

8th Grade Supplies

NOTE ABOUT RECOMMENDATIONS: We understand that many of you will be preparing your applications for high school and/or enrichment programs. Please follow these guidelines:

- You must give your teachers **AT LEAST TWO WEEKS NOTICE** to complete the recommendation.
- Include clear written directions, stamped and addressed envelopes, clearly labeled personal information, and sign to waive confidentiality (i.e. agree that you won't look at the recommendation)
- Please be sure to extend your teachers the courtesy of asking them nicely if they would be willing to complete a recommendation.

LAB SCHOOL PLANNERS: Please bring in \$10.00 cash or check (made to: NYC Lab School) to purchase a planner. It is required to have a Lab planner, but if you need financial assistance please contact the guidance office immediately.

GENERAL SUPPLIES FOR STUDENTS' USE: Please get **EXTRA** of everyday items like paper, pens, and pencils. Students are responsible for replenishing their own supplies as they run out during the year.

- **SUPPLIES TO HAVE AT HOME:**
 - Plenty of loose-leaf paper for binders
 - Markers
 - colored pencils
 - glue or glue sticks
 - scissors
 - colored paper
 - #2 Pencils and blue/black pens (buy several boxes!)
- **SUPPLIES TO BRING TO SCHOOL EACH DAY IN A POUCH (**This pouch will be checked by your homeroom teacher on the Monday after school begins**):**
 - Flash Drive (You don't need to buy an expensive one. Any basic model will do. Please be aware that most of the computers in school have the '97-'03 version of Microsoft Word, so if students have the newest version of Word and need to print out documents at school, save them in compatibility mode at home)
 - #2 pencils and blue/black pens (keep at least five in your pouch at all times)
 - Highlighters and/or colored pens
 - 2 dual-tip sharpies (fine/ultra fine)
 - Hand-held pencil sharpener with plastic barrel to collect shavings
 - Eraser
 - glue stick
 - 6-inch ruler (with both metric and US customary units)
 - White-out

GENERAL SUPPLIES FOR CLASSROOM USE: Please bring these to your homeroom teacher and write your name on the packaging

- Tissues (4 boxes)
- Paper towels (3 rolls)
- 2 reams of white copy paper
- 1 pack of #2 pencils
- 1 pack of blue/black pens
- 1 pack of markers, thick or thin
- 1 pack of colored pencils
- 1 pack of post-its, any size

SUPPLIES FOR EACH SUBJECT:

For Art:

- **Purple** two-pocket folder
- Small sketchbook/journal (no smaller than 5" x 7", no bigger than 6" x 8", soft cover or hardcover, spiral or hardbound)
- Steadtler Mars plastic eraser
- Pencil case: soft or hard case (specifically for art class)
- 2 dual-tip sharpies (fine/ultra fine)
- 2 large glue sticks (Avery Clear, 1.27 oz. → available at Staples)

For Math:

- Bring \$7.00 cash or check (made to: NYC Lab School) for a practice workbook
- One **blue** 3-ring binder with 3 dividers
- Loose-leaf graph paper (2 packs)
- Graphing Calculator (to share with science): if you need financial assistance, please contact the guidance office IMMEDIATELY
 - Choose any of the following models: TI-84; TI-84 Plus; TI-84 Plus Silver
 - 8 AAA batteries
 - Bring in the "technical points" UPC from your TI calculator (PLEASE TAKE THIS OUT OF THE PLASTIC BEFORE YOU BRING IT TO CLASS)
- Scientific Calculator (please do not throw away your 7th grade calculator)

For Science:

- One **green** 3-ring binder (1 subject only)
- Protractor
- Compass (to share with math)
- Colored pencils and markers
- 3-hole punch (that can stay in your binder)

For Spanish

- One **orange** 3-subject Notebook
- Package of **dry** erase markers (thin or thick)
- 1 **orange** 2-pocket folder
- 501 Spanish Verbs and Spanish-English Dictionary (pocket size)

For Humanities:

- One **red** 3-ring binder with 3 dividers (1.5", 1 subject only, not to be shared with other subjects!)
- 4 **red** 2-pocket folders (write your name on each and bring them to class to store for use during projects)
- One 1-subject notebook (this may be a regular spiral notebook, marble notebook, or something more personal. It must be 8.5" x 11" in size and contain lined paper... this will NOT be used for in-class notes)

For Health:

- One **yellow** 2-pocket folder
- One **yellow** 2-subject spiral notebook