



## Dakota Hills Middle School 2020-21 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Supply List

**School-Issued iPads:** All 6<sup>th</sup> graders will be issued an iPad by the school. This will be used as the primary agenda or “planner” ... but students can bring and use a hard-copy planner if they wish.

### **System of Organization:**

Having a physical tool like a large accordion file, or a trapper-keeper is important for keeping class materials organized, separated, and easy to locate. Each student is able to choose what works best for her/him, but our experience is positive for students who use a file folder system. We suggest the same color folder and notebook for subjects (i.e. red folder and red notebook for math, etc.)

**Note:** We suggest that if you can color code matching notebooks and folders for subjects, then select different matching color pairs for different classes... red for math, yellow for science, etc. This makes visual recognition easier for students going from class-to-class.

### **New Suggestion for 2020-21:**

• Plug in keyboard for iPad (we know many students prefer a tactile keyboard to touchscreen typing)

### **Suggested Supplies:** (used in all classes)

- #2 pencils
- ruler
- colored pencils (rec. 12-pack)
- pencil case
- highlighters
- scissors
- red and black pens (Flair)
- 4 x 6 notecards
- red pens
- glue stick
- ear buds (used w/ iPads)

### **Classroom Needs:** (FLEX, we use a lot of these in classes to prevent the spread of illnesses)

- Disinfecting wipes
- white board markers
- Kleenex tissues (3 boxes)

### **Math:**

- Scientific calculator (label with student name)
- 3-subject notebook and folder (same color)
- Pack of loose-leaf paper
- Donate pencils

### **Minnesota Studies:**

- Notebook and folder (same color)
- Blue/black pens
- Color pencils
- Black sharpies (5)

### **English and Reading (shared):**

- 3 pens for editing
- 2 folders
- black flair pen

### **Physical Science:**

- Composition notebook
- 3-ring binder (1-inch width)

### **Physical Education:**

- Athletic clothing, tennis shoes
- Padlock
- Towel and swimsuit  
(girls: one piece swimsuit,  
boys: trunks w/ lining and drawstring)

### **Art, FACS, Tech Ed:** (one trimester each)

- One folder and matching notebook can be used for all three trimesters in succession

### **Music:** (Band or Choir)

- Students will be provided with hard-copy sheet music for notes, with no other needs

