

## HOWLAND MIDDLE SCHOOL - Supply list for 2011-2012

*Howland Middle School and Target are working together to better prepare students for school. School Supply Lists will be posted in the Target store in Niles. By working with Target our school can receive a larger Take Charge of Education (TCOE) donation. More information on this program can be found at Target.com, key word search, TCOE.*

6<sup>th</sup> grade:

### MATH

- Approved Algebraic calculator (TI 30XIIS is **required**)
- 1- one inch binder
- Four subject dividers (pockets not needed)
- Loose leaf paper
- Pencil, pen and a highlighter
- Three holed pouch for pencils, highlighter and calculator (Label with a permanent marker)
- 1 box of tissues

### SOCIAL STUDIES

- 1 – single subject spiral notebook
- 1 – folder with three prongs and two pockets
- Red, blue and black pens
- Pencils
- 1 box of tissues
- 1 box of wipes (if possible)

### SCIENCE

- 1 – folder with pockets
- 1 – single subject spiral notebook
- Pencils (sharpened)
- Approved Algebraic calculator (TI 30XIIS is **required**)

### LANGUAGE ARTS

- 1 one-inch three ring binder
- 1 set of 3 subject dividers
- Loose-leaf paper
- Pencils, blue or black pens

### ART

- 1 – single subject spiral notebook
- Pencils

### COMPUTERS

- Ear buds or headphones (optional)

7<sup>th</sup> grade:

**MATH**

- Approved Algebraic calculator (TI 30XIIS **is required**)
- Paper (loose leaf or notebook)
- 3 ring binder
- Pencils (sharpened)
- Highlighters and pens

**SOCIAL STUDIES** (see teacher website for suggested donations for class)

- 1 – single subject notebook
- 1 – folder with prongs and pockets
- Pencils, pens, one package of colored pencils and one small personal pencil sharpener
- Approved Algebraic calculator (TI 30XIIS **is required**)
- 1 – box of tissues

**SCIENCE**

- 1 – one inch binder
- Loose leaf notebook paper
- 1 – folder
- 1 – one subject spiral notebook
- Pencils
- Approved Algebraic calculator (TI 30XIIS **is required**)

**LANGUAGE ARTS**

- 1 – one-inch three ring binder
- Set of 5 notebook dividers
- Pencils, pens, highlighters
- Loose-leaf notebook paper

**COMPUTERS**

- 1 – folder with prongs and pockets
- Loose leaf notebook paper
- Pencils or pens

**HEALTH**

- 1 – single subject spiral notebook
- 1 – folder with pockets
- Pencil, pens, highlighters

8<sup>th</sup> grade:

**MATH**

- Approved Algebraic calculator (TI 30XIIS **is required**)
- 1 – larger notebook (3-5 subject size – used just for math)
- 1 – pocket folder
- 5 - Folders with prongs and pockets
- Pencils with erasers (sharpened)

**SOCIAL STUDIES**

- 1 – one inch binder
- Loose-leaf notebook paper
- Pencils and pens
- Ear buds

**SCIENCE**

- 1 – one inch binder with pockets
- Loose-leaf notebook paper
- Dividers
- Approved Algebraic calculator (TI 30XIIS **is required**)
- Colored pencils
- Pencils, pens, highlighters

**LANGUAGE ARTS**

- 2 – one inch binders
- Dividers (for one of the binders – 5 of them)
- Loose-leaf notebook paper
- Pencils, pens, highlighters

**OPTIONAL/IDEAS/TIPS:**

- Most teachers will ask for a box of tissues for a class donation.
- When there are back to school sales, it is highly recommended to buy items such as folders, pencils, paper, etc., in bulk because students will need to replenish their supplies throughout the school year.
- I recommend brown paper grocery bags as book covers. Instead of plastic, ask for paper! They last longer and it is FREE!
- Many teachers will also ask for note cards.
- Color coordinating is an excellent tool to help students stay organized. For example: use **green** for Language Arts - folders, notebooks, book covers, **blue** for Math, etc.
- Teacher's do post their supply lists on their POW-PAK web pages – so you may check there if you need clarification or if more specific supply item(s) are being requested
- **NO TRAPPER KEEPERS**
- **ALL BOOKS NEED TO BE COVERED AND LABELED WITH NAME AND SUBJECT**

**BAND SUPPLIES** – These books are available at local music stores.

## **Lesson books needed by 6, 7, and 8<sup>th</sup> grade bands** **2011-2012 School Year**

Please order/purchase these books early! Local music stores do sell out of them quickly. Do not wait until the week before school to order the book! If you are unable to get the book, please let me know and I can order it through our music dealer.

6<sup>th</sup> Grade Band (2011-2012) [2 books]

**\*Measures of Success “Book 1”**

**Essential Elements 2000 “Book 1”**

(\*Students will already own “Measures of Success” coming from 5<sup>th</sup> grade)

\*Percussionists need to own the “combined” percussion books



7<sup>th</sup> Grade Band (2010-2011)

**Essential Elements 2000 “Book 2” (Red Cover)**

\*Percussionists need to own the combined percussion book.



8<sup>th</sup> Grade Band (2010-2011)

**Essential Elements 2000 Book 2 (red cover)**

Percussionists need to own the “combined book”



Students will need these books by the first week of school as we will start using them right away!

### Clarinet and Saxophone players

You must have size 3 reeds to play on and have at least three (3) working reeds, that aren't chipped or cracked, in your case at all times.

Mr. Reynolds does sell reeds in emergency situations and you may charge no more than two reeds at a time. We will have reed checks frequently and students will receive a grade for having three clean and working size 3 (NOT size 2 ½) reeds in their cases at all times.

### Trumpet, French horn, Baritone Players

You must have working and moving slides at all times. All brass players should own one tube of valve oil and one tube of slide grease/cream for their instrument. If your slides are not moving and your valves are stuck, please take your instrument to the music store to be fixed over the summer before school starts.

### Trombone Players

You must have a tube of slide ease, slide cream, or something similar from a music store, at all times and grease your slide once a week to keep it in working order.

### Percussion

All percussionists must own their own set of snare drum sticks, a set of bell mallets, and a practice pad OR snare drum to practice at home, as well as a bell kit. If you played percussion in 5<sup>th</sup> grade then you already own these things. Students will be graded frequently on this.

Also, percussionists must own the combined percussion book for their method books. Be sure to specify "COMBINED PERCUSSION" when purchasing the book.

### ALL BAND MEMBERS

We do not rent flutes, clarinets, alto saxophones, or percussion equipment. Students are responsible for these instruments. We do rent bass clarinets, oboes, bassoons, baritones, French horns, and tubas, however some of these instruments are limited quantity and are first come-first serve basis. There are NO openings in the percussion section or the alto sax section for next school year. No one will be permitted to switch to these instruments.