**Sample Middle School Social Story**

**Staying Organzied in Middle School Sample Social Story**

**Make sure you talk with your Middle schoolers Case Manager and edit the details!**

In Middle School I will have\_\_\_\_( 8 )different classes but I will only go to\_\_\_ (4) of them each day. I will have my homeroom every day. Because there are so many teachers & classes, all the students, including me, have to work hard to keep all of our papers, schoolwork and homework organized.

To help with this, I will have\_\_\_( 2 ) big binders with folders inside for each class. We are not allowed to carry our backpacks around. I will put my backpack (and my lunchbox ) in my locker in the morning. I can get my backpack and lunchbox at the end of the day after my last class. During the school day, I will carry my binder around, and it will have everything in it that I need: papers, pencils, pens and my folders for my classes.

On A Days, I will use my black and grey zipper bag (Gray for A).

On B Days, I will use my blue & black binder. (B for Blue).

The zipper binders are where I will keep my homework & schoolwork, there are a few things that will help me keep track of everything:

- When I am in class, I will put my papers and worksheets in the correct folder for the class.

-Everyday at home I will look at my binders with \_\_\_\_\_\_\_(Mom, Dad or Caregiver) & put papers in the right place and organize and put away any loose papers. We can all look to see what assignments I have to turn in or work on for homework.

-At school, my Case Manager, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (Ms. Smith) will help me learn to keep track of my work.

**Agenda/ Planner/ Google Calendar**

When teachers tell us assignments or assignments are written somewhere, I need to write it in my agenda (or put in my google calendar- or whichever format your child's school uses). It will help remind me that I need to do it for homework or remind me to turn it in.

If I can work on keeping things organized, it will help me do well in school and make things a little easier!

**First Week of School**

On Monday, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (Mom, Dad or Caregiver) will \_\_\_\_( drop me off at the front door, say bye to me before I go outside to get on the bus, etc).When I get to school, I will go to My Case Manager's room \_\_\_\_\_\_, (Ms. Smith's) room. Ms. Smith will help us get our supplies organized! I will need to bring pens, pencils and papers to class on the first day so they will need to go in my binder in the zipper part. The first day of school is going to be a different schedule for all the 6th graders since we are all getting used to being at a new school and having new teachers! If I have questions or I am confused, I can talk to\_\_\_\_\_ (Ms. Smith) or \_\_\_\_\_\_(Mr. Roberts.) They will tell me where to go.

This is my first day schedule:

- Homeroom class

- Assembly

- Lunch. After lunch, I go to all my A day classes but only for a short time. When I get to my classes, my teacher might tell the kids where to sit, or they may tell me just to choose a seat and sit anywhere.

**First Week of School Cont.**

- At 3:30, It will be time to go home! \_\_\_\_\_\_ (Mom, Dad, Caregiver) will pick me up or (I will take \_\_\_\_ bus home)!

Tuesday will be a regular day and I will follow my B day schedule. My B day schedule is:

-Theatre

-World Cultures with \_\_\_\_\_\_(Mr. Wilson) in room \_\_\_\_\_(202.) (We eat a snack in this class).

-P.E. with \_\_\_\_\_\_ Mr. Green in the GYM

-LUNCH- CAFETERIA

-Advisory with \_\_\_\_\_ (Mrs. Smith), room \_\_\_\_ ( 101)

- English/Language Arts with \_\_\_\_\_\_ (Mrs. Williams), room \_\_\_\_\_ (115)

- Time to go home! Meet \_\_\_\_\_ (Mom, Dad or caregiver) outside. OR get on \_\_\_\_ bus.

Middle School is going to be pretty cool! I get to learn interesting things and meet lots of new people!