

# JOHN T. BAKER MIDDLE SCHOOL

## 2011-2012 SUGGESTED SCHOOL SUPPLIES

### ALL GRADES

- Binder — 3-Ring (3 inch)
- Bulldog Time Book (may be a book borrowed from the Baker Library Media Center)
- Calculator\* — students are encouraged to purchase their own calculator(s) for their academic career.  
The TI-83 is a required calculator for Algebra (and only Algebra). We offer a “loan” program for the TI-83 graphing calculator to students who are taking Algebra. Students and parents will be asked to sign a Borrower’s Agreement. For all other math courses, it is recommended that students purchase a TI-34 MultiView™ calculator. You can see a picture of the calculator being recommended by going to [http://education.ti.com/educationportal/sites/US/productDetail/us\\_ti34mv.html](http://education.ti.com/educationportal/sites/US/productDetail/us_ti34mv.html).
- \* *Parents ... if you purchase a Texas Instruments (TI) calculator, please turn in the Proof of Purchase to the Baker Math Resource Teacher. This will enable Baker to receive free supplies.*
- Dividers for 3-Ring Binder (one set/min. 5 subjects)
- Erasers (e.g., tops of #2 pencils)
- Glue Stick
- Notebook Paper (loose leaf/wide ruled)
- Pencil Pouch (sturdy, for 3-ring binder)
- Pencils (#2)
- Pens, Ball Point (black *or* blue)
- Textbook Covers (you do not need to purchase book covers – brown paper bags turned inside-out will be fine)

### Suggested Additional Grade Specific Supplies

#### 6th GRADE

Pocket folders (6 solid color)

#### 7th GRADE

4 Permanent-bound composition books  
(e.g., marble-colored)

#### 8th GRADE

2 Permanent-bound composition books  
(e.g., marble-colored)  
2 Spiral-bound notebooks (single subject)

## STUDENT FEES 2011-2012

**Student fees are collected by individual class teachers within a department.**

**Art – Grades 6, 7, and 8:** Materials for take home projects: \$3.00

**Math – Algebra:** Students who choose to use a school-owned TI-83 calculator instead of buying their own will need to sign an obligation contract/borrower’s agreement for the replacement cost of the calculator. Students who lose or damage a school-owned calculator will be required to pay the replacement cost of the calculator.

**Music – Band, Chorus, and Orchestra:** A \$5.00 fee for dry cleaning fee concert attire will be assessed if necessary.

**Health/Physical Education – Grades 6, 7, and 8:** No Fees

For PE class, students may wear a Baker uniform or a plain t-shirt and plain gym shorts (inseam 4-8 inches); they will need to wear a supportive, sturdy pair of sneakers and a pair of socks; they are encouraged to bring deodorant and sunscreen; for cold weather days, they are encouraged to bring any color sweatshirt, sweatpants, hat and gloves. All students will be issued a personal gym locker with a built in combination lock.

**Optional** uniform purchase — if students would like to purchase the Baker PE uniform (imprinted with school logo), the costs are: t-shirt \$10; shorts \$15; sweatpants \$15, and hooded sweatshirts \$25. Students will be given the opportunity to purchase these items the first week of school. Checks should be made payable to Baker Middle School.