

## WELCOME TO TEAM NEON!

Here are a few things for you to take care of before we see you in August:

### Team Neon Remind

Sign up for Remind notifications

Receive text reminders about deadlines - **text @huggsci to the number 81010**

The logo for Team Neon, featuring the word "NEON" in a large, white, sans-serif font with a slight shadow effect, set against a solid black rectangular background.

### Summer Reading Mandate

All Lee County Middle School West students will be required to read this summer. **Participation is required** for Ms. Sheffield. Though this will not be a major grade, **completion of the summer reading challenge will be the first grade of the year in language arts**. The handout is included in this packet.

### Supply List

#### General

Tape  
Scissors  
Colored Pencils  
Paper  
Pencils  
Pens  
Tissue  
Wipes  
Hand Sanitizer  
Earbuds/Headphones  
Pencil Pouch

#### **Math**

1.5 inch binder  
Graph Paper  
Ruler  
TI - 30XS (optional but highly suggested)

#### **Science**

1.5 inch binder

#### **Reading/ELA**

Composition Notebook

#### **Social Studies**

1-inch, spiral-bound sketch pad (blank pages)

We hope that you have a wonderful summer and are ready for an awesome 8th grade in the fall!

Sincerely,

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## Summer Reading Expectations - Lee County Middle School West

All rising 6th, 7th, and 8th grade LCMSW students will be expected to read over the summer.

**6th Grade: 800 pages**

**7th Grade: 1000 pages**

**8th Grade: 1200 pages**

You can document these books digitally and submit via Google classroom, or you can print and hand in to your ELA teacher on the first day of school. **This will be your first grade in ELA/Reading for the 2019-2020 school year.**

Google Classroom Code:   **mcbkey9**  

FREE ways to access text over the summer:

<p><b>Get Georgia Reading</b></p>	<p>Go to <a href="http://www.myon.com/login/index.html">www.myon.com/login/index.html</a> and enter your login information:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o <i>School Name: Get Georgia Reading</i> (type the first few letters and select from the drop-down menu)</li> <li>o <i>Username: leecounty</i></li> <li>o <i>Password: read</i></li> <li>• <b>Click the <i>Sign In</i> button.</b></li> <li>• <b>Select a book and start reading!</b></li> </ul>
<p><b>RBDigital</b></p>	<p>Check with Lee County Public Library - Digital library books</p>
<p><b>GaPines</b></p>	<p>Check with Lee County Public Library - Request checkouts of digital and text resources</p>
<p><b>Local Library</b></p>	<p>Check with Lee County Public Library</p>

**Additional Resources:**

<p><a href="http://uga.readingprograms.org/ms">http://uga.readingprograms.org/ms</a></p>	<p>UGA Speed Reading/Study Skills Program for Entering 6th-8th</p>
<p><a href="https://www.summerlearning.org/?page=know_the_facts">https://www.summerlearning.org/?page=know_the_facts</a></p>	<p>National Summer Learning Association</p>
<p><a href="https://lexile.com/parents-students/find-books-at-the-right-level/building-a-summer-reading-list/">https://lexile.com/parents-students/find-books-at-the-right-level/building-a-summer-reading-list/</a></p>	<p>Lexile Resources</p>
<p><a href="https://www.gadoe.org/Curriculum-Instruction-and-Assessment/Curriculum-and-Instruction/Pages/Georgia-Summer-Reading-Challenge.aspx">https://www.gadoe.org/Curriculum-Instruction-and-Assessment/Curriculum-and-Instruction/Pages/Georgia-Summer-Reading-Challenge.aspx</a></p>	<p>Georgia's Summer Reading Challenge - GADOE</p>