

Dear Parents,

We are excited to have your student as part of the Remarkable Redbird 7<sup>th</sup> grade team. The team is made up of one elective teacher and the teachers from the six core classes: math, numeric analysis, communication arts, writing, social studies, science, and FACS.



With a team atmosphere, there is better communication among teachers, students, and parents. Teachers will provide consistency in expectations, rules, procedures, and discipline. This will improve communication between everyone involved and give each student a support system.

Feel free to contact us during our team planning time (White days 12:30-1:45). This is a good time to get us all together to discuss concerns or needs that might arise. Our principals and counselors are also available to meet during our team planning time. Please call the front office (673-6030) to schedule a day to meet.

Recommended supplies for core classes:

- One 2" daily binder
- Three 1" three-ring binder (One for Cardinal Time, one for math, and one for Numeric Analysis)
- Wide-ruled, loose leaf paper
- Plenty of non-mechanical pencils
- Blue/Black Pens
- Highlighters (2 Different Colors)
- 2-boxes of Kleenex for Cardinal Time
- Bottle of hand sanitizer or clorox wipes (or both) for Cardinal Time (optional, but greatly appreciated)
- Colored pencils
- Two 70-sheet spiral notebook
- One composition notebook
- 4 sets of dividers (can be homemade)
- Erasers

**\*\*Extra supplies might needed for elective classes. Please visit with those teachers for needed supplies.**

We strongly encourage each student to provide a lock for his/her locker. There will be plenty of time between classes to open the lock and get the supplies needed for the next class. If your child will be using mechanical pencils, please make sure he/she has replacement lead, as the teachers will not have any extra lead.

Classroom Expectations:

1. Be in your seat and ready to work when it is time for class to begin.
2. Allow the teacher to teach.
3. Allow other students to learn.
4. Treat others with respect.
5. Raise your hand before speaking in class.



### Classroom Consequences:

1. The student will be made aware of inappropriate behavior(s) and will be reminded if the behavior persists.
2. Repeated offenses will result in a team conference and, if needed, a parent conference.
3. Some inappropriate behavior will result in immediate removal from the classroom, and an office referral will be written.

Feel free to contact the team with concerns. We respond to e-mail quickly, so please don't hesitate to contact us just as soon as you have questions. Many problems can be prevented by good parent-teacher communication, especially early on.



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Also, please be aware that your child will be responsible for writing class assignments in his/her planner. If you ask to see it, all of our assignments should be in there. Your child will be given his/her current grades and missing assignments each Monday. At the beginning of the year, you will receive a password that will enable you to access your child's grades from any computer. This is a great tool to help you keep up with your child's progress and keep in touch with his/her teachers if you have any concerns.

We look forward to a great year!  
Team Remarkable Redbirds