

August 12, 2018

# Ms. Crawford's 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Class

DEAR \_\_\_\_\_ (STUDENT NAME HERE) \_\_\_\_\_,

I am excited to finally get to meet you and have you in my classroom! This will be my first year teaching at ABC Schools, but I couldn't have picked a better place to go to.

A little bit about me, I was raised in a military family and moved a lot when I was your age. I lived in some really cool places like Maine, Spain, and Georgia. I have been in Texas for 10 years now and love it here. I have two English Bulldogs named Milli & Mugz, they keep me busy and entertained all the time.

I can't wait to hear your story and what your favorite classes are on our first day of school.

See you soon!

--Ms. Crawford

## Where is our classroom?

Room #123  
(Just off the right corridor,  
5 doors down on the right side)

NOTE: I will be the teacher handing out high fives at the door, or come ready with your best handshake ever!

## MY PUPS: MILLI & MUGZ



## MY FAVORITE PLACE TO VISIT: LAKE ARENAL, COSTA RICA



## Reminders:

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<http://j-crawford.weebly.com>

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DEAR \_\_\_\_\_ (PARENT/GAURDIAN NAME HERE) \_\_\_\_\_,

The summer is coming to an end quickly and I know you are probably excited to send (*insert student name here*) back to school to learn and grow with *his/her* teachers and friends. I want you to know that I am just as excited to be opening my door to a new group of energetic learners. To make this transition easier I wanted to reach out to you to first introduce myself, give you quick glimpse at some exciting things I have planned, and lastly to give you an outline of the expectations I set forth for my classroom as well as the discipline plan that will accompany these expectations.

My name is Jamie Crawford; I am a Certified Teacher from Tarleton State University. I anticipate a great and exciting year of learning; I am committed to helping your *son/daughter* advance as much as possible. As this is my first year meeting (*enter student name here*), I would ask that you send me a little bit of information about *him/her* as you can. What do they like to do for fun, favorite subject, anything that may help me expand on who they are so that I can better formulate their learning experiences. You can send this to me via mail or email, it will not be shared! Also, we will have two field trips this year, one to the Ft. Worth Botanical Gardens and one to the Indian Preserves. Permission slips will be sent out prior to the trip; we will also be seeking chaperon volunteers, if interested please let me know.

I have sent you a tri-fold explaining our classroom discipline plan. This plan was designed so that all students/parents/guardians/teachers understand the expectations. It also ensures our learning environment is fair to all and creates a positive, safe experience. I will review the discipline plan in its entirety on the first day of school, it will be reiterated as much as needed until the entire class understands the expectations, and lastly the plan will be reinforced consistently throughout the entire school year.

I encourage you to reach out to me as often as needed, if you prefer to be contacted via a particular methods please let me know that as well. My website is updated bi-weekly with newsletters so that you can stay abreast of what is going on in our classroom. I look forward to hearing what you have to say about (*enter students name*) and meeting *him/her* on the first day of school, August 28<sup>th</sup>!

--Ms. Jamie Crawford

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