

Grades 6, 7, and 8 – John Poole Middle School School Year 2011-2012

Recommended Individual Student Organizational Tools and Personal Supplies

- Agenda Book
- Personal three-ring binder
- Composition Books
- Binder Dividers
- Loose-leaf notebook paper
- Pencil box or zipper pouch
- #2 pencils or mechanical pencils
- Pens, ballpoint
- Pocket folders
- Eraser tops for #2 pencils
- Glue sticks
- USB Jump Drive or Memory Stick (cannot have U3 software)

Students should bring their supplies the first day of school.

Student Agenda Books

- Agenda books cost \$4.00.
- Make checks payable to John Poole Middle School.
- Please note student's name in memo section of check.
- Students may bring checks to school during the first week and give them to their Homeroom teachers.

As a whole-school initiative, John Poole Middle School has produced a student agenda book that is available for student purchase. This agenda book is not graded or used as a hall pass, but it is used by teachers to help your child track his/her assignments and to let you know of assignments that are due. While this is a voluntary purchase, we strongly believe a student agenda book is a valuable organizational tool to help you and your child monitor completion of assigned tasks. If you do not want your child to purchase the school's agenda book, please provide a tool your child can use for the same purpose.

Math Supplies

The math curriculum requires the use of calculators. John Poole recommends the TI 15 Explorer calculators for most math classes and the TI 83+ Graphing calculator for student taking Algebra or Geometry. Most students wish to purchase their own personal calculators; however, it is not required. Students will be issued a calculator if they choose not to purchase one. This calculator must be returned at the end of the year in good working condition or a financial obligation will be issued. John Poole will have the TI 15 Explorer calculators available for purchase at a cost of \$15.00.

Protractors, rulers and safety compasses will also be used during math instruction. Most students wish to have their own, but we will have class sets available for students to use during the school day. Safety compasses may be purchased for \$1.50.

Materials Available for Purchase

- Agenda Book - \$4.00
- Calculator – TI 15 Math Explorer - \$15.00
- PE Uniform (shirt and shorts) - \$25.00 each

Lockers

Locker Dimensions: Height 71", Height to shelf 62", Width 12", Depth 10 ½"

Large backpacks on wheels will not fit in lockers. Also, please do not buy the pressure shelves to place inside the lockers as these shelves, when expanded, affect the lockers on either side.

The availability of alternate payment options for items listed, including a schedule of payments, or a reduced price, can be arranged.