



# TYRONE

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Dear 7th and 8th Grade Families,

We hope this letter finds you and your families well. We would like to take this opportunity to welcome you and your student to the 7th or 8th grade family and inform you of some useful materials suggested for the upcoming school year.

Please be patient with us as we navigate through these unprecedented, ever changing times. As you know, students will be required to wear face coverings while in school. We will be working together to make sure our classroom environment is as clean and safe as possible.

Your child will be traveling to different classes throughout the middle school, so it's important to make sure they stay organized. Students are permitted to carry backpacks throughout the day. They will have an assigned desk in each classroom that they will be able to store their belongings. They will not be using lockers this year except for coat storage in the winter.

Below is a supply list. In order to prepare your child for 7th or 8th grade, please try to supply your child with the materials on this list within the first two weeks of school. The earlier the better! ☐

### Supply List for 7th grade:

- Earbuds / headphones
- 5 pocket folders (1 for each core subject)
- Binder to hold all folders (optional)
- 3 notebooks (math, social studies, and science)
- 2 composition notebooks (not spiral bound) and 1 pack of 3X5 index cards ELA
- 2 glue sticks per marking period
- Pencils and Pencil Sharpener or Mechanical pencils (throughout the year)
- Colored pencils
- Erasers / pencil top erasers (throughout the year)
- 2 highlighters (any color)
- Pencil box
- Sketchbook and drawing pencil kit for art
- Calculator (Casio fx-300MS Plus- 2line display) - (ONLY IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO PURCHASE YOUR OWN.)

### Supply List for 8th grade:



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- Pencils
  - Erasers - Pencil top or handheld
  - Pencil sharpener (handheld)
  - 6 Folders
  - Spiral Bound Notebook
  - Pencil Box
  - Headphones or earbuds (no wireless headphones permitted)
  - 2 Highlighters (any color)
  - Sketch pad for art class
  - Drawing pencil set
  - Calculator (Casio fx-300MS Plus- 2line display) - (ONLY IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO PURCHASE YOUR OWN.)
- Please remember that your child will probably need to have supplies throughout the year.  
We kindly recommend buying extra supplies now while they are on sale!

### Classroom Donation List

**We always appreciate classroom donations! We are in constant need of the following items:**

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|-----------------------|------------------|
| ✓ Pencils             | ✓ Tissues        |
| ✓ Erasers             | ✓ Clorox wipes   |
| ✓ White lined paper   | ✓ Hand sanitizer |
| ✓ Highlighters        |                  |
| ✓ White board markers |                  |

Thank you in advance for your support. We are looking forward to an exciting school year!

Best Wishes,  
7th and 8th Grade Team