

Akron Middle School

Grade 8

Student Supplies & Procedures (2025-2026)

Below you will find a listing of supply requirements and procedures for Middle School Students in grade 8 for the 2025-2026 school year. This information should alleviate some parental and student questions about school procedures; it should also aid parents as they work with their child(ren) during the school year.

General Supplies:

Each student is expected to keep a supply pouch of pencils, pens, highlighters, colored pencils and the appropriate calculator in the supply pouch at all times. Students must bring the supply pouch to every class and replenish supplies as needed.

- Earbuds for chrome books
- Blue and/or black ballpoint pens
- #2 pencils (mechanical are allowed)
- Highlighters
- Colored pencils (minimum 8 colors)
- Lined loose-leaf paper
- 1 supply pencil pouch
- 4 dry erase markers (2 Black/2 Color)
- Glue sticks
- 1 pair of scissors
- 1 box of tissues (*to be turned in to Homeroom Teacher*)

COURSE SPECIFIC SUPPLIES:

15:1 E.L.A. (Ms. Abrams):

- 1" binder
- Lined loose-leaf paper
- 1 plastic 3-prong folder with pockets
- Earbuds, Chromebook writing utensil and highlighters brought to class daily

15:1 Reading/Writing - Mrs. Kenyon:

- 1 red plastic 3-prong folder with pockets
- 1 yellow plastic 3-prong folder with pockets
- Marble composition notebook

15:1 Science - Mrs. Kenyon:

- 1 green pocket folder, labeled with name and subject
- See General Supply List

15:1 Social Studies - Mrs. Mongiovi:

- 1 blue plastic 3-prong folder with pockets

15:1 Math 8 - Mrs. Moeller:

- See general supply list

Algebra - Mrs. Russell:

- TI-84 Plus Calculator
- Expo Markers
- 1 ½" Binder

Creative Design and Engineering (CDE) - Mrs. O'Malley:

- 1 pocket folder - to be kept in the classroom (recycle an old folder, do not buy new)
- 1 box of tissues (***Homeroom Students only***)
- 1 Cotton Shirt (any size, color, sleeve length, can be new or old)

English 8 - Mr. Parks:

- 1 folder or small binder

Health 8 - Teacher: TBD

- See general supply list above
- Information for any other supplies needed will be given in class

Living Environment - Mrs. Chase

- 2" Binder
- Binder Dividers - 5 Tabs
- Loose Leaf Paper
- Pencil Pouch
- Pencils
- Colored Pencils
- Highlighter
- Earbuds
- 1 Pocket Folder (for review at the end of the year)

Math 8 - Ms. Baker/Mrs. Russell:

- 1½" 3-ring binder
- Expo Markers – assorted
- Texas Instrument Calculator TI-34 MultiView

Physical Education 8 - Mr. Stellrecht/Miss Lucarelli:

- **Lock (available for purchase in the MS Office)**
- Shorts or sweatpants
- Sneakers
- T-shirt or sweatshirt

Reading – Mrs. Kenyon:

- 1 folder with pockets
- 1 box of tissues

Seneca 8 Miss Sundown:

- 1 Plastic 3 prong folder with pockets
- Spiral notebook

Science 8 - Mrs. Muscarella:

- 3 Ring Binder any size, can use one from a previous class, don't need to buy new.
- Box of tissues
- 4 Black Expo Markers

Social Studies 8 - Mr. Brege:

- 2 3-prong folders with pockets (*1 per semester*)
- 1 spiral notebook (*1 subject*)

Spanish 8 - Mrs. Bergman:

- 2" - 3-ring binder with two pockets
- 1 folder with pockets

Middle School Band - Mr. Bardo:

- Pencil
- Black pants, shoes and socks
- Orange Akron Music shirt for out of school performances (purchased from ensemble director during the school year.)
- Instrument: (Tuba, baritone, large saxophone, large clarinet, bassoon, oboe and percussion may be rented from the Band Office. All other instruments must be purchased from a music store.)

Woodwind Players

**Mitchell Lurie strength 3 clarinet reeds

**Lavoiz strength 3 saxophone reeds

Brass Players

**Valve Oil (Al Cass or store brand)

Percussion

Drumsticks and stick bag (see handbook for more information)

Method Book

TBD (*To Be Determined*)

Middle School Chorus – Mrs. Pitts:

- Pencils (to be kept in the provided folder)
- Solid white dress shirt, black pants or long black skirt, black tights or black socks, and black dress shoes for school concerts (NO sneakers).
- Orange Akron Music shirt for out of school performances (purchased from ensemble director during the school year.)

Middle School Orchestra – Mrs. Sanville:

- Concert Dress: White dress shirt, black dress pants or long black skirt with black tights, black socks and black dress shoes, no sneakers for performances
- Orange Akron Music shirt for out of school performances (purchased from ensemble director during the school year.)
- Instrument (Either rented/purchased through a music store or rented through the school)
- Rosin
- Shoulder rest (for violin & viola players)
- Rock stop (for cellists)
- Essential Elements book
- Tuner
- Pencil
- Music Stand for practice at home
- Orchestra Folder (given out by Mrs. Sanville at the first rehearsal)