

Dear First Graders,

Welcome to First grade! My name is Ms. Cline, and I will be your teacher at Robins K-8 School. Our classroom is room 14 and it is located across the hall from the kindergarten and preschool classrooms. I hope that you've had a fantastic summer and that you are gearing up for an incredible school year! I just know that you'll think first grade is fun, interesting, and very rewarding. I have been busy planning lessons and activities that will challenge you to grow both academically and socially. We will begin the year by getting to know each other, reviewing important rules and procedures, and evaluating your academic skills.

Here is what you can work on over the summer so that you're ready for 1^{st} grade! You need to know how to read and write all your uppercase and lowercase letters and know the sounds they make. You should also be able to read simple words and sentences as well as be able to write 1-2 sentences. For math, you need to know your basic shapes, your numbers from 1-30, and be able to add and subtract numbers to 5.

Enjoy the rest of your summer and get ready for our first day of First Grade. I cannot wait to spend the school year learning and growing with you. I am so eager to meet you! I'll see you soon!

Love.

Ms. Cline