

BOYERTOWN AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

MIDDLE SCHOOL EAST

Safety & Well-Being Acceptance & Respect Communication & Collaboration Learning & Growth To cultivate an exceptional, innovative learning community that enables all students to succeed in a changing world.

Welcome to Sixth Grade at Middle School East!

Our teams have been busy over the summer preparing for the coming school year. We are eager and excited to work with you and hope you will have an awesome year! This letter contains a variety of information to help you begin your middle school career. Please be sure to share this letter with your parents!

The Teams			
<u>Visionaries</u>	Discovery	<u>Odyssey</u>	<u>Endeavor</u>
ELA - Mrs. Biltcliff	ELA - Mrs. Fukui	ELA - Miss Wesolowski	ELA - Mrs. Farrow
Math - Mrs. Bennett	Math - Mr. Hartenstine	Math - Mrs. Irvin	Math - Mrs. Stauffer
Science - Mrs. Simpson		Science - Mrs. Campbell	
Social Studies - Mr. Wagner		Social Studies - Mr. Hagmann	
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Ms. Schwenk - Gifted

Dates to Remember:

- August 9 New Student Day
- August 15 New Student Day
- August 16 Back to School Night for Parents
- August 21 First Day of School
- August 23 Picture Day, Health Screening and SEL DAY



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GENERAL SUPPLIES FOR ALL CLASSES	pencils, pens (blue/black), erasers, pencil pouch, colored pencils, glue sticks, highlighter, 3x5 index cards, Post-it notes, earbuds or headphones	
SUPPLIES TO AVOID	Trapper Keepers (They don't fit in the lockers.) No stickers in lockers. No magnets in lockers (mirrors or pencil holders)	
SOCIAL STUDIES	 1 pocket folder 1 notebook 	
ELA (English Language Arts)	 ELA 6: 1 spiral notebook 1 inch binder with pockets 1 pack of 3 dividers English/Reading 6: 1 inch binder with pockets Divider packet 	
МАТН	 1.5 inch binder with pockets 1 pack of six dividers with tabs 1 spiral notebook, 120 sheets (Irvin's and Stauffer's classes) 1 marble composition book (Hartenstine's and Bennett's classes) Low-odor dry erase markers Dry erase board eraser or sock Calculator- TI-34 Multiview is preferred. 	
SCIENCE	 1 pocket folder 1 marble composition book 	
HEALTH	• Folder	
PHYS ED	 Black shorts and red T-shirt Socks and lace-up sneakers 	
BUSINESS	No additional supplies needed	
ART	 #2/HB pencils and erasers (preferably NOT mechanical pencils; the best are the Staedler white erasers) Sharpies (fine and ultra-fine point) 	
TECH ED	• Folder	
REACH	No additional supplies needed	
CHORUS	Folder with pockets	



Your path to Middle School success starts with...

- 1. Arriving on time with all needed materials and writing all assignments in your agenda book.
- 2. Completing all assignments on time.
- **3.** Asking for help. Whether it is academic, social, or emotional help, there are adults at the school ready and willing to help you. Seek out and ask for help when you feel you might need it.
- 4. Paying attention in class. Focusing and using class time wisely is one of the best ways to get ahead in middle school.
- 5. Making goals. Give yourself something that you want to attain by the end of the trimester. Then, make a plan and stick with it to get there.
- 6. Showing respect for yourself, others, your property, and your school.
- 7. Getting involved! Join a club or play an instrument.