



# The Math & Science Exploratory School

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Dear 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Families,

Welcome to MS447! Students' preparedness for class is integral to academic success. Below is a list of supplies that your child will need in sixth grade. We recommend that you label items with your child's first and last name.

### 6<sup>th</sup> GRADE SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR ALL CLASSES

#### **Pencil case with the following contents- bring to every class daily**

- Sharpened #2 pencils (It is best to keep a couple of packages in your locker)
- Blue/black pens
- Red pens or different colored pens for edits/revisions
- Highlighters
- Colored pencils or crayons
- Hand held pencil sharpener (small metal one works best)
- USB/Flash Drive

**Loose leaf paper** Used in classes throughout the year, it is best to keep 1 or 2 packages in your locker, and replenish as necessary

**Graph Paper** – one package, at least 1/4" thick, used in science and math

**MS447 Agenda Book**- May be purchased on the first day of school. Cost \$5.00

**Combination Lock**- Please practice opening and unlocking with the combination over the summer

**Reusable water bottle** (recommended)

#### **Subject Specific Items**

<b>ELA:</b> Eight 2 pocket folders with fasteners (preferably red, please select the same color for all eight) One 2 pocket folder (blue) Post-Its (used throughout the whole year)	<b>MATH:</b> One Composition notebooks One 2 pocket folder
<b>SCIENCE:</b> One spiral notebook with perforated pages One 2 pocket folder	<b>SOCIAL STUDIES:</b> One composition notebook One 1" binder (with loose leaf)
<b>TALENTS:</b> One composition notebook	<b>ART:</b> One unlined sketch book

#### **Teacher Wish List- The following classroom DONATIONS are greatly appreciated:**

Paper: computer paper, colored construction paper, wide-ruled loose leaf paper

"Stick Together": glue sticks, white glue, staples, student staplers, paper clips, scotch tape

Writing Utensils: Crayons, markers, colored pencils, dry erase markers, pens and pencils

"Clean & Healthy": tissues, disinfectant cleaning wipes, trial size deodorants, Band-Aids

We look forward to meeting you in September, have a great summer!

Sincerely,

The MS447 Sixth Grade Staff