be sent home in your child's classroom folder. **Please check your email daily!**

Chapel Services:

You are welcome to join us for our Chapel Service every Wednesday morning at 8:30am. The offerings collected are used for various mission projects and differ with each grading period. Each class will be presenting chapel and when it's our turn, we'll let you know!

Child-care services:

Before-school and after-school care is available via our Student Services Program. Drop off begins at 6:30 am. All children must be retrieved by 6:00 pm. Students arriving before 8 am must report to the ECE, as well as those remaining after 3:35 pm. A fee of \$2 per 30 minutes applies. *Refer to the Lion Handbook for more information regarding this program.*



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