Dear Sixth Grade Student,

Welcome to sixth grade! I am really excited to be your teacher for the upcoming 2021-2022 school year.

I hope you are enjoying your summer! As we near the beginning of school, it is time to begin planning for a successful sixth grade year. This year, school begins on Monday, August 30th. In order to be prepared for our first day together, please see the list below of items to bring with you on the 30th.



- ✓ A silent reading book that interests you and is on your reading level.
- ✓ One box of pencils (12 count), bring half with you to school and leave the other half at home.
- ✓ Ten folders with pockets and metal fasteners to attach notebook paper in the middle. You may want to buy different colors so you can easily find them in your desk. Do **NOT** label the folders, we will do this together.
- ✓ Two (2) hundred sheets of lined notebook paper with holes. Bring 100 sheets with you and leave the rest at home. Do NOT attach the paper to your folders.
- ✓ One pack of 5x8 index cards with lines.
- \checkmark Ear buds or headphones in a plastic bag labeled with your name.
- ✓ Art sketchbook for art class (spiral bound, 8x10 inches).
- \checkmark A box of tissues with your name on it, if possible.
- \checkmark One or two containers of disinfecting wipes, if possible.
- ✓ Hand sanitizer for yourself.
- ✓ A bottle of hand soap, if possible.
- ✓ Yourself with a positive attitude!

In addition to the supply list above, your first assignment is to cut from magazines or make photocopies of pictures of family photographs, favorite foods, musicians, sports, and words or phrases that say something meaningful about you. You should bring these with you on the first day of school in a neat, organized way. You need to have enough pictures/words to fully cover a 9x11 sheet of construction paper. Do not glue them or assemble them. We will be creating our collages during the first week of school. Have fun!

Please do **not** bring in large or individual binders. There is not enough room in your desk to store binders. Make sure to have all the items listed above on the first day of school.

Sixth grade is an important school year. Be ready to work hard, but, also, have lots of fun! Have a wonderful rest of your summer, and I look forward to seeing you on August 30th!

Sincerely, Miss Tagye