



Middle School Supply List for 2020-2021

GENERAL NOTES for Families

- **Please label everything** clearly with the student's full name.
- All middle school students will receive an **MPA student planner** on the first day of school. There is no additional charge for this.
- You do **NOT** need to purchase any textbooks, novels, or workbooks except for Orchestra students, as noted below. If a school issued workbook or textbook is lost, the student may be asked to pay for its replacement.
- **Supplies specific to a project or disciplinary curriculum will be provided by MPA** (i.e. art supplies, Microbits © kits, science materials, etc).
- **IMPORTANT: All students must have a personal pair of earbuds that can be used with their computer.** We will not be able to loan/borrow earbuds.

World Language Supplies (all classes, all levels)

- **Spanish:** 1 spiral notebook (with 100+ sheets), 1 pocket folder
- **French:** 3-ring binder (1-inch) with dividers, 2 packages loose leaf paper

GRADE 5

- **1 zipped 3-ring binder with two-pocket insertable plastic dividers in 5 colors** (Avery 11903 recommended to fit inside the binder) **OR binder equipped with accordion folder**
- **3 spiral notebooks** (with 100+ sheets)
- **5 pocket folders** (1 may be left in the music room)
- **2 packages loose leaf paper** (wide-ruled)
- **2 glue sticks**
- **4 highlighters** in at least 2 different colors
- **4-6 dry erase markers** in different colors
- **Pencils, black and colored pens** (for correcting) – please replenish throughout the year!
- **1 box of colored markers and/or colored pencils**
- **2 black Sharpies**
- **Earbuds in a labeled bag** to stay at school (required)

Art Supplies:

- **scissors**
- **ruler**
- **sketchbook** (preferable), printer paper, or notebook paper – standard size
- **Water cup** (about 8 to 12 oz., such as an old yogurt container)

Music, Orchestra, and Band:

- Each student will purchase a subscription to SMARTMUSIC. The account is \$20 per student annually. Music faculty will send families and email with instructions and guidance on how to purchase the subscription in August.

NOTE: The SMARTMUSIC subscription will replace the instrumental books that are normally requested and the pieces available in this program can be used in both general music and instrumental.

Grade 6

- **1 zipped 3-ring binder with two-pocket insertable plastic dividers in 5 colors** (Avery 11903 recommended to fit inside the binder) **OR binder equipped with accordion folder**
- **2 spiral notebooks** (with 100+ sheets)
- **5 pocket folders** (1 may be left in Music Room)
- **2 glue sticks**
- **TI-30X IIS Calculator**
- **Ruler and Protractor**
- **1 graph paper notebook** (Note: May need to purchase additional one during year)
- **4 packs of plain index cards** and a holder for them (a baggie or pencil bag is fine)
- **Pencils, black and colored pens** (for correcting) – please replenish throughout the year!
- **Colored Pencils** (12pk)
- **2 black Sharpies**
- **1 package dry erase markers**
- **4 highlighters** (in 4 different colors for annotating!)

Art Supplies:

- **scissors**
- **ruler**
- **sketchbook** (preferable), printer paper, or notebook paper – standard size
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- Ukulele Instruction Book, “Uke Can Do It 2!” (ISBN: 1475818637) – Amazon \$18

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Grades 7 and 8

- **Students should purchase ONE of the following:**
Option A: Three (3) 3-ring binders (1-inch) with two-pocket insertable plastic dividers for each
Option B: 1 zipped 3-ring binder with two-pocket insertable plastic dividers in 5 colors (Avery 11903 recommended to fit inside the binder) OR binder equipped with accordion folder
- **3 spiral notebooks** (with 100+ sheets)
- **4 pocket folders**
- **1 package loose leaf paper**
- **Ruler and protractor** (Optional for Math with Mr. Peterson)
- **1 graph paper notebook** (Note: May need to purchase additional one during year)
- **Honors Algebra and Honors Geometry students:** TI-84 graphing calculator (any version)
- **Pre-Algebra and Algebra students:** TI-30X IIS Calculator
- **4 packs of plain index cards** and a holder for them (a baggie or pencil bag is fine)
- **1 pencil bag** (for binder)
- **Scissors**
- **Pencils, black and colored pens** (for correcting) – please replenish throughout the year!
- **1 package dry erase markers**
- **2 glue sticks**
- **Earbuds in a labeled bag** to stay at school (required)
- **4-6 highlighters** (in at least 4 different colors for annotating!)
- **2 black Sharpies**
- **Colored Pencils** (12pk)
- **Grade 8 Only: Picture postcard of somewhere you visited during the summer** for Art (pick postcards with images only, if possible. Few to no words.)

7th and 8th grade Art Supplies:

- 1 set of watercolors + paint brush (most set come with one)
- 1 set of 12 colored pencils
- 2 B drawing pencils, soft eraser
- 1 Scissors
- 1 Elmer's glue (or the like)
- 8 ½" X 11" blank sketchbook *OR* 9" x 12" blank sketchbook

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