

Welcome to Team Exploration 2019-2020



Dear Future Explorer,

Welcome to the exciting world of sixth grade! It's hard to believe that summer is almost over, and in a few short weeks, we will all be back at school. Hopefully, your summer has been both fun and relaxing. Your team teachers for this year will be Mrs. Casparriello (HR, ELA, and Social Studies), Mr. Maletta (HR, Math, and Science), Mrs. Henriques (ESL), and Mrs. O'Leary (SPED). Please come prepared with the following supplies on the first day of school.

Please organize supplies as directed.

- ☐ 1 **SOFT** pencil pouch...

*Place the following supplies **INSIDE** your pencil pouch **BEFORE** coming to school:*

- ☐ 1 pair of earbuds (that will remain in pencil pouch at school at all times)
- ☐ 4 chisel-tip highlighters (4 different colors)
- ☐ 1 pack of colored pens for editing (purple, red, green, etc)
- ☐ 2 black Sharpie markers - (1 fine point, 1 ultra-fine point)
- ☐ 2 packs of pencils (**NOT** mechanical). Keep at least **TWO pencils in your pouch** at all times! Store the rest in your cubby or backpack. You will be using this spare supply to restore your lost pencils. *You are responsible for being prepared for class each day.*

The following supplies will be collected and/or remain with you:

- ☐ 2 marbled, **100-sheet/200page**, composition notebooks (ELA and Science.)
- ☐ 1 Five-Star **6-Pocket** Expanding File (For **ALL** Subjects) [Sample](#)
- ☐ 1 MEAD heavy-duty pocket folder (**must be yellow**) - **Homework** Folder
- ☐ 1 MEAD heavy-duty pocket folder (**must be green**) - **Action Project** Folder
- ☐ 1 MEAD heavy-duty pocket folder (your choice) - **Music** Folder
- ☐ 1 graphing paper notebook ($\frac{1}{4}$ inch grid; $8\frac{1}{2} \times 11$), spiral bound (Math)
- ☐ 2 scotch tape dispensers for the class
- ☐ 1 box of tissues for the class
- ☐ Please bring an independent reading book of your choice to begin the year.
- ☐ Accepting **Donations** of Disinfecting Wipes for the Classroom



Finally, we wanted to remind you that you can visit your new classroom during Open-Door Day on **Wednesday, August 21st from 9:00 - 11:00 a.m.** Mr. Maletta's and Mrs. Casparriello's homerooms are located upstairs in the blue hall on the right-hand side, A205 and A207 respectively. Enjoy the last days of summer! We can't wait to meet you!!

Sincerely,

Mrs. Casparriello - ELA and Social Studies ([Visit my website!](#))
Mr. Maletta - Math and Science

P.S. Parents, click on the link to take our beginning of the year survey to tell us about your child...
[Through Your Eyes...](#)