

## **GRADE 6 SCHOOL SUPPLY INSTRUCTIONS**

Dear parents and grade six students,

I would like to welcome you and your child to the grade six classroom beginning August 29 at 8:30 a.m. It is going to be a very exciting year with so much to learn and explore!

The following is a list of school supplies and instructions to prepare for our first day of school together. To ensure that things run smoothly, it will be very important for parents to organize and label supplies as follows:

Duotangs	Write your child's name on each duotang/binder and label as follows:
Light Blue	Health (empty)
7 Green duotangs	Science (empty)
3 Orange duotangs	1 Novel Study (empty), 1 Reading Response (20 pieces of looseleaf), 1 left blank (empty)
1 Yellow duotang	Music (empty)
White	Math Problem Solving
1 " Red binder	Social Studies and French with 5 dividers
1" Blue binder	Language Arts with 4 dividers
2	Packages of 200 lined sheet of paper - hole punched
1	Tissue Box - do not label

Pencil Case/Box	Write your child's name on the pencil case/box and place the following labelled items inside:
3	40g glue stick
1 of each	One fine and one ultra fine sharpie black pen
10	HB pencils (Ticonderoga tri- write - please pre-sharpen at home)
2	White erasers – Staedtler
3	Packs of Post it Notes ( <b>square shaped</b> ) 3 by 3 yellow
2	Medium clear Ziploc bags which slide to open/close
1	Staedtler Pencil Sharpener with Lid - MUST have a lid
2	Red Pens
2	Blue Pens
2	highlighters
1	Solar powered basic calculator
1	Pencil Sharpener with lid

Large Ziploc Freezer Bag	Write your child's name on each item and place them in a Ziploc Freezer Bag:
Bag 1	EXPO fine tip whiteboard marker, scissors, pencil crayons (sharpened), oil pastels (can be used ones from last year) watercolour paints (can be used ones from last year), 2 post it notes, extra red pen, 16 pencils, 2 sharpies (fine and ultra fine), 2 glue sticks 40g, and scotch tape.
Bag 2	I pair of headphones/earbuds (required) and Wireless Mouse with fresh batteries (optional)

Individual Items	Write your child's name on each item and send them separately with everything listed above:
1	Blue file folder (legal size -8 ½" x 14" )- very important correct size
2	Medium Ziploc clear large bags which slide to open/close -DO NOT label

1	Non-spill refillable water bottle (no twist off lids)
2	White bristol board 22x28" (DO NOT bend or label with name) Please note, if you ordered through Write On Stationary your sheets get delivered to the classroom.
1	Clear Plastic Ruler (mm and cm)
1	Geometry Set (if you can, check to see if the <b>protractor</b> tool inside has <b>no holes-</b> easiest kind to use but not mandatory to have this kind)

I hope you have a wonderful summer break with plenty of time to visit family and friends, take advantage of the safe summer activities our city has to offer, and of course, curl up with a great book each day to keep those reading skills sharp. I can't wait to hear about the many great books you've read!

If you have any questions about the upcoming school year, check out SchoolZone and our website at <a href="windsorpark.epsb.ca">windsorpark.epsb.ca</a>. You will find our school handbook, upcoming events, contact information for the school, and much more.

Have a great summer!

Sincerely,

Stacie Arends Teacher, Grade Six