

Park Middle School Fifth Grade

'Promise me you'll remember, you are braver than you believe, stronger than you seem, smarter than you think..'

Winnie the Pooh--A.A. Milne

Summer 2019

Dear Fifth Grade Student,

We are all eager to meet you in September (and hope you are filled with excitement as we embark on this new journey together). If you read Winnie the Pooh's words carefully, you will see that a belief in yourself is important. Park Middle School will soon become your home away from home, and we want you to feel confident. The fifth grade teachers look forward to meeting you, learning who you are as an individual, and helping you discover new things about yourself.

To get your shopping started, the following are items that every 5th grade teacher requires of his/her students.

- 1 box of #2 pencils
- 4-5 pens (your choice of color!)
- 1 block eraser
- 1 zippered pencil pouch
- 1 handheld pencil sharpener with a catch for shavings
- Headphones (in a ziplock bag—to remain in school for the entire year. No AirPods or wireless headphones, please. These are not compatible with our computers.)
- 4 sturdy pocket folders with holes (2 for class, 1 for World Language and 1 for Music)
- 1 combination Master lock—please no “word” locks (they are difficult to hook onto the lockers)
- A few packets of Post-It notes
- Package of glue sticks
- An independent reading book
- 1 box of tissues
- A healthy snack each day and a water bottle

**** You will receive a small list of specific items (no more than 3) from your child's teacher at 5th grade orientation. ****

Please be advised that rolling backpacks do not fit in the lockers at Park Middle School.

We look forward to meeting you on the first day of school!

Sincerely,
The Fifth Grade Team

Additional items required (by teacher):

Stack

- 1 three inch binder
- 2 packages of dividers
- 2 one-inch binders
- 1 five-subject notebook

Vargas

- 1 one-inch binder
- 1 package of dividers

Litz

- 1 one-inch binder
- 1 package of dividers

Nemec

- Only 2 pocket folders (not 4 as listed above)
- No individual pencil sharpener, or pens (as listed above)

Riggi

- 2 one-inch binders

Frantz

- 2 marble notebooks

Covert-Montana

- 1 one-inch binder
- 1 five-subject spiral notebook
- 2 one-subject spiral notebooks

Handza

- 1 five-subject notebook
- 1, three-inch binder
- 1 pack of dividers
- 1 marble composition book
- NO glue sticks (as listed above)
- NO packet of Post-Its (as listed above)

Drechsel

- 2 marble notebooks

Monti

- 3 packs of 3 x 3 post-its
- 2 marble notebooks
- NO pens necessary (as listed above)
- NO individual pencil sharpener (as listed above)
- Only 2 pocket folders (not 4 as listed above)