

Suggested School Supplies:

- Zipper-type Binder
- 1 package of notebook dividers
- 1 package of colored pencils
- 1 pair of scissors
- 1 package of notebook paper
- 1 pair of earbuds
- 1 box of #2 pencils
- 4 glue sticks
- 6 pocket folders with holes to go into the trapper keeper
- 1 package of dry-erase markers

Classroom Donation Supplies:

- 1 box of band aids
- Zip-lock baggies gallon and quart
- 1 box of tissues
- 2 containers of Clorox wipes

Teacher specific suggested supplies:

- 3 Composition books (Blankenship & Hescht)
- 4 Spiral notebooks (Egnor & Wilburn)
- 1 package of markers (Egnor, Hescht, & Wilburn)
- 1 pink bar eraser (Blankenship)

Take Home Folders and Planners:

Please check your child's folder and planner nightly. Important papers, homework, and finished work will be sent home in this folder each day. You will need to sign planners each night. Please make sure your child brings these items with him or her on a

daily basis. These are great tools for parent communication and your child's organization.

Communication

Education is a partnership between home and school. We value parent involvement at every level and encourage you to partner with us.

Since our instructional time is very important to the education of your child, we will only take calls and return calls during our planning time. We are always available to schedule a conference during our planning time to discuss any issue or concern you have regarding your child.

Please feel free to call, write a note, or e-mail us if you have concerns or questions about your child's education.

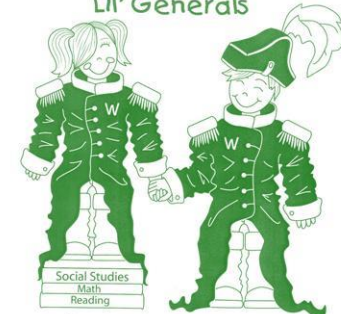
Newsletter:

We want to make sure you are informed of upcoming events and what your child is learning in school. A weekly newsletter will come home. It will contain schedules and information pertinent to the coming week.

Winfield Elementary School

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Lil' Generals



Achieving 5 Star Excellence

*A Parent's Guide
To Fifth Grade*

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Our Philosophy:

We understand that your child comes to us with unique experiences, interests and learning styles. Our goal is to truly know your child well and use this knowledge to guide, support and motivate him or her. We believe that good teaching requires continual professional development, personal reflection and collaboration. We value parent involvement at every level and encourage you to partner with us to give your child the most powerful and joyous learning experience possible.

Behavior Expectations:

We have high expectations for the students in our room. We expect the students to achieve academically to their fullest potential. We expect students to contribute in a positive manner to our classroom.

We will be using the school wide Leader in Me program and we are committed to Creating Leaders One Student at a Time.

Homework:

Homework is expected to be turned in on time. **Points will deducted for late work.** Points will also be deducted for extra copies due to lost or not turned work. Dates for tests are given and it is your child's responsibility to study for upcoming tests.

Make-Up Work

It is your child's responsibility to pick up make-up work, take home the appropriate books, and return the work by the due date. Make-up will follow the same rules as homework.

Grading Scale

100 – 93	A
92 – 85	B
84 – 75	C
74 – 65	D
64 – 0	F

Grading

Some assignments will be recorded for a grade and will have it on the paper. Other papers will come home with a check. Please take a moment to review these papers with your child to ensure he or she understands the concept. Those papers shouldn't be taken lightly, since the next time your child could see the information could be

on a test. Please check grades, online, frequently.

Snacks

We allow the students to bring one healthy snack each day to eat. The snack should be something they can open, consume, and clean up within 10 minutes. We continue to work while having snack.

Transportation Change

Please send a note if you need to change the way your child gets home. ALL transportation made, during the day, MUST go through the school secretary.
(586-2565)

Leader In Me Motto

Welcome to Winfield Elementary where we are Creating Leaders One Student at a Time. From our little leaders to our big leaders, we think 'win-win' at Winfield Elementary when we learn to listen, plan, be organized, respectful and responsible for our actions.