

5th grade supplies

Required

- 3 Highlighters
- 5 spiral notebooks
- 12 Pencils and erasers
- Five 2-pocket folders
- Box of Kleenex, and antibacterial wipes for classroom
- 12 Colored pencils
- 24 Crayons
- 2 Glue sticks
- Scissors
- Post-it notes
- Small pencil box (large will not fit inside our desks)
- Pencil sharpener
- Headphones
- 3 x 5 index cards
- Mini stapler/protractor



Building the
bridge to middle
school !

Over the summer...

- Keep a writing journal
- Read for pleasure
- **YOU MUST** know your multiplication facts **BEFORE** beginning fifth grade !

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**Welcome to the
5th grade!!!
Where we help
each student to
succeed, and
bridge the
transition to
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▶ **We are excited
you are entering
the 5th grade!!!**

This is going to be a fantastic year. We have a lot of wonderful things planned for you. This year you will have the opportunity to be involved in our school.

These are the things that may be offered to you in the 5th grade:

- Safety Patrol
- Service Squad
- Bagel Workers
- Classroom Helpers
- Band/ Orchestra
- Junior Optimist Club
- Morning Announcers
- Fund raising
- 5th Grade Camp

5th Grade Expectations

- **Expectations for 5th grade students are high as we move students toward the transition to Middle School.**
- **They are expected to assume responsibility for their own learning.**
- **The 5th Grade Curriculum is rigorous and challenging.**
- **It is critical that students develop, practice and maintain good study habits and organizational skills.**
- **We expect that students come to school on-time and are prepared to do their best work.**
- **We do expect high quality and consistency.**

5th Grade Curriculum

Reading—Learn to read for multiple purposes. Connect reading and writing. Examine story structure in fiction/nonfiction/classic texts. Learn to respond to reading.

Language Arts- Grammar, Writing Skills, and Vocabulary Enrichment are the main focus. ELA MStep

Science- Organization of Living Things, Force and Motion, Earth in Space and Time.

Social Studies- American History and Government. Social Studies MStep

Math- Basic Operations (adding, subtracting, multiplying and dividing multiple numbers and fractions). Geometric shapes and formulas, Problem Solving, Algebraic Thinking, and Written Expression. Math MStep



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