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Sixth-Grade Core Teachers would like to give you a head start on getting supplies to begin the year. The list below states the basics of what you will need for your core classes. However, core teachers may recommend a few additional items not on this list.

In general it is recommended 6<sup>th</sup>-grade students have the following supplies (supplies may need to be replenished as the year progresses):

- Inexpensive earbuds/headphones
- A wireless or USB mouse (optional)
- Plastic folder with center clasps and 2 pockets
- 2 packs of post-it notes (3"x3" and 1"x2")
- 3 black or blue ball point pens
- #2 pencils (sharpened and ready to use)
- 1 red correcting pen
- 3 highlighters – one each of yellow, green, and pink
- Colored pencils (sharpened & ready to use)
- 1 eraser
- 3 box Kleenex
- 3 glue stick
- Calculator (basic 4-function)
- Small pencil sharpener with shavings catcher
- Supply container or zippered pouch (standard size) *(Please make sure all of the items listed above can fit into this container or pouch)*
- 1 heavy duty binder with a zipper and a handle **OR** an expandable accordion file folder **OR** two 3-ring binders with dividers (No Trapper Keeper)
- loose leaf paper
- 2 seventy-page spiral notebooks

In addition, some teachers may recommend the following good additions to a student's study area at home/or for class:

- Scotch tape
- Good pair of scissors
- Ruler
- Compass
- Protractor
- Colored Markers
- Crayons
- Stapler & staples
- Paper Clips
- Unlined paper
- Index cards
- Post-its

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