

Items to Buy Before the Start of School Fifth Grade and Sixth Grade

Please label each item (including each pencil) using a permanent marker before the first day of school --underlined items are very important to have. All materials should come to school on the first day; however, underlined items MUST be here on the first day.

- A backpack or school bag
- Lunch box (paper bags are fine)
- A New King James or King James Bible.
- (1) 3 ringed binder (1/2 to 1 inch would be great) – these will be used as homework folders
- A package of folders for the binder (must be 3-hole punched to go into the rings)
- A DAILY Homework Assignment book (planner) with plenty of space to write homework in every day.

- A Pencil box
- A large supply of sharpened #2 pencils (wood, not mechanical). Have your child bring three on the first day of school, and have more available at home for replenishing as needed.
- Three packages of wide ruled loose leaf paper.
- A *plain pink* eraser—not white, no fancy shapes (cap erasers on the pencils are okay in addition to the pink eraser).
- A permanent, black, fine-point, Sharpie marker
- Two ball-point pens—one black and one red
- A highlighter, any color
- 2 Glue Sticks
- 1 Bottle of Elmer's glue
- A box 48 crayons
- A box of colored pencils (all sharpened) that includes a peach color.
- A small pair of scissors (safe for classroom)
- A mini pack of tissues (you may substitute a zip-lock snack bag with a folded pile of tissues)
- Two large boxes of tissues
- Two rolls of paper towels
- An interesting book to keep at school for spare-time reading at all times—the child's own book or a library book
- A small pencil sharpener, the manual twist kind with a container for shavings (so it doesn't have to be held over a trash can), with holes for regular pencils and color pencils.
- 300 3" X 5" index cards
- Graph paper

Items needed later in the school year:

- A compass that allows for use with a regular pencil
- A clear plastic protractor
- Replacement items (as they wear out, you will need to replace them).