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BACPS 8th Grade Welcome Letter

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Dear 8th Grade Parents and Families,

We hope this letter finds you and your family healthy and ready for this new academic school year. We are all extremely excited about this school year!

We are strong supporters of home-school communication. As school begins and continues throughout the year, you will receive many updates about your child's progress. It is our hope that these notes will be the basis of a year's worth of dialogue between us. We will discuss your child, what is happening in class, what you can do to support your child's learning at home, and ways that we can extend what you do at home, here in school. Please reach out to us over email or the phone as questions arise. And remember, PowerSchool is one of the ways that you have to view current information on how your student is performing in every class.

In our classroom this year, what occurs will affect your child's future; not only next year, but for many years to come. Your child's time will be well spent. He or she may even come home exhausted from all of the thinking and work done during the day. Every minute will count.

Thank you for taking the time to read this letter and attached to this letter you will find the Scope and Sequence for each of the courses your child will be taking this year. Again, we are looking forward to meeting and speaking with you in the near future. We wish you well!

Your 8th Grade Education Team



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8th Grade Materials List

Please purchase the following items for your 8th grade school year:

ELA:

MATH:

- Pencils
- 3 ring binder (1-1.5 inch)
- Two Pocket Folder
- Notebook paper
- Section dividers (3-5 pack)
- 3 One Subject Notebooks
- Scientific Calculator (About \$8.00 at Staples, has a ruler straight edge)

SCIENCE:

SOCIAL STUDIES:

- 1- 1.5 inch three ring binder with loose leaf paper
- Highlighter, pencils/pens
- Colored pencils