



**Welcome to the Charles F. Patton 8th Grade!**

Dear Students and Parents,

The teachers would like to welcome all of our incoming 8th graders. Eighth grade is a time for meeting new teachers, making new friends, and developing the skills for lifelong learning. Our focus for the year is to provide an environment that encourages learning, growth, cooperation, and fun, positive experiences for all of our students.

Parents, there are many times during the year when we will send out email reminders about field trips, team events, calendar and academics. Having accurate email addresses in Powerschool will enable us to keep everyone fully informed. In regards to communicating with teachers, email is the preferred method of communication. We can provide a much more timely response to an email.

Students: for your first day of school, we have compiled a preliminary list of school supplies. Your teachers will provide you with a more detailed list of materials for each of their specific classes.

Required materials:

___ ear buds	___ highlighters (various colors)
___ pens/pencils	___ scientific calculators (your name in permanent ink)
___ colored pencils	___ 2-3 boxes of tissues (to be given to Advisory teacher)
___ dry erase markers	___ 1 bottle of hand sanitizer

We recommend that each of you bring a charged Chromebook, a writing utensil, paper, binder/folder and the team activity/t-shirt form and fee for the first day.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to email Meg Basilio at [mbasilio@ucfsd.net](mailto:mbasilio@ucfsd.net) or Hillary Brogan at [hbrogan@ucfsd.net](mailto:hbrogan@ucfsd.net)

Enjoy your summer and we will see you in August!

Regards,  
Meg Basilio  
*8th Grade Team Leader*  
Hillary Brogan  
*8th Grade Team Leader*



## 8th Grade Team Activities and T-Shirt Order Form

8<sup>th</sup> Grade is planning a variety of team activities and will be ordering T-shirts so we can show our school spirit during the 2019-20 school year. The \$20 team activity fee is used for water ice socials, pizza parties, team activities throughout the year as well as \$5 contribution to the PTO raffle baskets. In addition, each student will receive a T-shirt. Checks should be made payable to CFPMS.

**Return this slip, along with your check or cash (\$20.00) to your child's advisory teacher by Friday September 6, 2019.**

Student Name (Print): \_\_\_\_\_

Advisory Teacher (Last Name): \_\_\_\_\_

Adult Sizes: (Please check one.)

\_\_\_ S      \_\_\_ M      \_\_\_ L      \_\_\_ XL      \_\_\_ 2XL



*last year's sample*

*No student will be denied team activities or team supplies due to financial hardship. Please contact your child's guidance counselor or advisory teacher if financial assistance is needed.*