

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.

Below you will find an overview of your summer assignments. I have added **suggested** due dates to keep you organized this summer. Remember that all assignments are in Google Classroom.

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

Mrs. Morrissey

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:

- Click "Turn in" on Google Classroom.

→ Suggested due date: **Friday, June 27, 2025**

2. Read the World ([PDF File](#)) ([Rubric](#))

Learning Goal: To read and engage in a variety of texts in order to build background knowledge, comprehension skills, and analysis skills

Submission Directions:

- Click "Turn in" on Google Classroom.

→ Suggested due date: **Friday, August 15, 2025**

Optional Assignment

**** IXL - Summer Boost Skill Plan Language Arts 6**

Learning Goal: To practice a variety of language arts skills

Submission Directions:

- Complete the activities on IXL.

→ Suggested due date: **Friday, August 29, 2025**

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
2. 10 pencils
3. Smaller pencil case ([here is an example](#))
4. Headphones/earbuds that **must fit** into the pencil case
5. [3 x 3 Post-It notes](#) (ELA)
→ one of each color: pink, yellow, green, purple, blue
6. [3 x 5 index cards](#) (count: 300 to start the year)
7. [TI-34 calculator](#) (Math)
8. [Expo markers](#)
9. Tissues (two boxes per student)
10. Clorox wipes (two containers per student)
11. Paper towels (two rolls per student)

Please keep extra supplies at home. We do not have space to store them. If any extra supplies are needed, we will communicate that to you. Also, please remember that your student travels to approximately 7 different learning spaces throughout the course of a week. Fitting earbuds, Expo markers, pencils, and a calculator into a smaller pencil case is key for easier transitions between classes.

Label all items that are sent in with your student.

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

1. Student Agenda Planner
2. 10 pocket folder
3. Art supplies
4. Highlighters
5. Construction paper
6. Composition Books (4 per student)

2028 Rising 6th grade Summer Math

Happy summer! As you prepare for 6th grade, you will work on two things this summer to keep your math skills sharp by reviewing topics you learned in 5th grade.

1. **Digital Component: IXL Skills** to be completed *earn a score of at least 80% on each of the skills.*

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

B4 Add and subtract whole numbers: word problems

D13 Multiply by 2-digit numbers: word problems

E16 Relate multiplication and division

F6 Find all the factor pairs of a number

G2 Add, subtract, multiply, and divide whole numbers: word problems

H 7 Evaluate numerical expressions with parentheses in different places

L6 Add and subtract fractions with unlike denominators

M5 Add and subtract mixed numbers

R5 Multiply mixed numbers, fractions, and whole numbers

V1 Add, subtract, multiply, and divide fractions and mixed numbers

X6 Compare, order, and round decimals: word problems

GG1 Add, subtract, multiply, and divide decimals

KK6 Number patterns: mixed review

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 quiz and grade you on the work. ***Please do not discard the books until we grade this work***

Honors will use the 5th grade Simple Solutions to complete Lessons 39-46 (15 problems per page minus the ones we crossed out)

At Level Math will use their 5th grade Simple Solutions to complete Lessons 39-46 (15 problems per page minus the ones we crossed out)