Child's First Day Checklist

1. **Label Everything**! Except toys from home, don't bring those 😊 No, seriously… don't.

2. ALL KIDS ages 2 and up need to have a **sleeping mat** (with a top and bottom, not just a big blanket,) for quiet time 12:30-2:00. If you take this mat home to wash, bring it back for the next stay. Children may bring in a stuffy to leave here with their mat for use during quiet time.

3. All children need a ***water*** **cup** with a lid EVERY DAY.

4. Children need **socks** for inside play and sturdy **tennis shoes** for outside play. Ages 3+ need to be able to put on and take off their shoes on their own. No crocs, boots or any type of sandals for outside play. Did you sign the **sunscreen** permission form? Put on before drop off, we'll reapply ours in the afternoon. Bring your own if you don't want to use ours. (Summertime) Also, they will get **dirty**. Inside play, we paint and play with other mediums. Outside play, we dig in the dirt and run in the grass. Kids fall. Don't send them in new clothes or good clothes.

5. **Lunchboxes**- label on the outside! Label anything that needs to be taken out to keep cold in the refrigerator or heated in the microwave. Any foods that need to be heated need to be in separate containers from the food that is to be kept cold.

Breakfast- finished at 7:30, must be already heated if needed, quick & easy clean up

1 & 2 year olds 10am snack- pouch/fresh fruit or veggies/yogurt tube/meat or cheese stick/easy clean up, no crumbs

Lunch- 1 container to heat per child, do not mix cold stuff with things that need to be heated in the same container, do not cut hotdogs & fruit to coin shapes!

2:45 snack- pouch/fresh fruit or veggies/yogurt tube/meat or cheese stick/easy clean up, no crumbs

School-agers snack- quick, easy clean up for between bus and pick up

5:15/5:30 pick-up snacks- pouches/fresh fruit or veggies/yogurt tube/meat or cheese stick/easy clean up, no crumbs

No nuts, no candy.

6. Those in **diapers/pullups**, we will send home a note letting you know when they need refills on those or **wipes**. Please send them in when requested. (We ask that only diapers and pullups that that have open sides be sent to AKP. When we are changing 15 kids at each diaper change, it makes things go faster.) If they aren't sent in when needed, diapers are $1 and pullups are $2 from our stock. Also, keep seasonal **extra clothes** stocked for when they are needed. You can ask for your child's clothes to change them out.