



August, 2018

Welcome to the 6th Grade Turquoise Team at KPI!

Dear Terrific Turquoise Team Member,

We are excited to welcome you to King Philip Middle School and to the Turquoise Team! We hope that you are enjoying your summer with your family and friends.

Sixth grade is such an exciting time for you, socially and academically. You will be taking on more responsibilities, switching classes, using a locker, meeting new friends, and getting the opportunity to join clubs. The team holds very high expectations for your engagement in learning and classroom behavior; because of this, we will do whatever we can to help you and your classmates meet those expectations. We are looking forward to working with you and your family as we make your sixth grade year a success. Our school is dedicated to creating a positive environment where everyone feels **safe, respected** and **included**. We regularly recognize students for demonstrating **respect, responsibility, and good citizenship!** We are so excited to meet you and begin a year filled with new learning experiences and look forward to developing our positive learning community together. Enjoy the rest of your summer and make sure to share this letter with your family!

See you soon,
The Turquoise Team

Turquoise Team Morning Advisory Teachers:

Ms. Ukanowicz-Parrett - Math
Mrs. Lessard - Science
Mr. Fleming - Social Studies
Mrs. Gaunt - Language Arts & Team Leader
Mrs. Guo - Chinese
Ms. Kebernick - Spanish
Ms. Condon - Resource
Mrs. Whitman-Logan - Orchestra
Mrs. Lukas - Technology & Engineering

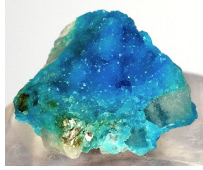
Extended 6th Grade Teachers:

Mr. Flaherty - Health/Physical Education
Mrs. Grindle - Art
Mr. Lillie - Physical Education
Mr. Faticoni - Music
Mrs. Gieczewski - Spanish
Ms. Martucci - Math Interventionist
Mrs. Luzusky - French/Spanish
Mr. Gustafson - Physical Education
Ms. Gosselin - Reading

There are already a few field trips planned. To help your family plan ahead, we are sharing *approximate* costs.

Team Building Day \$30
End of Year Day Trip \$40

Hartford Stage: A Christmas Carol \$30
Yearbook (optional) \$23



6th Grade Turquoise Team - Can you believe?!

While you are anticipating the beginning of the school year and wondering what your teachers will be like, see if you can match up the Turquoise Team teachers with their incredible accomplishments!

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| 1. Ms. Condon | A. Son won first in the state science fair! |
| 2. Mr. Fleming | B. Has a baby named Rhys! |
| 3. Mrs. Gaunt | C. Jumped out of a plane! |
| 4. Mrs. Guo | D. Has a license to drive a car, boat and motorcycle! |
| 5. Mrs. Lessard | E. Is in the Guinness Book of World Records! |
| 6. Ms. Lucas | F. Ran with the bulls in Spain! |
| 7. Ms. Ukanowicz-Parrett | G. Played in a rock band in San Francisco! |
| 8. Mrs. Whitman-Logan | H. Wants to parasail in Australia! |

We will reveal the answers on the first day of school. Can't wait to see you then!

6th Grade Supply List



- One 3-inch binder
- 6 tab dividers without pockets
- 1 package loose leaf paper
- Zipper pouch for supplies that can be inserted into the 3-ring binder
- 3-hole punched sturdy folder with pockets for homework
- 1 box pencils
- 1 box pens (black or blue)
- Erasers or eraser caps
- A few yellow highlighters
- A few Expo markers
- 3 packs 3x5 index cards
- Calculator (add/subtract/multiply/divide)
- 1 box tissues to be handed to team leader at start of school year
- Earbuds for computer use
- Post-It notes (optional)