Tamanend Middle School

Welcome to 7th Grade!

JOURNEY AND LEGACY TEAMS 2025-2026

Welcome to 7th Grade at Tamanend Middle School! We hope that you are enjoying your summer. The teachers on the Journey and Legacy Teams are excited to meet you and guide you through all the new experiences you will enjoy at TMS. We are planning on an amazing school year! Being prepared is an essential element for success. To reach your goals, please come prepared with your supplies on the first day of school. The supply list is included in this letter and posted on the TMS website. To establish successful organizational skills as a 7th grader, you will use a binder and dividers to organize your notes, homework, and handouts. Also, please bring a 2 X 3 printed photo of yourself for an activity on the first day of school. The Journey and Legacy Team Teachers look forward to seeing you on September 2nd!

Summer Reading

Summer is a fantastic time to sit back, relax, and enjoy a great book! Your 7th grade teachers look forward to sharing the great books they read the summer with you. over encourage summer reading for pleasure with the hope that students select at least one title to read over the summer. We also encourage students to check out the great resources offered by the Bucks County Free Library. Happy reading!

Renaissance Faire Trip

On October 9th, both the Journey and will travel the Legacy teams to Pennsylvania Renaissance Faire at the Mount Hope Estate in Manheim, PA. More information will be coming your way once the school year starts. The cost of this field trip is approximately \$60. We're thrilled that our students will be able to experience the language, culture, and life of the Middle Ages and Renaissance time periods as a 7th grade class. Please know that if your family is experiencing financial hardship, assistance will be available. This is a rain or shine trip.

7th Grade Supplies

Please contact Ms. Vitacco (Journey Team Leader) or Mrs. Mancini (Legacy Team Leader) with any questions.

 \square 2 X 3 printed photo of yourself for an activity on the first day ☐ Texas Instruments Scientific Calculator TI-30XIIS (or fraction capable) labeled with your name □ <u>wired</u> earbuds/headphones (A few pairs from the Dollar Store would be great!) □ 1 dozen pencils per marking period □ 1 pack of ballpoint pens, black or blue □ eraser/pencil cap erasers □ 2 highlighters □ 1 pack of colored pencils \square 2 packs, 100, white index cards, ruled, 3"x 5" □ 2 packs Post-it notes 3"x 3" □ 3 black fine point permanent markers □ 1 hand-held pencil sharpener ☐ Independent Reading Book □ 1 binder, 3 ring, heavy duty, 3 inch □ 1 pack filler paper, wide rule ☐ 1 pencil case, 3 hole with grommets ☐ 1 marble composition book binder dividers to separate subjects in binder □ 1 rectangular tissue box (We go through tissues quickly, so any additional donations of tissues are greatly appreciated!)