

Dear Students and Parents,

It's our pleasure to welcome you to the 7G Team! Though this upcoming school year may look and feel a bit different, what hasn't changed is how much we are looking forward to working with you and getting to know you. Seventh grade is an incredible year filled with a variety of exciting academic and social experiences and we're anxious to share them with you.

Successful students come to 7G well-prepared. The most important things you'll need are a positive attitude and a willingness to work hard. Below is a list of supplies and materials that you will need to begin the school year with, as well.

#### **ALL Classes**

- inexpensive earbuds, compatible with iPads - **these are essential**, as much of the work we'll do at school will be on your iPad
- mask
- pack of pencils
- pencil case or bag to carry supplies and necessities
- one spiral notebook
- one pocket folder

#### **Science**

- one pack of colored pencils

#### **English**

- loose-leaf composition paper
- one pocket folder

#### **Social Studies**

- one pocket folder
- one *thin* black Sharpie/marker for labeling
- one pack of colored pencils

#### **Math**

- one pack of 4-count whiteboard markers

#### **How Parents Can Help**

- **Consult Schoology**

Schoology is the learning management platform used by all classes to access learning materials. It can be used anywhere that has a device and internet connection. You will receive information from Carlisle Area School District about how to access and monitor your child's academics.

- **Review the weekly 7G Team Update**

Emailed every Friday, it will provide parents with an overview of the week's activities and include notices of upcoming tests and quizzes.

- **Check PowerSchool**

This portal allows parents or guardians to monitor their child's progress between report cards. We encourage you to check PowerSchool once a week

or so in order to monitor your child's progress. Like Schoology, it can be used anywhere that has a device and internet connection.

- **Make sure that your child is doing his/her homework** by regularly checking in with them.
- **Encourage your child to review** class notes and readings prior to quizzes and tests.

#### How to Contact Us

If you need to contact a teacher, please use the addresses noted below. We check our e-mail on a consistent basis and will respond as soon as we can.

**Miss Adams - Math**

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**Ms. Felix - Science**

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We are looking forward to working with you this year at LMS. Enjoy the rest of your summer!

Sincerely,

The 7G Teachers

