



Dear Friend,

My name is Carolyn Carr and I will be your First Grade teacher for the 2013-2014 school year. I am so excited to meet you and have a wonderful year of learning together.

Let me tell you a little about myself. I grew up in Mansfield, OH and am the only girl with two younger brothers. I have 3 nieces and 3 nephews. My mom, dad, brothers and their families still live there. I went to Bowling Green State University, where I also met Mr. Carr. I moved to Columbus when we got married and was a Reading Teacher for 10 years before becoming a 1st grade teacher.

At school I am “Mrs. Carr,” but at home I am “Mom” to three wonderful little boys. My oldest son, Liam, just turned 12 and will be a seventh grader this year in Dublin. Ben is 10 and will be in fifth grade. My littlest guy, Nick just turned 5 and will be going to Kindergarten this year. Rounding out the Carr family is my husband, Kevin who is a movie critic and stay-at-home dad. I can’t forget our sweet dog, Sadie.

When I have a little time to myself, I love to read, scrapbook, watch television, go to movies, spend time with my family and catch up with my friends. But most of all, I love to travel! In the last ten years we have driven everywhere from Florida to Alaska, taken 2 cruises and seen some amazing sights! If you ask me what my favorite destination is, it will definitely be someplace warm and sunny. I can’t wait to find out what your family likes to do for fun!

I hope you will join me at our **Open House on Monday, August 19th from 4:30-5:30.** Please bring a couple of items with you:

- Your favorite picture book from home (put your name in the front). We will be using them for something special on the first day of school.
- A 3x5 or 4x6 photograph of you with your family in a small frame.
- Your school supplies (if you bought them over the summer.) If you ordered them last spring, they are already in our classroom.

I am so excited to be teaching first grade again this year and I can’t wait to meet all of my new friends and their families! Please feel free to contact me at any time if you have questions or concerns. I’m looking forward to a fabulous year!

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