Greetings, Fourth Grade Students and Families!

I am very excited to be your teacher for fourth grade this next year! Fourth grade is such an amazing year full of hands-on learning experiences. I can't wait to share this next year of your educational journey with you. In the meantime, I hope you are enjoying your summer vacation by creating, building, reading, relaxing, playing, exploring and being an all-around great member of your family. I am spending the summer doing all those things, too. When school starts, we'll get the chance to share our experiences with one another. Fun!

Students were given summer work ideas and the Fourth-Grade Summer Reading Program before school let out for Summer Break. If you are new to SGS this year, you will receive these items from Tami Peplinski, Admissions Director. Please be working on selections from these resources and from any others you like, several days per week. Research shows that students are better prepared for the next year if they do some summer work.

Please reach out if you have any questions. I look forward to working with you throughout the upcoming school year. Until then, splash in some water and stay cool!

Sincerely,

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Important Dates:

August 25th 3:00-4:00pm: Lower School Meet and Greet

Drop in to see your classroom, meet your teachers and classmates, and drop off your supplies.

August 25th 4:00pm: Lower School Cross Country Parent Meeting (Dragons Den)

August 26th 8:00am-3:10pm: First Day of School

Classroom doors open at 8:00am! (School starts promptly at 8:25am.)

August 28th 2:15-3:00pm: Dragon Dance

Parents are invited to come watch as all thirteen classes come together on the Graduation Lawn to celebrate the new school year.

September 3rd 6:00-8:00pm: Lower School Back to School Night

Parents are invited to come learn more about the curriculum, special events, specialists and your child's teacher.

December 17th 1:00pm & 7:00pm Lower School Winter Concert