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Dear Parents,

Hello and welcome to Room 6! My name is Ms. Vanessa and I have been a part of the Oneonta family for 9 years. It is an honor to be part of the developmental progression and individual growth of your child and I am eager to work with your children, create a positive bond, and get to know all of you! I am thrilled to enter my 7th year as a lead teacher at Oneonta. I received my Montessori teaching degree from the North American Montessori Center. I have my AA in Child Development and Social and Behavioral Science. I received my Child Development Master Teacher Permit from the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing. I am a proud mother to two beautiful girls, Kylie and Alexi who are also proud students of Oneonta. Becoming a teacher has been one of my greatest achievements, facilitating and introducing the world to children is my motivation and I aspire to continue making a positive change in every one of my students' life.

Ms. Crystal will be our classroom assistant this year, this will be her second year at Oneonta. Ms. Crystal has her AA in Child Development and has worked with children for five years. She is sweet, energetic, and always ready to help her students and coworkers!

The goal for my class is to help my students learn from daily experiences and increase their independence; physically, socially, and emotionally. Our TK and Kindergarten students will work hands on with Montessori materials, learn to challenge themselves, and work as a group to build team and leadership skills.

As we embark on new adventures, I ask that we work together as a team to ensure the students have a successful and positive learning experience. I am always available to discuss your child's progress and answer any questions you may have throughout the school year. The best way to reach me is via my email at vanessa@oneontamontessori.com or via our school DOJO app. Communication between teacher and parents is vital to a child's well-being so please let's keep the line of communication open all year!

Sincerely,

Ms. Vanessa