

Welcome to grades 3-6 at Sandy Lake Academy!

Thank you for choosing to send your child to Sandy Lake Academy for the 2026-2027 school year. We are looking forward to working with you and your child in reaching their full potential. We will have many wonderful experiences and opportunities to learn and grow in the days ahead. As you are looking ahead to September please keep in mind the following things:



On the first day of school everyone needs to bring:

- ✓ 2 boxes of zip-lock type bags (one medium and large)
- ✓ 1 pkg each plastic forks and **spoons for emergencies (please still send in lunchbox when needed)
- ✓ 1 roll of paper towels **and** 2 boxes of tissues
- ✓ 1 container disinfecting wipes
- ✓ White or non-marking soled indoor shoes **that are to be kept at school**. Non-marking soled indoor gym shoes are also required for the gym (these can also be used as the indoor classroom shoes if desired)
- ✓ Set of earbuds in a small case that seals for our Math and Language Arts programs
- ✓ Water bottle (very important as cups are not made available for the fountain)
- ✓ 3 duo tangs (yellow, blue, green), 50 sheet protectors and 3 notebooks (French class)

Mrs. Walker - Grade 6 only:

- Combination lock for locker, preferably not the dial kind as these are difficult for students to learn how to use.
- **No spoons as listed above, rather 2 packages of forks.

Microwave Use: We have a small microwave for students to heat up lunches. Please note that there is a 1 minute time limit per student. Frozen microwave dinners should be defrosted in the fridge the night before. An insulated thermos is also a great alternative for sending hot items.

See you all on September 8th, 2026.

Sincerely,

Mr. Waite (3/4), Miss DeMerchant (4/5), & Mrs. Walker (6)