

# HELLO 1<sup>ST</sup> GRADER!

Hi! My name is MRS. Derkack and I am so excited to be your teacher this year! We are going to do so many **FUN** things and of course we will learn a lot too. I can't wait to learn all about you this year!

## Here are a few important things to know about the **FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL**:

- Please bring a healthy, nutritious snack everyday. It helps if mom or dad labels your snack separately from your lunch.
- Please bring all of your school supplies to school on the first day. Make sure your name is on all of your **FOLDERS, NOTEBOOKS, AND PENCIL CASE**.
- Please have your parents fill out the dismissal form that is found on the school's website and **return** it on the first day.

I absolutely love teaching first grade! It is my mission to instill a love for learning in my students. There is so much that I am looking forward to this year. One of my favorite things to teach is writing! We will do so many fun writing projects! I can't wait to learn new things with all of you!

## A few **OF MY** favorites:

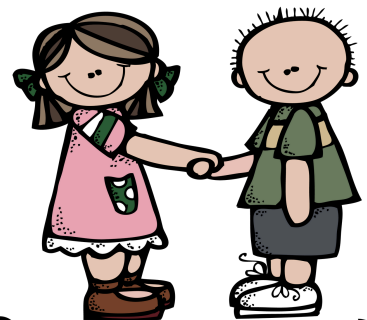
**COLOR:** Yellow

**SEASON:** Summer - I love the beach!

**HOBBIES:** Running, reading, and learning new things

**ANIMAL:** Dogs - Especially my French Bulldog Hank

**BOOKS:** Mo Willems



So nice to meet you