

Dear Parents,

My name is Mr. Cowley and your son/daughter will be in my 6<sup>th</sup> grade class this coming school year. I am looking forward to an exciting year. It is my goal to provide all students an opportunity to expand their understanding of the world around them through educationally challenging, yet fun, experiences in the classroom. Hopefully this will help prepare them to successfully navigate through life as they make important decisions regarding career paths and other personal endeavors. I hope to be able to be able to integrate some of my background in the engineering, real estate, and financial services fields into the classroom.

Your child will continue to build upon their prior knowledge gained from previous grades along with the introduction of new concepts in mathematics, English language arts, science and social studies. There will be some take home assignments and your son/daughter will likely be appreciative of any support you can provide to him/her.

I have high expectations of all my students and I ask that you help support them as they learn and grow in knowledge and experience about the world around them. If you are able to help supply the classroom with any tissues, disinfecting wipes, and hand sanitizer that would be very helpful. Also, personal headphones or ear buds along with a 3 prong folder would be very helpful to your son/daughter. Please do not hesitate to contact me at (928) 347-5796 or RCowley@lUSD9.com if you have any questions or concerns during the school year.

Thank you,

Mr. Cowley