

Dear Parents of incoming 5th graders,

The fifth grade team has a few suggestions to help prepare your student for 5th grade.

1. Have your student read daily for at least 20 minutes.
2. Make sure your student knows their multiplication facts to the twelves.
3. Practice adding and subtracting with regrouping(borrowing)

Your student will be reading daily novels during the school year. Daily reading practice during the summer will make completing assigned novels and projects much easier during the school year. Fifth grade math uses multiplication in all aspects of math instruction. Students who know their facts find it easier to learn the new concepts and find math less frustrating. Daily practice during the summer, will make you and your student's school year much more enjoyable.

Below you will find a suggested list of school supplies that your child will need during the school year. The school does not provide these items.

**Very Highly Recommended:**

1. **\$3.00 for a school planner.** The fifth grade has purchased a weekly planner for the students to use this year. They will record their homework and other assignments in this planner.
2. **Earbuds** to use with Chromebook
3. Your own **whiteboard, white board markers, and eraser.** The board needs to fit in your child's desk.
4. A pair of **scissors**
5. **Pencils**
6. **A pocket folder** for homework
7. **4 spiral notebooks**

**Recommended: (These things would be nice to have)**

1. Colored pencils
2. Highlighter pen
3. Red ball point pen
4. Glue stick

**Please do not buy big binders as they do not fit in the desks.**

**CLASSROOM DONATIONS**

Pencils, Lined notebook paper (wide ruled) ,Colored copy paper ,Paper towels, Box of tissues, Scotch tape for the tape dispensers .

Thank you,