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Dear 6th grade students and families,



Congratulations on completing your elementary school journey! You had quite a 5th-grade year, one you certainly will remember! We are thrilled to have you join us in 6th grade next year, no matter how that may look. We know that the new school year brings uncertainty, but we are working to find solutions to support families in keeping students engaged in learning activities during these unusual times.

Please take a look at the resources below. Let us know if you have any questions as you transition into middle school.

We wish you all continued health safety and are excited to begin our new partnership where we co-create a supportive learning environment where all students can thrive. We are grateful for the trust you put in us and remain committed to doing all we can to a brighter future. Enjoy a well-deserved summer break!

Warmly,
The 6th grade team

Summer Work and Resources:

Subject	Summer Assignment and Resources	Mandatory
ELA	2020-2021 ELA summer assignment - please note there are resources (ELA games, audiobook websites, typing games, etc.) embedded in this document, so be sure to look at it all!	yes
Math	We strongly encourage students to complete the summer units posted on Zearn.com for 5th grade. There are other resources here .	yes
Science	Go on a virtual field trip instruction page and keep a journal of what you saw.	no
Social Studies	6th Grade Social Studies Summer Assignment : map out your summer using a variety of map skills!	no
Spanish	<p>Duolingo -This is the 5th going to 6th grade link. All 5th graders will have access to this link for additional enrichment fun.</p> <p>Students are encouraged to use:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Their BPCS email account when creating/using duolingo 2) Write their first & last names for the account (if they use made-up names, then it'll be challenging to know who practiced what words) 3) Use Duolingo as a FUN way to keep up practicing Spanish. Duolingo does NOT follow the school curriculum and it is meant to be used a tool for enrichment :D <p>Quizlet Games</p> <p>5th U1 Months, Days, Numbers</p> <p>5th U1 Weather phrases #1-12</p> <p>5th U1 Clothing, Yo llevo, Colors</p> <p>5th ¿Qué actividad te gusta hacer? Activities Vocab</p> <p>These quizlet links do follow our Spanish curriculum.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) All students have played these games / have used these links before 2) All students have access to these quizlet links through their school email. Click "Google login" and use your school email 3) Some links are purely vocabulary words, some are complete sentences (basic level sentences with no connectors, expanders or negations) 	no
Art	<p>Keep a sketchbook!</p> <p>The best way to get better at drawing is to draw! Doodle every day or take on a drawing prompt once a week, either way practicing in the summer will be sure to help you grow as an artist!</p> <p>Drawing prompts to wake up your creativity:</p> <p>100 Silly Drawing Prompts</p>	no

	<p>Finish the Picture Prompts 2500 Drawing Ideas</p> <p>Virtually connect with our amazing art museums Mondays with MoMA art activities based on their collections Guggenheim Virtual Guided Tour Rubin Museum virtual tours and activities based on their collections Whitney Museum art activities based on their collections Metropolitan Museum of Art art lessons based on their collections Brooklyn Museum art lessons based on their collections</p>	
Music	<p>Music Theory</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Staff Wars • Musictheory.net <p>Composition & Play</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chrome Music Lab • Chrome Song Maker • Incredibox • Patatap • Composer 	no
PE	PS/IS 276 PE at Home Resources	no
additional resources	<p>BPC School Library Summer Reading 2020</p> <p>Fab Lab: Summer 2020 - Making at Home</p> <p>Online Resources for Learning and Fun</p> <p>EduHam at Home. Through EduHam, students study primary source documents from the Founding Era, learn how Lin-Manuel Miranda used such documents to create the musical Hamilton, and finally create their own original performance pieces based on the same material. (Available through August 2020.)</p> <p>The Moth Storytelling School. The educators at The Moth have developed a series of storytelling lessons to be used at home.</p>	no