

8th Grade Supply List

2011-2012

Valley View Middle School, Edina

Please expect to replenish supplies as the year progresses, especially at semester time.

Teachers at Valley View will provide many learning opportunities and enriching classroom activities this school year. Teachers expect students to be prepared for class by bringing the items listed below on a daily basis.

In an effort to encourage student accountability and other life skills, teachers may choose to assign points or privileges for on-time arrival, preparedness, etc. Thank you for supporting our staff as they work diligently to assist students with their organizational skills. Listed below are the items all 8th grade students will need. Once the year starts, specific classes may require other items beyond those listed here.

Materials shared by all classes

- Combination lock for locker purchased through VVMS office
- 2 boxes of Kleenex for your 1/2 A teacher
- Multiple packs of loose leaf paper (assume each class with a binder or folder needs loose leaf unless it states otherwise; ex. spiral notebook)
- #2 Pencils (wooden or mechanical) with erasers
- Colored Pencils
- Markers
- Highlighters (4 colors)
- Glue Sticks
- Pens (red, blue and black)
- Note cards
- Hennepin County Library Card
- Jump Drive/Flash Drive/USB Drive (1 GB minimum) for storage of electronic information
- Pencil bag to hold writing & coloring utensils, jump drive, calculator, etc.



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Materials for specific classes

Academic Support

- Kleenex
- Pencils
- Hand sanitizer
- Headphones/Ear buds

Art Design 8

- Ticonderoga brand drawing pencils (for art class only)
- Vinyl and/or latex-free eraser (for art class only)

Band

- 1.5" 3-ring binder for music
- 15 plastic page protectors
- Pencils (to stay in band binder)
- 1 box Kleenex
- SmartMusic student subscription (smartmusic.com)
- Instrument specific book – *Standard of Excellence: Book 3* by B. Pearson
- Percussionists: Stick Bag, Sticks and Mallets, Percussion Stick Bag Pack- Available for purchase through the VVMS Band Department

Choral Music (Boys & Girls)

- Composition notebook
- 2 boxes Kleenex
Details about choir polo for concerts will be sent home first week of school.

Drama

- Spiral Notebook
- Folder

English Language Learners (ELL)

- Spiral notebook
- Folder

Food & Fabric

- Folder
- Hand soap

French

- Notebook
- Lined, loose-leaf paper
- 4-pack of dry erase markers for individual whiteboard use
- French/English dictionary (optional)

French Language Arts & French Social Studies

(Extended French Program)

- 3-ring binder (only one needed for both classes)
- 4 tab dividers

German

- Folder

Language Arts

- 1" 3-ring binder or folder
- 3 or 5-subject spiral notebook

Latin

- Spiral notebook (re-use one from 7th grade)
- Folder

Literacy Skills

- Pencils
- Pen
- 2-subject spiral notebook
- Folder

Note: all materials to stay in classroom.

Math (Algebra & Geometry)

- 2 notebooks of graph paper (also called Quad Ruled)
- Texas Instruments: TI-nspire CAS calculator (Recommended for Geometry, Optional for Algebra)
- Compass & Protractor w/metric units (Geometry only)
- Book cover

Orchestra 8/9

- Marble Composition Book
- Shoulder rest for violin/viola players

Physical Education

You are required to change clothes for class. All clothing worn is to be in good repair, i.e. no rips or holes.

- White t-shirt
- Sweatshirt
- Black shorts
- Sweatpants with no pockets
- Athletic socks
- Athletic shoes

Project Lead the Way (PLTW) /

Flight & Space

- Composition notebook
- Folder
- 2 glue sticks
- Scissors
- Calculator

Reading Lab

- Pencils
- Folder
- Spiral notebook
- Composition notebook

Note: all materials to stay in classroom.

Science

- 1" 3-ring binder
- Hole reinforcers
- Calculator

Science of Technology & Video

Production

- Folder
- Composition notebook

Social Studies

(Non-Extended French Program)

- Non-spiral notebook
- 2 2-pocket folders
- Nystrom Desk Atlas – purchased in 7th grade

Spanish

- 1" or 1.5" 3-ring binder
- Tab dividers for binder
- White board markers

Teen Topics

- Folder
- Composition notebook

21st Century Literacy

- Folder
- Notebook or loose-leaf paper