

Patrick Henry Prep Middle School – P.S./I.S. 171
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Dear Middle School Parents and Students,

We would like to formally welcome you and your child to the 2018-2019 school year! Middle school can be a great experience filled with great achievements, great friends, and great fun! The middle school team works hard to help you and your child accomplish this and maximize each child's learning potential. We look forward to working collaboratively with the students and their families in order to make these years full of growing and learning.

The middle school years are the years of transition. Both at home and at school, students are expected to be more responsible and more accountable. These new responsibilities are essential for optimizing their learning. It is imperative that we work together to not only make this transition easier but conducive to the success of each student. Please be advised that by the end of September all parents will need to sign up for an Engrade account in order to communicate with each teacher throughout the school year. This is the best way to stay up to date on your child's success in all subject areas.

Part of our initial efforts to assist in this transition was the creation of a ***supply list*** and ***summer packet*** for each of their core subjects. This packet was distributed on the last day of school with the report card. Please ensure that you have the summer packet and that it is completed by the first day of school as **it will be graded** and count towards their 1st semester grade.

Thank you and we look forward to seeing you in September.

Sincerely,

Your Middle School Teachers

English Language Arts (ELA)

Ms. V. Guzman, 7th grade

Mr. D. Leboff, 8th grade

Math

Ms. M. Glushanok, 7th grade

Mr. C. Joanis, 8th grade

Science

Ms. M. Rodriguez, 8th grade

Ms. M. Hamilton, 7th grade

Social Studies

Ms. E. Irias, 7th & 8th grade

Foreign Language

Ms. C. Marte, 7th & 8th grade *Spanish*

Special Education Providers

Mr. J. Pollino, 8th grade ICT

Mrs. M. Marks-Brown- 7th grade ICT

Technology

Mr. C. Martino, 7th & 8th grade

Music

Mr. G. Durant, 7th & 8th grade

Physical Education

Mr. K. Ruelius, 7th & 8th grade

Theater

Ms. J. Hubbard, 7th & 8th grade

Accelerated Course Goals

8th grade students are offered 3 high school level classes:

- ✓ Integrated Algebra
- ✓ Science

- ✓ Spanish

School Website

- ✓ Visit our www.ps171.org website for more academic grade specific information

ON THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 5th-

- **PLEASE DO NOT SEND MATERIALS**

- **BRING BOOKBAG, NOTEBOOK, WRITING UTENSIL AND ALL SUMMER ASSIGNMENT**

**MATERIALS TO BE KEPT AT HOME-
PLEASE DO NOT BRING TO
SCHOOL!**

- 5 packs of loose-leaf paper
- 1 pack of construction paper
- 1 centimeter/inch ruler
- Colored pencils, crayons, and markers
- Scissors
- Graph Paper
- staplers and staples
- Sharpened pencils and blue/black pens

**MATERIALS FOR DAILY USE IN 7th
& 8th Grade**

- Pencil case that zips
- Marble Notebook for Homework Organization
- Backpack
- Dark blue/black ink pens
- 1 bottle of hand sanitizer
- 1 manual pencil sharpener with cover
- 1 pack of looseleaf

Donation: Lysol or Clorox wipes / sprays
1 Bounty Roll

7th Grade Supplies

ELA

- 1 composition notebook
- 1 box of #2 pencils/pens
- 1 tissue box
- 5 pads of multi-colored (3x3) Post-It notes
- 1 pack highlighters
- 1 looseleaf

Math

- 2 composition notebooks (leave one at home)
- 1 2-pocket folder
- 2 boxes of #2 pencils
- 1 tissue box
- portable pencil sharpener

8th Grade Supplies

ELA

- 1 Spiral notebook
- 2 2-pocket folders
- 1 Box of tissues
- 1 Pack of loose leaf
- 1 bottle of purell

Math

- 1 Spiral notebook
- 2 2-Pocket folders
- Scientific Calculator (Recommended: TI-30X)
- Highlighters
- Index cards
- 1 Box of tissues
- 1 Ruler
- Pencils
- 1 Pencil Sharpener

Science

2 composition notebooks (leave one at home)
1 pack of #2 pencils
1 box of **red** ink pens
1 2-pocket folder
1 roll of paper towels
1 tissue box
baby wipes

Spanish

1 one subject spiral notebook
1 box of pens
2 pocket folders
1 pack of Post –It notes
1 pack of highlighters
1 box of tissue

Social Studies

3 Subject College Ruled Spiral Notebook
1 Composition Notebook (SS Journal)
Highlighter
2 2-Pocket-Folders
2 packs 3x5 index cards

Music

1 pocket folder

Technology

1 USB flash drive

Science

1 ruler
1 pack of colored pencils
2 composition notebooks

Spanish

1 one subject spiral notebook
1 box of pens
2 pocket folders
1 pack of Post –It notes
1 pack of highlighters
1 box of tissue

Social Studies

3 Subject College Ruled Spiral Notebook
1 Composition Notebook (SS Journal)
Highlighter
1 2-Pocket Folders
2 packs 3x5 index cards

Music

1 pocket folder

Technology

1 USB flash drive

Physical Education (7th & 8th Grade)

1 pair of sneakers