

8th Grade Supply List

Dear Parents/Guardians:

We look forward to teaching your children next school year! Eighth grade is a great year of academic, social and physical growth for students. The eighth grade team will challenge your children with experiences that will help them develop productive mindsets and critical thinking skills. With the support and encouragement of the eighth grade team, students will develop and refine their organizational skills and work habits. Please help your eighth graders start their year organized and ready to learn by purchasing the supplies listed below. The supplies are tools that will help students organize and secure their schoolwork throughout the year. Thank you!

The Eighth Grade Team

Kathy Galecki – Reading
Jason Smith – Civics
Brody Zangaro - Math 8

Catherine Potter – Algebra 1
Katelyn Straley – Learning Support

Julie Raitano – English
Megan Sudsina – Science

Algebra 1

- ☐ 3 ring binder
- ☐ Index Dividers (5 tab)
- ☐ Pencils (12 pack)
- ☐ 1 pack of dry erase markers
- ☐ Graphing calculator (optional) [TI 83 Plus or TI 84 Plus are the standard models that are recommended, higher models are appropriate as well]
 - o It is recommended as students will use it in their high school career

Math 8

- ☐ 3 ring binder
- ☐ Index Dividers (5 tab)
- ☐ Pencils (12 pack)
- ☐ 1 pack of dry erase markers
- ☐ Pack of looseleaf paper

Reading

- ☐ One 1” 3-ring binder labeled “Reading”
- ☐ 3 divider tabs
- ☐ Pencils

Science

- ☐ One 1" 3-ring binder labeled "Science"
- ☐ 5 divider tabs
- ☐ 3 hole punched folder labeled "Homework" (clipped into binder)
- ☐ One package of college ruled paper (clipped into binder)

English Language Arts/ Civics - Integrated Course

- ☐ One 1" 3-ring binder labeled "ELA Civics"

8th Grade Essentials

- ☐ Pencils
- ☐ Pencil eraser tops
- ☐ Highlighters
- ☐ Red Pens
- ☐ Sticky notes
- ☐ Dry-erase markers

8th grade teachers would greatly appreciate donations of the items listed below. Thank you!

Box of tissues

Clorox wipes

GRADE 8 COMMUNICATIONS

8th Grade Homework Calendar

The 8th grade team uses a Google calendar to keep students and parents informed about assignments. The Google calendar can be viewed on our webpage page at the following address:

<http://tinyurl.com/yaoubbsp>

This calendar can be synced with mobile devices such as phones, ipods, and tablets.

Remind: 8th Grade Text Messages for Students and Parents

During the 2019-2020 school year, the 8th grade team will use the free message system called *Remind*. To sign-up for our text alerts, follow these simple directions:

On your phone send the text message, @amsgrade8, to 81010! Follow the directions when prompted.