

# Paterson School #21 – Soaring Eagles



## Supply List for 2025-26

Dear 5th and 6th Grade Parent(s) in Mrs. Schiffrin's Class,  
Following is a list of school supplies which your child will need to begin the school year. Students are responsible for their own supplies, which may need to be replenished during the school year. Additional supplies may be required during the school year.

### **Qty Item and Product Description**

- 1 Pencil case – large, zipper, mesh pocket (not a box)
- 36 Pencils - #2
- 2 Highlighter (single) (yellow)
- 4 Mead composition notebooks, 100 pages, wide ruled (black and white)
- 1 Elmer's glue sticks, washable school glue (large)
- 1 Crayons -24 pack (regular size)
- 1 box colored pencils
- 2 Pocket-folder for homework
- 1 box of facial tissues, large box  
(family size - will store in the class closet for use as needed)

Dear Parents,

Welcome to 5<sup>th</sup> and 6th grade in Room 207! This is an exciting time as children embark upon new adventures in the world of learning. We hope to make your child's learning experience a fun and exciting one, and we hope to instill a love of learning that will last throughout your child's years of schooling.

So much happens this year! The year will be full of important transitions. It is extremely important to keep in mind that we all build on small successes. Each child will progress at his/her own rate, acquiring skills as he/she is developmentally ready. Maintaining each child's

self-esteem and building a secure foundation for future growth will always remain a priority. Here are some ways you can help:

- Celebrate your child's success, no matter how small it may seem. This will keep your child enthusiastic about learning and proud of their work!
- Read to and with your child every day, if possible. The more your child is exposed to language, the easier it will be for him/her to incorporate new skills in reading and writing in the classroom.
- Practice math concepts and multiplication/division drills with your child each day for approximately 30 mins to ensure a successful year.

We are looking forward to working with your child this year and helping him/her to achieve his/her full potential.

### **Parent/Teacher Relationship**

We believe that a good parent-teacher relationship is necessary for maximum school success. Throughout the year we will communicate with you through emails, telephone calls, progress reports and parent-teacher conferences. We encourage you to contact any of us if you have any questions or concerns at any time. You can call any one of us at school (973) 321-0210, or e-mail me at [jschiffrin@patersonschools.org](mailto:jschiffrin@patersonschools.org). I plan to use ClassDojo again as a daily communication tool.

### **Daily folder/planner**

There will be a daily folder sent home each day. Please check it for homework and other important flyers.

### **Homework**

There will be homework assigned Monday through Thursday. Fridays will be a no homework day.

### **Attendance**

All students are expected to be in school on time and every day, starting at 8:20am. In the event of an emergency please return the student with a doctor's note to excuse the absence.

### **Classroom Rules**

The students will be expected to follow a set of classroom rules that will be developed in the first week of school by the students.

Again, we look forward to teaching your child and working with you to help your child achieve their fullest potential.

Sincerely,

Mrs. J. Schiffrin