



6TH GRADE SUMMER WORK AND SUPPLY LIST

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Rising 6th Grade English Summer Reading



In preparation for sixth grade, students will read the novel *Wonder* by R.J. Palacio. This book centers around a middle school student who is perceived as different - a feeling shared by many middle school students. It highlights some of the challenges he faces and demonstrates the importance of treating others with kindness and respect.

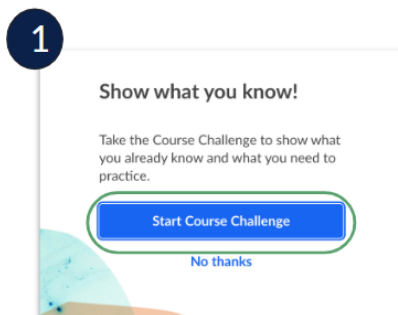
As you read, you will be recording your thoughts in your book on sticky notes. At the end of each chapter, list 3 things you observed and 3 questions you have. If a question you have written down is later answered in your reading, record that answer as well. These observations and questions will help you be prepared for class discussions about the book.

1. Go to www.khanacademy.org and click “log in” then “continue with google” to sign in with your existing GWA google account.
2. Go to the “get ready for 6th grade” course (click “courses” at the top left, then “get ready for 6th grade” or follow this link: <https://www.khanacademy.org/math/get-ready-for-6th-grade>)
3. Start with the course challenge (at the bottom of the page) to see what you already know.
4. Work on skills you may need to refresh by following the blue buttons, aiming for about 10% progress per week.
5. Your goal is to achieve 90% course mastery (shown at the top left of the “get ready for 6th grade” page) before 6th grade starts!

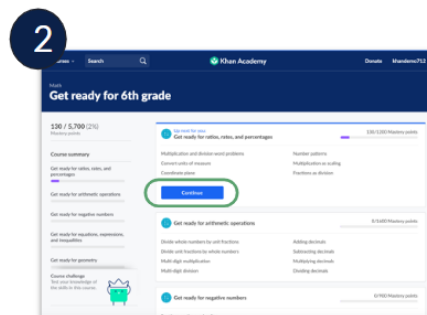
Helpful video with additional information and tips for students:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yqdGJ-_0AGg

How it works



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What it looks like:

Other helpful info:

- ★ Students earn mastery by demonstrating understanding of skills. Watching videos and reading articles on Khan Academy helps students learn but does not contribute directly to mastery status.
- ★ Mastery can go both up or down as students practice and their performance fluctuates.
- ★ To get to mastered status, the highest level of mastery, students must demonstrate understanding of a skill multiple times, and the last time must be on a unit test, course challenge or mastery challenge.



Supply List – Middle School 2022-2023

6th Grade

- Folder w/Pockets (any color)
- Pencil Pouch
- (4ct) Expo Low Odor Dry Erase Markers
- Headphones/Earbuds
- Loose Leaf Filler Paper with Reinforced Holes
- Glue Sticks
- Blue/Black, and Red Pens
- Pencils
- (2) Highlighters
- Pad of Post-Its
- Pack of Lined Index Cards
- Scissors
- Composition Notebook
- College Ruled Spiral Notebook
- (12 ct) Colored Pencils
- (5 ct) Tab Dividers for Binder
- 1" Binder
- School Issued Chromebook Laptop, Stylus, and Charger

6th Grade Supplies to be Purchased in the Dawg Shop:

Student Planner

Novel to be Purchased:

Summer Reading: *Wonder* by RJ Palacio

7th Grade

- Dry Erase Markers
- Spiral Notebook
- (2) Two-Pocket Folders w/Prongs
- Three-ring Binder
- Pack of Lined Index Cards
- Loose Leaf Filler Paper with Reinforced Holes
- Pencils in a Pencil Bag/Container
- Pens (Blue/Black, and Red Ink)
- Markers and/or Colored Pencils
- Highlighters
- Scissors
- School Issued Chromebook Laptop, Stylus, and Charger

7th Grade Supplies to be purchased in the Dawg Shop:

Student planner

Novels to be Purchased:

Summer Reading: *Drums, Girls, and Dangerous Pie* by Jordan Sonnenblick

8th Grade

- 1 Three-ring binder (1/2 to 1 inch)
- Notebook paper
- Pencils
- Red, black, and blue pens
- Highlighters (at least two colors)
- Colored pencils
- Post-It notes
- Scissors
- Ruler
- School Issued Chromebook Laptop, Stylus, and Charger.

8th Grade bundle to be purchased in the Dawg Shop:

Casio FX-260 Solar II Scientific Calculator and a student planner.

Novel to be purchased:

Summer Reading: *The Princess Bride* by William Goldman (Honors and Academic English)