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## CENTRAL SQUARE CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

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### CENTRAL SQUARE MIDDLE SCHOOL

Mr. Mathew Penrod, Principal

Mr. Jeffrey King, Principal

Ms. Emily Nugent, Assistant Principal

#### Dear Parents and Students:

Welcome to Team 1, 7<sup>th</sup> Grade! We are looking forward to working with you, and hope to have a fun and productive year.

Please be prepared everyday with writing utensils, Chromebooks, assignments, calculators and any other materials you may need for class. Grades are based on tests, quizzes, homework, classwork, and projects.

It's recommended that students use a school agenda to record daily homework assignments and help organize themselves. Completing homework and projects on time will be essential to your success in seventh grade and any future endeavors.

We will continue to use Canvas as our Learning Management System. In Canvas, students will be able to access a daily work list of all core classes for any time they are unable to attend class. The best resource to track student grades continues to be Schooltool. Students and parents are able to log onto Schooltool to view grades and contact teachers. Please check Schooltool often to monitor grades & assignments. Grades will be updated by teachers at least every two weeks, if not sooner.

If you have any concerns, we are available at the following email addresses below, or by calling the Middle School office at (315) 668-4218.

We look forward to working with you.

Sincerely,

#### Team 1, 7<sup>th</sup> Grade

Mrs. Watson	(Spec. Ed.)	<a href="mailto:twatson@cssdapps.org">twatson@cssdapps.org</a>
Mrs. Lacey	(Math)	<a href="mailto:hlacey@cssdapps.org">hlacey@cssdapps.org</a>
Mr. Hendry	(Science)	<a href="mailto:rhendry@cssdapps.org">rhendry@cssdapps.org</a>
Mr. Ladd	(Social Studies)	<a href="mailto:pladd@cssdapps.org">pladd@cssdapps.org</a>
Miss McReynolds	(English)	<a href="mailto:kmcreynolds@cssdapps.org">kmcreynolds@cssdapps.org</a>

In **Math** topics covered will be: Ratios and Proportional Relationships, The Number Systems, Expressions, Equations, Geometry, Statistics and Probability.

In **Science** you will study the inner workings of chemistry, getting all the way down to atoms, and looking into the many principals of physics, which govern our everyday lives. In addition, you will work on skills from previous scientific disciplines and master new scientific skills in lab.

In **Social Studies** topics covered will be: American history, from Pre-Columbian period up to the end of the Civil War. We will also focus heavily on historical thinking skills such as sourcing documents. As well as identifying audience, purpose, point of view, bias, and historical context of those documents.

In **English**, you will be reading a variety of fiction and nonfiction texts to help you become independent thinkers who can dig deeply into a text. You will be collaborating with your peers, creating visual projects, and utilizing critical thinking skills throughout the school year. Our themes for our four units include survival, finding one's voice, turning tough times into resilience, and science & innovation.

**Mrs. Watson** will be the resource teacher on team who will be co-teaching core classes, as well as providing 7th grade pullout resource services.

# Contact Information & Supply Lists

## Important:

If you have concerns with your child sharing supplies, we are asking them to bring these supplies to their classes each day:

- Headphones (earbuds)
- Writing Utensils
- Rulers
- Colored Pencils
- Scissors
- Calculators (TI30XS Multiview ONLY)

**\*\*\*Teachers will have these supplies in the classroom if students don't have their own to use\*\*\***

**Students need to have a writing utensil, agenda, and their Chromebook when entering their classes each day.**

We will have some "gently used" binders left over from last year if students need them either at the beginning or throughout the school year. Students need to see one of the team teachers if this pertains to you.

### MATH Mrs. Lacey

EXT: 40214  
Email: hlacey@cssdapps.org

#### SUPPLIES NEEDED EACH DAY:

- 3-Ring Binder or Plastic Folder
- Ti-30x's MultiView Texas Instrument Calculator ONLY



### SCIENCE Mr. Hendry

EXT: 40122  
rhendry@cssdapps.org

#### SUPPLIES NEEDED EACH DAY:

- Chromebook
- Pencil
- Folder

### SPECIAL ED Mrs. Watson

EXT: 40233  
twatson@cssdapps.org

### ELA Miss McReynolds

EXT: 40212  
kmcreeynolds@cssdapps.org

#### SUPPLIES NEEDED EACH DAY:

- Folder
- Charged Chromebook
- Pencil/Pen
- Book for current unit



### SOCIAL STUDIES Mr. Ladd

EXT: 40213  
pladd@cssdapps.org

#### SUPPLIES NEEDED EACH DAY:

- Folder or Binder