Be Ready for Kindergarten

2018-2019
About Pine Meadow

- Arrival is 7:20-7:45
- Breakfast service begins at 7:20
- Breakfast service ends at 7:40
- Students must be in class by 7:45
- No check-outs after 1:30
- PTA is always looking for members to help
- Friday is Spirit Day, wear your Pine Meadow spirit gear
Classroom Readiness

- Students are in class by 7:45
- Students have their daily folder that has been initialed and work removed
- Students dressed appropriately for special area/recess and the weather (students are not permitted to change during school)
- Keep an extra change of clothes in their backpacks for emergencies
Daily Communication

- Please make sure to check your student’s folder daily
- Initial that you have checked the daily folder
- Remove any papers that have been placed into the folder
- If there is something marked in the folder please discuss it with your child
- Communication can be made through the folder, e-mail, the Remind app or through a phone call to the school
- Money in folder needs to be in an envelope and labeled with its purpose
- Transportation changes need to be made in writing
Testing

- Testing for Mid-Terms and Report Cards is completed through one-on-one assessments and teacher observation
- Grading for Mid-Term and Report Card assessments have district mandated rubrics
- Students will take whole group tests for skill practice
- Students take the STAR and iReady computer assessments throughout the year to monitor academic progress
Homework

- Practice reading and writing sight words daily
- Practice letters and sound recognition
- Read with an adult (one book or 20 minutes)
- Practice number recognition, writing numbers and counting
- Written homework may be sent home at a later date
Student Only Activities for 2018-2019

- Scarecrow Day- students will dress up as scarecrows and participate in Fall activities
- Fall Feast- Students enjoy a Native American themed breakfast while wearing shirts that they have designed at school
- Gingerbread House Day- (Parents Invited) students and parents will work together to decorate a house
- Polar Express Day- in their pajamas, students will board “The Polar Express”, watch the movie and have a special visitor
- Dr. Seuss Week- students will participate in a week long celebration of all things Dr. Seuss
- Easter Egg Hunt- egg hunt on our campus
- Water Play Day- students will participate in water activities