

Summer, 2010

Dear Parents/Guardians:

We're striving to help our students at White Brook Middle School develop self-reliance and organizational skills that will prepare them for learning. These valuable skills will help your child throughout his/her school career and in the workplace.

One way that you can help your child be prepared as a student is to make sure that he/she starts school with the necessary supplies. **AS THE YEAR PROGRESSES IT MAY BE NECESSARY TO REPLENISH THESE SUPPLIES.**

Your child will need daily:

- ❖ Binder(s) with 2" inch rings
- ❖ 5 binder dividers
- ❖ White lined paper
- ❖ Zippered pouch/pencil case
- ❖ Reinforcements
- ❖ Pens/Pencils(if mechanical, lead also)
- ❖ Erasers
- ❖ Highlighters
- ❖ Ruler (Metric and U.S.Standard)
- ❖ **Backpack that fits into the locker**
- ❖ **TI 34II Calculator (all grades): available from WBMS in fall. Approximate cost is \$20.00. A basic calculator also can be used as long as it has a square root function.**

Your child will need access to:

- Colored pencils/crayons
- Markers
- Scissors(small safety)
- Glue Stick
- Protractor
- Compass
- Graph paper (grades 7 & 8)

Supplies needed at home include:

- ❖ A quiet, well lit area for homework/studying
- ❖ Scotch tape
- ❖ Stapler
- ❖ Dictionary
- ❖ Library Card

The following items may be helpful:

- Thesaurus
- Atlas
- Globe

Physical Education will be scheduled for your child throughout the 2010-2011 school year. At these times your child will need to bring in:

- ❖ Deodorant (No spray, glass or aerosol containers)
- ❖ Tee shirt(must have sleeves-no tank tops)
- ❖ Shorts/Sweat pants(no flannel shorts or pants)
- ❖ Socks and sneakers
- ❖ **No jewelry is allowed to be worn in PE class, including studs and rings for piercing.**

Summer Reading

Another way you can help your child be prepared as a student is to make sure he/she reads the suggested number and choices of books from his/her grade's summer reading list.

This supply list is also available on the WBMS website.

The faculty appreciates your cooperation and support.

Sincerely,
The White Brook Middle School Staff