

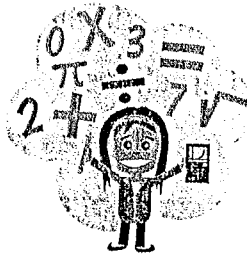
2023-2024 Supply List

Middle School

All supplies need to be replenished as needed throughout the school year.

| Item | Amount | Comment All supplies must be replenished as needed throughout the school year |
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| Computer headphones with microphone or earbuds with microphone | 1 | Headphones or earbuds should fit a standard USB Port. Wired only, no gaming or AirPods |
| Scientific Calculator | 1 | Calculator should be scientific(does not have to be graphing). Recommended calculator is Texas Instruments TI-30Xa Scientific Calculator (\$10.82 on Amazon) |
| NO Trapper Keepers or Large Binders! | | |
| Loose Leaf Paper | 2 packs | Regular(wide) ruled not college ruled and not tear-out notebook paper; ELA & Social Studies |
| Blue and/or black pens | 2 packs | |
| Red pens | 1 pack | |
| Highlighters | 1 pack | |
| Pencils | 2 packs | |
| Crayons | 1 box | |
| Colored Pencils | 1 pack | |
| Pointed Scissors | 1 pair | |
| Glue Sticks | 4 | 2 liquid, 2 stick |
| Markers | 1 pack | |
| Index Cards | 7 packs | Students will need about 7 throughout the year |
| Composition Books | 3 | Marble hardback composition books; ELA and Religion |
| Interactive Notebook for Math | 1 | Mead 5 Star Interactive Notetaking spiral bound notebook; 1 subject, college ruled, 100 sheets (Available on Amazon and at Staples) for Math |
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| Two-Pocket Folders | 3 | ELA, Math and Religion |
| Hand Sanitizer | 1 | Replenish as needed |
| Tissues | 3 Boxes | Homeroom. Replenish as needed |
| Paper Towels | 4 Rolls | Homeroom. Replenish as needed |
| Clorox Wipes | 2 containers | Label one for Science and one for Homeroom. Replenish as needed |
| Dry Erase Markers | 1 pack | |
| Plastic Spoons and Forks | 2 of each | Homeroom |
| 1" Binder | 1 | Social Studies |
| Pocket dividers for binder | 2 packs | 1 pk each for Science and Social Studies |
| 2" binder | 1 | Science |



June 2024

Dear Parent or Guardian of an incoming sixth, seventh, or eighth grade student,

This summer students will be utilizing technology to keep their minds sharp and active while they are out of school, while making it easy on parents to manage and teachers to monitor. We will be using the website www.ixl.com to personalize learning for all students. Your child's username and password is attached and instructions are below.

IXL creates personalized learning with a comprehensive Math and Language Arts curriculum. It provides individualized guidance and real-time analytics. IXL can meet the unique needs of each learner.

During the summer, students will complete diagnostic and review activities tailored to their grade level. Math students should review the skills for the grade level they completed in June. Any questions, please email Mrs.

Latkowsky at platkowsky@stmstc.org.

Current Students:

Log on to IXL using your username and password that are attached to this letter.

To get your child started on your home computer, please follow these easy steps:

- ★ Go to <https://www.ixl.com>
- ★ Enter your child's username and password (see attached) and click "Sign in."

- ★ Click on the grade your child has just completed and practice skills in math and ELA. Math skills should include all four operations with whole numbers, place value, and fractions.
- ★ ELA skills should focus on grammar as well as reading comprehension.
- ★ Students should strive for a score of at least 80% for each skill they complete.

New Students who are coming to STMSTC for the first time:

Please email Mrs. Latkowsky at platkowsky@stmstc.org and she will set up an account for your child and email you their username and password. Once you have that, follow the instructions above to get your child started on IXL.

IXL is designed to help your child learn at their own pace. The program is adaptive and will adjust based on your child's demonstrated understanding of the material. All of your child's results will be saved, so you can monitor their progress anytime by clicking on Analytics. For on-the-go practice, you can download IXL's free mobile apps for Apple, Android, or Kindle and sign in with your child's username and password.

In addition to practicing skills on ixl.com, incoming seventh and eighth grade students are required to read one book of their choice. The novel may be of any genre/type, but it must be age and grade appropriate. You do not have to do any work with the book over the summer except read it. Please have it read by the time school starts in August.

Thank you and have a great summer!