Dear Parents,

Welcome to a new SchoolNova year! My name is Diana Zeltser, and I will be your Math Enrichment 3-4 teacher. I look forward to making this a wonderful and fun school year.

In this class, I will be playing various games with the students so that they can learn math and logical reasoning in fun playful manner. Parent/caregiver participation is required.

My philosophy supports the idea that parent is the best teacher for a child throughout the whole life, while I see my role is being a tool that help your child to discover the fun world around and the world of the Mathematics. Throughout the year, your child will learn numbers, learn to count, be an active listener, and express ideas and thoughts. We will also work on word problems use number line, compare numbers, sorting pictures, categorizing, and classifying objects. We will learn to recognize patterns, identify and describe shapes etc. I will also use music and story time in class to support learning, children's fine motor, gross motor skills, develop their attention and memory. I will use handouts in each class. At the end of the class I will recommend some games and exercises to do at home. I expect a caregiver/parent to support the learning we do in class, and continue it at home.

Please try not to miss school, but if your child is sick or away that day you can always contact me. Please try not to be late for the class. It is very disruptive especially for small children. During the 2017-2018 school year I will provide each student with their own materials such as pencils, paper, erasers, games and small prizes. I am going to collect materials fee in addition to tuition. This cost will help me to cover my expenses to purchase prizes, holiday presents, and new exciting games. I will give you the exact amount shortly.

I'm very excited to work with you and your child.

If you have any questions feel free to contact me before or after class, or just email me at <u>happytunesinc@gmail.com</u>

Truly yours,

Diana Zeltser