

Summer 2019

Dear Fifth Grader and Family,

It is with great pleasure that we welcome you to our fifth grade Red Foxes Team! We are looking forward to an exciting year of learning and growth!

The Red Foxes Team of teachers consists of 3 homeroom teachers - Ms. Cincotta, Ms. Staniszewski, Ms. Salerno; and 1 Special Educator, Mrs. Moore. All of our homeroom teachers will be teaching Reading and Language Arts (ELA) to their homeroom class. Ms. Salerno will be teaching Science for our team and teaching Ms. Cincotta's homeroom Social Studies. Ms. Cincotta will be teaching Social Studies to Ms. Staniszewski and Ms. Salerno homeroom, while also teaching Ms. Staniszewski's homeroom math. In addition, Ms. Staniszewski will be teaching math to Ms. Cincotta and Ms. Salerno homerooms. Your guidance counselor, Mr. Cohen, as well as your teachers, will help you succeed in all of the challenges that you may face in fifth grade.

When you join us for the first day of school, please come prepared with the materials listed on the back of this letter. After the school year begins, there may be a few other materials that individual teachers will request. We ask that students label all personal belongings, and <u>please do not bring in any trapper keepers</u> due to the limited storage space in the classroom and excessive weight in the backpack.

We are excited to meet you at Mill Pond School on **Wednesday**, **August 28th**. If you need to reach us, please feel free to send us an email. Also, you may check out Mill Pond's website for additional information at http://mps.westboroughk12.org. Thank you in advance for your cooperation and support.

Sincerely,

Ms. Cincotta, Ms. Staniszewski, Ms. Salerno, and Mrs. Moore

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2019/20 5th Grade Supply List (Team: Red Foxes)

Two (2) 1 inch binders with pockets on the inside covers and sleeve as front cover (Social Studies & ELA)
One (1) ½ inch binder (Social/Emotional Learning)
One (1) marble composition notebook (Science)
Two (2) single subject spiral notebooks, wide ruled - different colors (ELA & Math)
Three (3) 2 pocket folders in different colors (Music, Math & Homework)
Two (2) 24 packs of #2 pencils – please pre-sharpen at home (If you are interested in donating extras pencils, we always need more throughout the year!! Thank You!)
One (1) soft-tipped iPad stylus labelled with name (CANNOT be hard plastic tip)
One (1) 12 pack of assorted colored pencils labelled with name
One (1) package 3 hole punched loose leaf paper
Eight (8) Expo Dry Erase Markers
Four (4) black Sharpies (fine-tipped)
One (1) pack of 3x3 Post-it Notes
One four (4) pack of glue sticks
Two (2) different color highlighters
One (1) package of pencil top erasers
Two (2) containers of disinfectant wipes (Lysol or Clorox)
Two (2) boxes of tissues for classroom use
One (1) pair of scissors labeled with name
One (1) package (at least 25) sheet protectors
Headphones or earbuds labelled with name
Pencil case