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Transitioning to Junior High: Basic Need to Knows

❖ Student Responsibilities:

- Keep up with your academic status via iGrade (no Tuesday folders)
- Reach out to teachers for any issues/concerns
 - Join your teacher's Remind, if applicable (students and guardians)
- Whenever you are absent from a class, whether that absence is school related or not, you have missed work/instruction and have three days to make it up.
- Technology (each student will be assigned an iPad)
 - Keep it charged
 - Bring to each class
 - Only on it when given permission by teacher!
- Each student will have his/her own locker. Keep it neat and organized!

❖ Necessary Supplies: (You will have 6 different classes.)

- 3 ring binder (1.5" suggested)
- Loose leaf, college ruled paper (lots of it!)
- Pencils/pens (some classes only allow one or the other)
- Calculator for math class (Mrs. Kirkland requires the TI-30XIIS)

❖ Other handy items:

- Backpack (large enough for several binders and books)
- Dividers for those binders
- Highlighters
- Sticky notes
- Locker supplies:
 - Locker stacker
 - Small dry erase board
 - Lock, if personally desired (these are not provided)