

August 4th, 2020

Greetings First Grade Families,

Let's get together! It will be exciting to connect with you and to bring together our first, grade community (with some social distancing). I am aware that our families are at different stages of registration, and placement at Trinity School. Yet, I'd like to take this opportunity to welcome you and to thank you for choosing this ministry school.

At Trinity Christian School we grow together with God's grace and guidance. Together, we will share ideas, and seek God for the best practices of safety and student needs during this school year. I am thankful for this opportunity.

I've had the privilege of growing with and knowing first grade families for seventeen years. Working with first graders is a blast! These kiddos are enthusiastic to learn and filled with great ideas. Their sense of discovery and appreciation for God's creation is inspiring! They need their creative play and friendships as an important part of their well-being. We can learn a lot from *them*. Together, we will support their spiritual, social, academic and physical growth. There will be much to celebrate this year!

The First Grade Open House & Orientation blocks are arranged in small groups. Please choose a day and a time block to visit the first, grade classroom (Room 124). Bring your student for an opportunity to check out the setting,

pick up some handouts, and to hear a brief family presentation. This will be an opportunity to exchange questions and to get to know each other. I hope that each family can participate in this foundational step to the school year. You may bring your child's supplies if you wish.

Identify your child's name in your open house response.

Thursday, August 20th

10:00 am

1:00 pm

4:00 pm

Friday, August 21st

10:00 am

1:00 pm

4:00 pm

If you are flexible for more than one block, please let me know as I may need your support to keep social distancing limits. E-mail your response to ariendeau@tcskeene.com by Friday, August 14th. I will confirm your choice by responding to your e-mail. Many thanks!

PS: Adults are requested to wear a mask. I look forward to seeing you soon!

Blessings on your fabulous family!

AnnMarie Riendeau, Trinity Christian School Gr. 1 Teacher

Colossians 3:15 Let the peace of God rule in your hearts, to which also ye are called in one body; and be ye thankful.

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Greetings First Grade Families,

Attached is the invitation for the First Grade Open House blocks in August.

I look forward to hearing from you, and meeting my new students. We welcome our returning families and our new families to our community.

A little bit about me: I grew up right here in Keene in a large family of ten children. I now reside in Spofford with my husband and *our little dog*. Together, we raised four children, and we now have seven grandchildren.

I enjoy bird watching, walking, reading historical novels- especially Biblical themes, and listening to Christian radio (sermons, discussions and songs).

I graduated from Keene State College (Bachelor's Degree in Education & English) and New England College (Masters in Literacy). Because God knows my love for children, my love for learning, and my desire to serve Him, He called me to teach 1st grade at Trinity Christian School.

I am so thankful that He did!

I look forward to our year together.

Sincerely,

AnnMarie Riendeau