Dear Parents and Students:

Welcome to Team 3, 7th Grade! We are looking forward to working with you and hope to have a fun and productive year.

Supplies for 7th Grade Team 3:

- Earbuds/headphones for Chromebook use
- Pencils
- TI-30XS MultiView Calculator
- 2 Folders (Science and Math)
- School Agenda
- Wireless mouse (Recommended. Not required.)

Grades will be recorded by the teachers in SchoolTool, which can be found on the district website <u>www.cssd.org</u>. Students and parents are both able to log on and check grades at any time. Grades are updated a minimum of every 2 weeks. Additionally, teachers and students will be using the learning platform Canvas for classwork and homework assignments. Please familiarize yourself with these tools once more information has been supplied by the district.

If you have any concerns, we are available at the email addresses below. We look forward to meeting you!

Sincerely, Team 3 - Grade 7

Ms. Miller: Science Mr. Miraglia: ELA Mrs. Heffernan: Social Studies Mr. Hatch: Math Mrs. Munger: Resource pmiller@cssdapps.org rmiraglia@cssdapps.org kheffernan@cssdapps.org bhatch@cssdapps.org emunger@cssdapps.org

* see the next page for more specific course information

<u>7th Grade – Team 3</u> <u>Course Information and Materials</u>

<u>Mr. Miraglia</u>: ELA topics covered will involve overcoming challenges (young adults rising above personal tragedies), narrative writing, working conditions and the struggle to improve them and the reading and writing of poetry.

<u>Mrs. Heffernan</u>: Social Studies topics covered will involve American history from Pre-Columbian history up to the end of the Civil War. We will also focus heavily on historical thinking skills such as sourcing.

<u>Ms. Miller</u>: Science content this year involves introduction to Physics and Chemistry. Unit topics include scientific inquiry, atoms, the periodic table, properties of matter, chemical reactions, Newton's Laws of Motion, forces, speed and acceleration.

<u>Mr. Hatch</u>: Math topics covered will be: Ratios and Proportional Relationships, The Number Systems, Expressions, Equations, Geometry, Statistics, and Probability.

• Math materials needed: Calculator*(TI30XS Multi-view)

Have a relaxing rest of your summer and we look forward to working with you in September!