Gateway Middle School Supply List:

Below is a list of school supplies that students will need in order to generally prepare for each class. Other materials may be requested by individual teachers the first week of school.

	bens	safety scissors	3 ring binder	ruler/protractor	#2 pencils	highlighter	spiral notebook	composition book	colored pencils	dividers	glue sticks	pencil pouch	scotch tape	post it notes	construction paper	thumb drive	24 ct crayons	markers	college ruled paper
6th					_														
Grade	X	1	1	1	Box	1	3	2	1	1	8	1	4	2		1	1	1	1
7th																			
Grade	X	1	1	1	Box	1	2	2	1	1	8	1	4	0		1	1	1	1
8th															1				
Grade	X	1	1	1	Box	1	2	2	1	1	8	1	4	2	pkg	1	1	1	1

Binder suggestion:

For middle school, it is important students develop habits that will assist in keeping their work organized. We recommend 5-Star zipper/clasp binders by Mead (2-inch), which often include up to 5 subject dividers, a "pencil pouch", three rings, and a handle. Students need to be able to keep important paperwork and supplies organized, compact, and portable as they transition to multiple classes throughout their day.



Other necessary class-specific materials:

<u>PE Classes</u>: Gateway gym shorts or plain elastic waist shorts (navy blue or black). No logos, cutoffs or spandex. Gateway gym t-shirt or plain white/grey t-shirt (NOTE: *PE teachers will put your student's name on shorts and shirts the first week of school).*

Tennis shoes only in the gym (shoes that make black marks on the floor are not acceptable). PE shoes should be stored at school for PE. Cost of gym uniform - \$10.00 for shorts and \$8;00 for shirts. PE uniforms will be available for purchase at student orientation and the first week of school. Students will need their uniforms by the 1st Monday of school.

Band instrument rental: If your student is planning to take band, you will need to rent or purchase an instrument. Some larger instruments are available for rental from the school. Rental information will be distributed by the band director. The cost of a band uniform for performances is approximately \$13.00 per student. Information will be distributed during band class.

<u>Mathematics:</u> The math department strongly recommends standard scientific calculators for 6th and 7th grade math and graphing calculators for 8th grade math, including algebra and geometry (TI-83 preferred). You may want to wait for your child's math teacher's recommendation in their syllabus before purchasing a calculator, particularly a graphing calculator.