

Parents and Guardians

Welcome to the 5th grade!! I look forward to an exciting year of teaching and a great year of learning. I am Mrs. Bieber and I have the pleasure of being your son or daughter's fifth grade teacher. I am so excited to make this a successful and happy year for you and your child. To ensure this success, it is important to keep lines of communication open. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me at school between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. each day. If you leave a message and a phone number, I will return your call as soon as possible. Or, you may reach me by email at bieberm@carliseschools.org. Please let me know the best times to contact you and I will try my hardest to grant the request. I hope to talk with the parents and/or guardians of each of my students in the coming weeks. If you would like to talk in person, I am always available to schedule appointments before school, after school, or during my prep periods.

I'm excited to begin our school year and I'm certain you have questions about how to be ready for fifth grade. If you're going shopping before school starts, here is a list of basic supplies. If you've already purchased supplies that don't match the list, don't worry. Just bring what you have.

Required School Supplies:

- **Earbuds or Headphones (for personal use with iPads)**
- **Pencil Box or Pouch**
- **Pencils**
- **Pencil Sharpener**
- **Highlighters (any color)**
- **Set of Colored Pencils**
- **1 pack loose leaf wide-ruled paper, AND 2, 1-subject notebooks**
- **3 folders**
- **Binder**

Greatly Appreciated School Supplies for Classroom Use:

- **Tissues**
- **Clorox Wipes**
- **Box of Ziploc Baggies (sandwich, quart, or gallon size)**

That's it for supplies. I'd also like you to bring a book you're reading. If you're not reading a book right now, start thinking about the kinds of books you like to read. We can look through the classroom library to find a good one for you. If you've had any interesting story ideas this summer, bring those with you, too. We love to write in 5th grade!!!

By the time you receive this letter, I'll be busy getting the classroom ready for everyone. Enjoy your last days of vacation and start looking forward to the first day of school. I know you're going to have a successful fifth-grade year.

Yours Truly,

Mrs. Bieber