

Dear 6th Grade Parents and Guardians,

Welcome to the 2022-2023 school year! We are excited to get underway! As we gear up toward the first day of school, we want to ensure that you have the information needed for a successful school year launch. Below is a list of important upcoming dates and events.

First day of School:

Thursday, September 8th, 2022

8:00 am to 2:20pm

First Three Days:

At West Prep Academy, the health and wellness of our scholars are paramount. Therefore, this year we will dedicate the first three days of school to community building and strengthening our social-emotional capacity to support our scholars' transition into the school building and entering middle school. Please note that to build community among the entire grade, students will be in customized groups for the first 2 days and then transition to their official classes. During these days, scholars will:

- Meet educators and school administrators
- Engage in self and peer exploration activities
- Get familiar with WPA Social-Emotional routines
- Create grade-wide expectations for fun and safe learning (the charter)

Your Scholar's 6th Grade Teachers:

Ms. Sheehan, English Language Arts	Ksheehan@ms421.org
Ms. Espinal, Mathematics	Oespinal@ms421.org
Ms. Crystal, Science	Rcrystal@ms421.org
Ms. Bristol, Content Specialist	Tbristol@ms421.org
Mr. Saleem, Content Specialist	Jsaleem@ms421.org
Mr. Rodriguez, Content Specialist	Drodriguez@ms421.org
Ms. Salas, Language Specialist	Jsalas@ms421.org
Mrs. Somech, Speech-Language Pathologist	bsomech@ms421.org

Supply List: (Will be provided by the school)

<u>Math</u>	<u>ELA</u>	<u>Science</u>	<u>SS</u>
Graphing notebook Black or blue erasable pens (optional)	Single subject notebook Folder Pencils, Pencils, Pencils	<u>2</u> Folders Erasable pens (optional)	<u>2</u> Single subject notebooks <u>2</u> folders

Face Coverings Expectations:

Masks are recommended but not mandatory this school year.

In anticipation,
-6th Grade Team