

## Middle School: A Few Of My Favorite Things

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Grade or Subject Area:	Middle School Science	Math. 7 & 8. Art	8th Grade ELA	7th ELA, Yearbook, Digital Media			7th and 8th grades
Birthday (Month/Day)	August	November 14	January 14th	04/01			07/15
Lotions?	I have plenty!	I have plenty!	I have plenty!	Ooo, love them!			I have plenty!
Candles?	No fire hazards, please.	Yes please!	Yes please!	Yes please!			No fire hazards, please.
Gift Cards?	Bring on the shopping!	Bring on the shopping!	Bring on the shopping!	Bring on the shopping!			Bring on the shopping!
Cash?	Show me the money!	Tacky or inappropriate	Show me the money!	Tacky or inappropriate			Show me the money!
Homemade gifts or treats?	How thoughtful!!	That's a NO from me!	How thoughtful!!	How thoughtful!!			How thoughtful!!
Cook at home or Call for take-out?	Call for Take-out	Cook at home	Call for Take-out	Call for Take-out			Call for Take-out
Watch a movie or Read a book?	Read a book	Watch a movie	Read a book	Watch a movie			Read a book
Gift for myself or Gift for my classroom?	Gift for my classroom		Gift for myself	Gift for my classroom			Gift for my classroom
DIY or Buy?	Buy and save the time!	DIY all the time!	Buy and save the time!	DIY all the time!			Buy and save the time!
Spend time alone or Spend time with others?	Spend time with others	Spend time with others	Spend time alone	Spend time alone			Spend time with others
Get a massage or Organize the garage or pantry?	Get a massage		Get a massage	Organize the garage or pantry			Get a massage
Flowers or Plants? [I prefer:]	Plants	Flowers	Plants	Plants			Flowers
Favorite Plants and/or Flowers:	succulents	Any	Succulents or any flower! I Love all plants!	Sunflowers, roses, succulents, snake plants			all flowers and plants
Candles or Essential Oils? [I'd pick:]	Oils #fancy	Candles #classic	#ALL.THE.SMELLS.	Oils #fancy			Oils #fancy
Favorite Scents and/or Smell:	all fruits and lavender	Fruity.	Lavender, Fall/Winter smells	Roses, musk, laundry			Lavender or Peppermint
Salty Snacks or Sweet Snacks? [I enjoy:]	Team Sweet	ALL.THE.SNACKS.	ALL.THE.SNACKS.	ALL.THE.SNACKS.			Team Salty
Favorite Salty and/or Sweet Snacks:	I like it all	Hershey kisses	Anything	Anything unhealthy!!! Chocolate!!!			flavored almonds
Healthy Treats or Indulgent Treats? [I would choose:]	ALL.THE.TREATS.	ALL.THE.TREATS.	ALL.THE.TREATS.	ALL.THE.TREATS.			Healthy treats
Favorite Healthy and/or Indulgent Treats:	No melon of any kind			Healthy makes me feel good, but so does indulgent! Any protein bites since I workout!			I just don't like sweets :)
Coffee or Tea? [I like to drink:]	Tea	Coffee	Coffee	Coffee			Tea

Drink Order or Favorite Drink(s):	fruit tea	Cappuccino	I do love tea but my Starbucks order is a black cold brew with sweet cream cold foam on top.	iced Dirty chai, salted caramel cold brew, iced white mocha, sweet black tea			Unsweetened green or black iced tea
Donuts or Bagels? [I like:]	ALL.OF.THEM.		ALL.OF.THEM.	Bagels			Bagels
Favorite kind of donuts or bagels:	any!		Dunkin and Einstein's	Plain with strawberry cream cheese/ everything bagel with plain or onion and chive cream cheese!			plain
Chocolate or Non-Chocolate Candy: [I usually gravitate towards:]	Chocolate	Chocolate	ALL.THE.CANDY.	Chocolate			Chocolate
Favorite Candy:	chocolate	Hershey kisses with almonds	Chocolate covered pretzels	Hershey's, toblerone, dove with caramel, Hershey toffee symphony!			Raisinettes
Fast-Casual or Sit-Down Restaurant? [I enjoy eating at:]	Fast-Casual Restaurant	Fast-Casual Restaurant	Sit-Down Restaurant	Sit-Down Restaurant			Fast-Casual Restaurant
Favorite Restaurant(s):	Any sushi or poke place	Blue Adobe	Postino's	Blu sushi, sushi brokers, tailgaters, Thai Basil, chick fil a			Flower Child
\$5 gift card:	starbucks	Starbucks	Starbucks	Starbucks			Starbucks
\$10 gift card:	starbucks	Starbucks	Einstein's	Chick fil a			Starbucks
\$20 gift card	target	Starbucks	Amazon	Target			Target
\$End.less gift card	amazon	Marshall's/TJ maxx. Homegoods	Target, I am happy with anything!	Target!!!			Amazon
My classroom theme or style is best described as:	rainbow	Busy	Coffee shop, plants and books!	Western, chill, neutrals with turquoise			Natural wood elements and green plants
Classroom supplies that I always NEED more of or seem to run out of:	STEM stuff- tape, paper, popsicle sticks, hot glue	Doing ok for now	Books	Sharpies, pencils			Expo markers and pre-sharpened pencils
Books I'd LOVE to have for my classroom:	non fiction books		<a href="https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/lz/10VUKWPEUVARG?ref_=wl_share">https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/lz/10VUKWPEUVARG?ref_=wl_share</a>	Horror books appropriate for middle school! Harry Potter books!			Hunger Games series
When I buy things for the classroom, I usually purchase them from:	amazon	Amazon	Amazon or Target	Target, Amazon, Home Depot			Amazon or Lakeshore
I have a para educator or student teacher who will be in my classroom and their name is:	I do not have one						

The best way(s) my room parent(s) can assist me this year is:	Helping with middle school events and t-shirts		We are still developing how this looks in middle school! The kids still love parties, class t-shirts, etc.	Fun activities, emotional support for this new teacher (me!), information on how to better teach their kids			
When I am not at school, I like to relax or spend my free time:	working out	Swimming, biking, reading	Yoga classes, hiking, shopping, spending time with my kids	Riding horses, on tik tok, singing			Hiking, reading, watching movies
Something I love learning about or want to learn more about:	anything		I am always open to any new experiences!	Motorsports			astronomy
I have the following allergies, dietary preferences or food dislikes:	none		None	I just hate cilantro			I don't like sweets :)
I do *NOT* need more of these things or I would *NOT* like receiving these things as gifts:	I do not know			Highlighters, sticky notes			
Favorite Color(s):	teal	Maroon	Pink and Purple	Maroon, turquoise			Blue
Favorite Sport or Team:	Chicago teams		Volleyball	Horseback riding			Phoenix Suns
Hobbies, collections or interests not yet mentioned:	none		Reading, arts and crafts, gardening, travel, anything outdoorsy	Singing, drama, drawing, painting, art, horseback riding			I love essential oils and crystals :)