

Dear Students and Parents,

Welcome to a great, upcoming 6th grade school year at EDUPRIZE in **Mrs. Brown's** homeroom. I am excited to be teaching alongside the amazing Ms. Jimison for another year!

We would like to share a little bit about ourselves.

Mrs. Brown: I can't wait to meet all of you in July! I will be teaching reading, world history and writing. There is so much to know about our history! This is my 22nd year teaching at EDUPRIZE, but I have been a member of the EDUPRIZE family for 28 years! I live in Chandler with my husband Jeff, my son Michael, and our three fur babies, Simon, Peanut, and Annie. My daughter Christine and her husband Micah live in North Phoenix. In my spare time, I enjoy helping others through a local food bank, and love spending time with my precious friends and family!

Ms. Jimison: I am so excited to be teaching 6th grade this school year! This will be my 24th year in education. My teaching journey started at EDUPRIZE many years ago. I will be teaching math and science as well as writing this year. My roots are in Chicago, but I grew up in the Phoenix area attending ASU and then NAU for my degrees. My passions are music, traveling, and my family (including our four legged member).

This year our cottages will be **Atomic Avenue, Rainforest, Observatory, and Imperial Highway**. We are going to have so much fun learning and exploring through these exciting cottages and STEM activities. We have high expectations for our students. We expect them to be responsible and show good character to their teachers and peers. We like to make learning fun, and this happens when students are responsible, prepared, respectful, and motivated to learn! We are excited to have parent helpers in our classroom and will begin utilizing their help after the first week or so of school.

Attached, you will find this year's supply list. If possible, please purchase your items prior to Open House. At Open House, students will meet both teachers, see our classrooms, pick up important papers, drop off supplies, and get information on carpool. We are excited to start our journey together this year and know that it will be a wonderful year for our sixth graders. There is so much to learn, and it will be our honor to be your teachers! Enjoy the rest of your summer, and we will see you soon!

Sincerely, Mrs. Brown and Ms. Jimison

Important Eagle Info!

Open House Date: Thursday, July 18, 2024 from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm

Recommended Time for Our Class: 10:00 am to 11:00 pm

Reminder: Please complete the Annual Update via the Infinite Campus Parent Portal.

Program: Regular Day

Schedule: 8:00 am to 3:00 pm Mon-Thu
8:00 am to 11:45 am Fridays

Students should be on campus, ready to line up 5 minutes prior to the start time listed above.

Check eduprizeschools.net for the latest updates!

Building # 2 Room # 80 Extension # 2800

Teacher email address:

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You will receive information regarding carpool and where to line up at Open House.

The first day of school is TUESDAY, JULY 23, 2024.

All students must be on-time and present the entire day to be considered enrolled at EDUPRIZE.

6th Grade Brown / Jimison Supply List 2024-2025

Each Student Needs (these items will not be available for students to borrow, as we are not sharing supplies):

In 6th grade students will keep their supplies with them in their backpack (they do not use the inside of their desk) at all times, since students switch between 2 classrooms. A regular backpack works fine. A backpack on wheels also works - keep in mind they still have to carry it up and down the stairs.

- \$5 to pay for a student planner; please make payment to Infinite Campus**
- Regular pre-sharpened # 2 pencils**
- 2 large erasers or package of pencil top erasers**
- 1 package of 12+ colored pencils** preferably Crayola brand
- 2-4 highlighters** preferably different colors
- 1 package of glue sticks**
- 5-10 fine point dry erase markers** - black only please
- Calculator** - a **MUST** for math; basic calculator is acceptable (please label)
- Pencil Case** - Big enough to put supplies from above in; hard case recommended (please label)
- 5 pocket folders with brads** red, yellow, green, purple, orange (do not pre-label)
- 2 composition books** - no spiral notebooks please (do not pre-label)
- 1 pair of earbuds/headphones** - Earbuds preferred due to size and storage space (please label)

Wish list (for the classroom):

We understand if these items cannot be donated at this time. Look in weekly newsletters for needed supplies throughout the year for the opportunity to give later.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> 2-3 reams of white copy paper | <input type="checkbox"/> 2-3 rolls of paper towels |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Colored copy paper or cardstock | <input type="checkbox"/> 2-3 boxes of facial tissues |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1 pair of scissors (adult size) | <input type="checkbox"/> 1-2 containers of Clorox Wipes |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1-2 black permanent markers-medium | <input type="checkbox"/> 1-2 black permanent markers-fine point |

Our supply list has been reviewed thoroughly in an effort to make it manageable for everyone. The supplies listed above are a good indication of what we use per child throughout the year. Our desire is that you are able to purchase these supplies on sale. Please feel free to join forces with someone else in our class to purchase the items in bulk. As always, thank you for your continued support!