

**Dear Incoming 6th Graders,**

Congratulations on your completion of Fifth Grade! Use this summer to expand your horizons - through reading, writing, and life experiences. The single most important quality that I want you to bring to 6th grade is ***a willingness to engage and learn every day.***

I created your summer assignments with that goal in mind. Remember that every moment that you are alive is a moment to learn something about yourself, others, and the world around you.

I can't wait to work with you next year! Happy Summer!

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## **Summer Assignments Overview**

*\*All assignments have been uploaded into our Google Classroom. The PDF files are also linked below.\**

### **1. All About Me Flipbook** ([PDF File](#)) ([Mrs. Morrissey's example](#))

Learning Goal: To learn more about each other through the presentation of the flipbooks during the first week of school.

Submission Directions:

- If you complete the digital template on Google Classroom, click "turn in" before the first day of school.
- If you do not have access to technology until September, please handwrite your slides on the printed PDF file. Bring the handwritten slides to the first day of school. I will ask you to complete the Google Slides template on Google Classroom by Thursday, September 5, 2024.

### **2. Make the World a Better Place** ([PDF File](#))

Learning Goal: To participate in and reflect upon activities that foster kindness, generosity, and empathy in order to see beyond oneself

Submission Directions:

- If you complete a digital journal file (slides or doc), upload it to the assignment on Google Classroom before the first day of school.
- If you complete a hard copy of a journal (journal or notebook), bring it to the first day of school on September 4, 2024.

### **3. One Book, One School** ([PDF File](#))

Learning Goal: To apply and reflect upon the school-selected nonfiction text by completing a creative, thoughtful one-pager assignment that will be used for discussion

Submission Directions:

- Complete the one pager (slide 2) and bring it to the first day of school on September 4, 2024.

## 6th Grade Supplies

The following items are **required** for all 6th grade students. Please click the blue hyperlinked text to see what is being requested.

### **Please purchase the following items for your student:**

1. **Lease** a Chromebook from SKS ([see explanation here](#))
2. [Box of 10 \(sharpened\) pencils](#)
3. [3 x 5 index Card Case](#) (ELA)
4. Headphones/earbuds that must stay in student cubby
5. [3 x 3 Post-It notes](#) (ELA)
6. [Marble copybook](#) (Math)
7. [TI-34 calculator](#) (Math)
8. [College-ruled reinforced loose leaf paper](#) (100 sheets) (for ELA binder)
9. [Marble copybook](#) (Spanish)
10. [Marble copybook](#) (Science)
11. Three pack of tissues (be prepared to replenish the supply in January)

**Label all items that are sent in with your student.**

### **The following items will be provided by the school with the School Stationery Fee:**

1. Student Agenda Planner
2. 10 pocket folder
3. [1.5 inch binder \(2 per student\)](#)
4. Sticky tab dividers
5. Index cards
6. Art supplies
7. Highlighters
8. Construction paper
9. Paper reinforcement circles

# 2027 Rising 6th grade Summer Math

You are expected to complete two things this summer:

1. Digital Component: IXL Skills to be completed by July 31, 2024

**Rising 6th grade students (use the IXL grade 5 skills tab)**

B 1 add/subtract whole numbers

F 6 factors

G 1 and 2 whole number operations

H 3,4 order of operations

V 1 fraction operations

X 5 order decimals

GG 1 decimal operations

HH 1,4 and 7 four operations with money

- a. Upon completion of all skills, please send the following email to [summermath@sksschool.org](mailto:summermath@sksschool.org) and include in the Subject Line:  
"6th Grade \_\_\_\_\_ (First & Last Name)"

*My child has completed all of the Summer Math IXL assignments and earned a score of at least 80% on each of the skills.*

*Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_*

2. Simple Solutions: Using the book from this school year and utilizing the "Help Pages" at the end of the book, you will complete Lessons during the summer. When you return in September, your 6th grade math teacher will review the work with you. After that review is completed, we will grade your work.
  - a. **Honors** will use their 5th grade Simple Solutions and complete Lessons \*\*\*\*p. 90-100
  - b. **At Level Math** will use their 5th grade Simple Solutions and complete Lessons \*\*\*\*p. 70-80