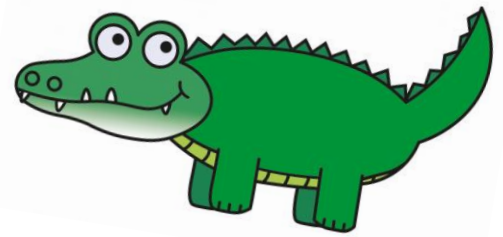


5TH GRADE SUPPLY LIST

2023-2024



Parents,

We are so excited for the upcoming school year! Below you will find a list of supplies. The classroom supplies will be collected & used as needed throughout the year for various projects & to keep our classroom germ free. The individual supplies will be used daily & replenished throughout the year as needed. Thank you, in advance, for your support! Have a great summer!

♥ Fifth Grade Team

Classroom Supplies

(will be shared by students and teacher)

- 1 box of tissues
- 1 ream of colored paper
- 2 reams of white copy paper
- 1 additional box of Ticonderoga pencils
- 2 packs of eraser caps

Girls:

- 1 ream of white cardstock paper
- 1 box of quart size Ziploc bags *with zipper*
- 1 box of Band-Aids

Boys:

- 1 pack of page protectors
- 1 container of Lysol wipes
- 1 box of gallon size Ziploc bags *with zipper*

Individual Supplies

(will be kept in student pencil pouches/or collected & distributed quarterly)

- Binder 1 1/2 inch binder with clear cover
- Pencil pouch *personal choice
- 2 pack - Notebook paper (wide ruled)
- 5 composition notebooks (No glitter, please)
- 8 black Expo markers
- 1 pack of sticky notes
- Pencils (choose own)
*mechanical pencils are permitted
- Individual size pencil sharpener
- "Colors" – this can be crayons, colored pencils, flare pens, etc. that the students prefers to use
- Scissors
- 4 glue sticks
- 4 folders with prongs
- Headphones *will be used DAILY*

Welcome to Fifth grade!

Dear Parents,

Fifth grade is a BIG year! We are so excited to get to know all the families and prepare the kids for middle school and beyond. Your support will be essential to making this year a success! Please read below some general information about expectations for this year.

Homework: Nightly reading is expected, and additional practice/projects may be assigned as homework. At home practice resources will be available if you would prefer the extra practice daily.

Projects/Classwork/Assessments: Students will complete a variety of assignments throughout the year. Although many of these assignments will be completed in class, occasionally, projects will be assigned to be completed at home. Since we are building responsible academic leaders, daily classwork that is not completed during class time will be sent home to complete that evening and expected to be brought back the next day. Any work turned in late may be accepted upon *teacher discretion* with possible partial credit. Please be mindful of due dates. Dates will be communicated through agendas and/or the Class Dojo app. Subject assessments will be given throughout the school year to assess the standards being taught. These classroom assessment dates may vary depending on student needs and readiness. District and state assessments will be administered throughout the school year.

PBIS (Positive Behavior Support): This year, the district will be following a streamlined positive behavior management system that will be aimed to improve student behavior while also strengthening learner engagement through a strategic system of clear expectations. Each classroom will have a behavior management system to recognize positive behavior/following expectations which in turn will be used for rewards in the classroom. The school wide expectations are as follows:

- G-** get along with others
- A-** always do your best
- T-** tell the truth
- O-** own your actions
- R-** be responsible

C.H.A.M.P.S: CHAMPS is a system of expectations that works with any set of rules, rewards, or consequences. CHAMPS is used to reduce classroom disruptions and office referrals, improve classroom climate, increase student on-task behavior, establish respectful and civil interactions.

The CHAMPS acronym stands for:

Conversation: *Can students talk to each other during this activity?*

Help: *How do students get the teacher's attention and their questions answered?*

Activity: *What is the task/objective? What is the product?*

Movement: *Can students move about during this activity?*

Participation: *How do students show they are fully participating? What does work behavior look/sound like?*

Success: *When students meet CHAMPS expectations, they will be successful!*

Attendance/Tardies: This year the school day begins at 8:25. Any child arriving at school after 8:25 will be marked tardy and will need to go to the office for a late pass. Please make sure your child arrives at school on time every day.

Technology: We will be using technology daily and it is imperative that your child has headphones or earbuds that work well and are comfortable for them to wear. Wireless/Bluetooth will not work on the school computers. If for any reason your child's headphones/ear buds stop working, they will be sent home and asked that you replace them as soon as possible. Headphones will be stored in the classroom and should not be taken back and forth from home to school. Each student will sign a technology agreement.

Water/Snacks: Water plays such an important role in your child's day! Water is always available to them through the hydration stations throughout the school and your child must bring a water bottle that preferably has a non-spill spout to keep at their desk. We will allow for a time to have a snack daily. If your child would like a snack, please send it in with them (we have a *LATE* lunch). Whole class snacks are always greatly appreciated! Refer to the healthy snack guideline provided by the county.

Math Club/Acaletics: Acaletics is a district initiative that focuses on practice, practice, practice of math standards throughout the year and grouped by student ability. Each quarter, your child will take a scrimmage to evaluate their progress through the fifth-grade math standards. Your child will be assigned to a teacher for a 30 minute daily to complete 5-10 questions of mixed math standards to expose them to as much math problem solving as possible. This is an ungraded, no stress portion of their day but they will be rewarded for their hard work!

Grading: The grade book is set up as 50% tests/quizzes & 50% classwork/projects. A student may retake an assessment according to the teacher's discretion. We are strongly encouraging students to advocate for themselves when the opportunity for a retake arises.

Other information will come out as needed about fifth grade from each classroom teacher!
We look forward to a **GREAT** year!! Please reach out if you have questions!

- Fifth Grade Team