

August 2022

Welcome to the 7 Wizards Team!

We are looking forward to a successful year! As a student attending Mountain View Middle School, you are expected to be **ready, responsible, respectful, and safe** in order to have a positive and productive year.

Students will use the same Chromebook as last year, and they should bring these fully-charged to school daily. As a result, students will not need to bring their own devices to class. **Cell phones, AirPods and other devices should remain at home or turned off and stored in lockers during the school day.** We had a great deal of trouble with students using their phones and wearing ear buds or AirPods at inappropriate times in past years, so we have decided to not allow students to use them this year. **They may use headphones or ear buds with a cord.** We will also have headphones that students may borrow if needed for instruction. **Water bottles will continue to be allowed this year, however due to issues with spills last year they may only contain water. Due to similar issues, gum will no longer be permitted.**

The Wizard Team teachers include:

- Mrs. S. Baughman – English
- Mrs. J. Gieseler – Reading
- Mr. A. Diehl – Science
- Miss Kristin McGeough – Social Studies
- Mrs. L. Jenkins – Math
- Mrs. K. Fultz – Learning Support
- Mr. M. Fisher – English Language Learners



Here is a list of items that you will need to begin the school year. Please resupply as needed during the year.

Important Items:

- 3-ring binder(s) to secure class handouts, worksheets, workbooks and a supply of notebook paper (one for each subject since students will be able to go to lockers in between.
- Pencils and erasers
- A pencil pouch with holes to be kept in the binder
- Calculator – the math department recommends the TI-30XIIS calculator (Put your name on it.)
- Graph paper notebook
- Colored pencils
- Dry erase marker
- A ruler with three holes to store in the binder
- Highlighters and pens
- A supply of index cards
- A book to read for enjoyment whenever you find yourself with some extra time
- A box of tissues for your homeroom teacher
- A pair of headphones or earbuds with a cord that plugs into the computer.

Students and parents should check Schoology often for updated grades and assignments. Please discuss grades and school work regularly.

We look forward to meeting you and starting the school year. Enjoy the remainder of your summer!

Sincerely,

The Wizard Team