



Parents and Students,

We've made it to the end of this extraordinary school year. In order to complete our make-up days from inclement weather, students will be completing learning opportunities that will be completed from home for June 6th and 7th, 2022.

**Monongalia County Schools embraces the importance of hands-on learning, student choice, and cross curricular learning.** A choice board for middle school has been created for students to fulfill their requirements for attendance on the at-home learning days. The attached page has all of the details; please see the summary below:

- Students will be required to complete **four** of the activities on the choice board which will be documented by an adult's initials in each activity box that is completed.
- Students will also be expected to write **one** letter to introduce themselves to their new teachers. In this letter, students should tell their teachers about what they hope to achieve in the upcoming school year along with anything they should know, like special talents or interests.

**The initialed choice board and the letter should be returned to the school at the beginning of the year either at orientation or on the first day of school.**

In order to facilitate the transition of 5th graders to middle school, they will also be completing the middle school choice board. Incoming 6th grade students will receive a copy of the choice board during step-up day on June 2nd. If extra copies are needed, they will be available in all elementary and middle school offices and middle school websites.

We hope everyone has a wonderful, relaxing summer, and we look forward to coming back in August, ready for another great school year!

Sincerely,

*Monongalia County Middle Schools*



Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade Level for Fall 2022: \_\_\_\_\_

## Monongalia County Middle Schools



**June 6:** Write a letter introducing yourself to your new teachers. Tell them about yourself and what you hope to achieve in the upcoming school year. Also include anything you want them to know about you. Please bring the letter back to your school either at orientation or on the first day of school.

**June 7:** Choose and complete any 4 activities on the board that interest you. Highlight or "X" your selections. Please bring the board back to your school either at orientation or on the first day of school.

<p><b>SEL</b> Help a Neighbor/ write about how you feel afterward <i>Adult's Initials:</i> _____</p>	<p><b>Physical Wellness</b> Do body warm-up stretches you learned in your wellness or gym class. <i>Adult's Initials:</i> _____</p>	<p><b>Fine Arts</b> Draw a picture using your favorite medium (pencil, paint, crayon etc.) <i>Adult's Initials:</i> _____</p>	<p><b>STEM/Tech</b> Interview an adult who has social media. Develop at least 5 questions and record their answers. <i>Adult's Initials:</i> _____</p>	<p><b>Life Skills</b> Learn and complete a new household chore (i.e. laundry/dishes etc.) <i>Adult's Initials:</i> _____</p>	<p><b>Physical Wellness</b> Take a 30 minute walk or hike <i>Adult's Initials:</i> _____</p>
<p><b>STEM/Tech</b> Build something with legos/block/ or other items you have at home. Share your creation with a grown up. <i>Adult's Initials:</i> _____</p>	<p><b>Math</b> Find and sketch two examples of the following 3-D geometric shapes: - Sphere, Rectangular Prism, Pyramid, Cylinder <i>Adult's Initials:</i> _____</p>	<p><b>Life Skills</b> Create a list of at least 5 goals for the summer that you hope to accomplish. Share it with your Grown Up. <i>Adult's Initials:</i> _____</p>	<p><b>Science</b> Open a window or go outside and record the nature sounds you hear for 30 minutes. How many can you identify? <i>Adult's Initials:</i> _____</p>	<p><b>Soc. Studies</b> Interview a person from a different generation about what life was like when they were young. How was it the same? How was it different? <i>Adult's Initials:</i> _____</p>	<p><b>Language/Culture</b> Look in your kitchen. Can you find a food with nutrition information in more than 1 language? Can you recognize any words? What are similarities and differences? <i>Adult's Initials:</i> _____</p>
<p><b>SEL</b> Listen to your top 3 current songs. Record your mood and feelings during or after <i>Adult's Initials:</i> _____</p>	<p><b>Math</b> Plan and help make a meal. Read the recipe, paying close attention to the measurements <i>Adult's Initials:</i> _____</p>	<p><b>Writing/Reading</b> Read a Book Book Title: _____ <i>Adult's Initials:</i> _____</p>	<p><b>Fine Arts</b> Create a vision board (a visual representation of your goals) with goals for what you would like your next school year to look like <i>Adult's Initials:</i> _____</p>	<p><b>SEL</b> Create a gratitude journal about things you are thankful for. This could include things from school, home, and the community. <i>Adult's Initials:</i> _____</p>	<p><b>SEL</b> Sit outside for at least 30 minutes. Meditate or observe the sounds and sights of your surroundings. <i>Adult's Initials:</i> _____</p>