



EAST PAULDING MIDDLE SCHOOL

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EPMS Families,

As a precautionary measure against the spread of COVID-19, school lockers will not be available for student use to begin the 2020-2021 school year. This decision has been made for all schools at the district level due to school buildings re-opening under "Minimal and Moderate Spread" guidelines. We have reduced the suggested supply list to include only essential supplies needed for school each day.

All students will be allowed to store and carry their supplies in their own backpack, and they should bring all essential items with them each day. Students will not be allowed to store any items in classrooms or other areas of the building. By ensuring that your student has the essential items listed below, we can reduce the need for students to share supplies. Should restrictions of locker use be lifted as we progress through the year, we will evaluate the need for issuing lockers to students.

Essential Supply List for All Grades and Classes

- 1 Backpack
- 1 Refillable Water Bottle (water fountains will be used as refill stations only)
- 1, 3-inch Binder **OR** 2, 1.5-inch Binders
- Tab Dividers (with pockets if available)
- Lined Notebook Paper for Binder
- 2 Composition Notebooks
- Pencils
- Pens
- Highlighters
- Markers and/or Colored Pencils
- Glue Stick or Glue
- Scissors
- Earbuds or Headphones
- 1 USB or "Jump" Drive (optional but highly recommended)
- 6th Grade Students Only – Basic 4 Function Calculator
- 7th and 8th Grade Students Only – TI-30XS Multiview Scientific Calculator **OR** TI-36X Pro Scientific Calculator

As we have done for several years, students can BYOT (Bring Your Own Technology) for instructional use in classrooms. However, this is a family decision and one that will not prevent a student from receiving instruction or completing any assignments.

If you have any questions about the supply list above, please feel free to contact the school.