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- Sturdy book bag or backpack—*must fit with all items in a 1.5 x 1.5 x 3 ft. locker*
- **Calculator**: **TI-83 Plus** is required and will serve through high school (label with name)
- □ 1 inch, 3-ring binder with multiple section dividers/pocket folders (to be used for multiple classes)
- □ College ruled notebook paper (replenish as necessary throughout the year)
- □ Graph paper, 4 squares per inch (replenish as necessary)

Pencil case – should hold the following supplies:

- □ At least 3 pencils/erasers (replenish as necessary)
- □ At least 3 black or blue ballpoint pens (replenish as necessary)
- □ 3 highlighters 3 different colors (replenish as necessary)
- □ 2 packs of 3x5 cards (replenish as necessary)
- □ 2 glue sticks (replenish as necessary)
- □ 6 inch ruler (metric/inch)
- Pair of scissors
- □ 8 pack (or larger) colored markers and/or colored pencils
- □ 2 large boxes of facial tissues (will be shared for community use)
- □ If taking French: a French-English dictionary
- □ If taking Spanish: a Spanish-English dictionary
- □ If in ELL: a folder and composition book dedicated to ELL
- Planner: The school will <u>not</u> provide 7th graders with planners/calendars.
 7th graders are required to keep track of their homework on some kind of calendar; they may choose to do so on their computer (in OneNote, Outlook, etc.) or may purchase a planner/calendar in a style that works best for them. This will be checked regularly by the student's advisor.

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Important Technology Information

File Storage

Forest Ridge School provides OneDrive cloud storage for all students. The limit is set to 400GB.

USB External Drives: Students are encouraged to purchase external drives to back up their personal and/or school files. These large capacity (>200 GB) external drives are dropping in price and could be a solution to backup for a variety of users in the same household. Some are designed for at home use, but many are now portable. These are readily available at electronic/office supply stores.

USB Portable Drive (also called "thumb drive," "flash drive", etc): These are small, very portable, and very versatile storage devices that attach to the USB port of the laptop and allow for quick and secure backup/transfer of small to moderate academic files.

Laptop Requirements

Your laptop must be functioning properly, including battery, power cords, and wireless connection. You must have a working stylus in order to participate fully in class. You may be asked to use paper and pencil if you do not have a stylus.

Your name MUST be on your laptop, on your case and on your power cord.

Do not place stickers on your laptop. However, personalizing your laptop case for easy identification is required.

