

# John T. Pirie Fine Arts & Academic Center

September 7, 2016

Dear Parents,

Welcome to School Year 2016-2017!!! I hope you and your family had a fantastic summer. Currently, our students in Rm. 102 do not have an assigned homeroom teacher. Ms. Owens will be the substitute teacher for Rm. 102 until we are able to hire a new teacher. Ms. Owens is a recently retired teacher from CPS and she is a former Pirie teacher. Ms. Owens has taught 2<sup>nd</sup> grade and she is familiar with our content. Our students will receive the mandated 2<sup>nd</sup> grade instruction following the Common Core Standards for 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade. To ensure our students start out on the right track, the following information has been provided for you along with our supply list for 2<sup>nd</sup> grade. I look forward to working with you this year, and if you have any questions, you may contact Ms. Owens or me at (773)535-3435. Your son/daughter's education is my top priority.

## **ATTENDANCE:**

Breakfast 8:35-9:00

Instruction time 9:15-4:00

Dismissal 4:00

Your student can not learn if they are not present.

\*\*\*Attendance is super important!

## **GRADING SCALE:**

**A** 100-90      **D** 69-60

**B** 89-80      **F** 60-0

**C** 79--70

## **HOMEWORK:**

**ALL** students have homework daily. Homework is due the day after it is assigned.

\*\*\*PLEASE check your student's planner daily. These supplies will be kept and used for the entire school year.

## **Room 102-second grade supply list:**

- 10 boxes of 20 #2 pencils
- 10 boxes of crayons
- 1 box of markers and colored pencils
- 6 glue sticks
- 2 bottles of Elmer's glue
- 1 pair of scissors
- Small supply bag or box
- 2 – 70 page spiral notebooks (only 70 pages)
- 10 packs of wide-ruled loose leaf paper
- 1 ruler with inches and centimeters
- 6 two-pocket folders
- 2 boxes of small zip lock bags
- 2 boxes of large zip lock bags
- 3 bottles of Clorox Wipes
- 5 bottles of liquid hand sanitizer (not hand soap)
- 4 rolls of paper towels
- 5 large boxes of Kleenex
- 1 book bag

Thank you,  
Ms. Grady, Principal/Ms. Owens