

# EIGHTH GRADE SUPPLY LIST

2024 - 2025



- Many of the items below are used throughout all three years of middle school; families are encouraged to **reuse as many items as possible** from year to year
- Purchase and **prepare these items before the first day** of class
- Additional items may be requested during the school year
- ***Label all items as indicated below (\*), as well as water bottles and PE clothes***

## GENERAL SUPPLIES

- One large, sturdy zippered pencil case\*
- Pencils (mechanical or standard)
- Blue or black pens
- 2 red pens
- Highlighters (at least 2 colors)
- 4 dry erase markers
- Post-It Notes
- Glue stick
- Scissors
- Ruler (in & cm); sturdy plastic, with holes
- One ream loose-leaf notebook paper
- Mini whiteboard\*

## TECH REQUIREMENTS

- Laptop\* ([click here](#) tech specifications)
- Charger\* (two chargers *strongly* recommended - one to be used at home, one for school)
- Headphones/earbuds\*

## PLANNER

- Each student will need a hard copy or online planner system that works for them. *Please support your child in selecting and setting up the tool they will use.*

## ART

*A materials list will be provided in the Fall*

## MUSIC

- Students in concert band and string ensemble are required to provide their own instrument and [folding music stand](#) for home practice
- Instructors of each music ensemble will reach out with instrument-specific supply lists as needed.
- Students enrolled in the Making Music Class need a 1" binder (cannot be shared with another class)

## PE SUPPLIES

- 1-2 pairs black PE shorts, leggings/sweatpants (any comfortable black athletic shorts, leggings, or sweatpants will suffice.)
- 1-2 gray unisex Park PE shirts (available for purchase [from our supplier](#))
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## MODERN LANGUAGE

*Reuse 7th grade binder and composition book*

- 1.5" binder\*
- Sturdy composition notebook\*
- Pack of index cards

## SEAL 8 sessions

- Composition notebook
- Pencils (mechanical or standard)

## MATH

- 1" binder with inside pockets\* (cannot be shared with another class)
- 7th and 8th graders are allowed to use calculators frequently during math class. If your child already has a TI-84, they can continue to use that calculator and it will last them through upper school and college. If you are planning to purchase a calculator for your child, we suggest a smaller, lighter, and less expensive option, the TI-30xs (\$15.44 on Amazon).

- Blue or black pens
- Pencils

*These classes may share a larger binder\* (1 ½"-2"):*

**SCIENCE**

- Section in a shared class binder for occasional papers

**SOCIAL STUDIES**

- Section in a shared binder

**LANGUAGE ARTS**

- *To Kill a Mockingbird* by Harper Lee
- *Flowers for Algernon* by Daniel Keyes
- *The Stranger* by Albert Camus

*Other titles may be announced for purchase*