



**8<sup>th</sup> Grade**  
*Infinity and Polaris Teams*  
Tamanend Middle School



August 2024

Dear Eighth Grader,

Welcome to 8<sup>th</sup> Grade! We hope you are relaxing and enjoying your summer while recharging for new academic endeavors. We are excited about the upcoming school year. We know it will include many challenges and would like to share some information with you. In 8<sup>th</sup> grade, students are assigned to either the Infinity Team or Polaris Team, and both teams have great plans for a year full of learning!

Reminder: Don't forget to follow the directions to ready your school laptop for the new year. Be sure you have a working charger and computer pen to start the year. If necessary, you can purchase replacements on My Payments Plus.

See you on Tuesday, September 3<sup>rd</sup>!

**Supplies Needed:**

- Wired earbuds that are compatible with your laptop
- Binder with dividers and loose-leaf paper
- Pens, pencils, and highlighter (*plus something to hold them*)
- Calculator
- Two Composition Books (*for Science and Spanish*)
- A printed wallet sized photo of you
- Tissues (*turn in to Miss Roth or Mrs. Magliozzo*)

**8<sup>th</sup> Grade Highlights:**

**Social Studies** – Get ready for American History to come alive.

**Science** – Explore astronomy, chemistry, physics, and the human body.

**English** – Dive into texts that will inspire and challenge you as readers.

**Math** – Manipulate numbers in new and challenging ways, regardless of math class.

**World Language** – Speak in Spanish or French...and maybe even learn more about English grammar too!

Challenge yourself to learn something new and grow every day!

We are looking forward to a great year!

Sincerely,

Miss Roth (*Infinity Team Leader*)

Mrs. Magliozzo (*Polaris Team Leader*)

