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Dear Summit Preschool Families,

Hello! My name is Cathy Leon and I have been teaching for seven years but have worked in the school setting for 20 + years. In the School District of La Crosse, we are dedicated to providing inclusive educational opportunities for all students. Summit is a wonderful, nurturing place for families to begin their school journey. Together, we will build a compassionate community of lifelong learners.

Our classroom focus is on building a caring, respectful community of "bucket fillers". This concept is based on the book Have You Filled A Bucket Today? A Child's Guide to Happiness by Carol McCloud. In addition to building a solid foundation in social and emotional skills, we also work on academic readiness skills. Please check out our website at <https://www.lacrosseschools.org/> to find out more information about our program at Summit. You can search "preschool program" in the top right hand corner to go directly to the preschool page.

Here's a little information about myself. I have been married for 21 years and we have a beautiful adult daughter. In my spare time, I enjoy playing volleyball, tennis, gardening, and photography. I also love singing and spending time with my family.

I look forward to getting to know you and your child over the course of the next year. Feel free to contact me via email at cleon@lacrossesd.org or by phone at 608-789-8842 if you have any questions, concerns, or have information you would like for me to know about your child in advance.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Cathy Leon".

Cathy H. Leon (Pronounced Lay-own)

Pre-K Teacher @ Summit Environmental School

Important information about your child.

Child's Name _____ DOB _____

1. My child will be:

A. Dropped off/picked up from school by _____

B. My child will come to school on a bus from

C. My child will go home/to daycare on the bus to

2. My child will eat breakfast/lunch at school. (this must be on a daily basis) _____ Yes _____ No

3. My child has older siblings. They are _____

(Names and grade)

4. Child's Allergies _____

5. Child's interests _____

6. What name does your child prefer to be called?

7. How should we learn to spell your child's name? (Eg: Jo for Joseph, Mike for Michael) _____