

McGuffey Back to School Supplies Fall 2010
Grades K/1/2

Many of the supplies we are asking for this year are NOT individual supplies, but rather contributions to maintain the community supply of materials used by all. Our requests are listed below in grade level groups. Unless indicated, community items do NOT need to be labeled, but will be stored in the classroom until we need them. Thank you for these supplies.

Community Items (Do not label):

Grades K/1/2:

- 1 pack of 8 count Crayola Washable Broadline Markers Classic Colors
- 1 pack 50 count Supertip Crayola Washable Markers
- 1 container of Clorox Green Works Natural Biodegradable Cleaning Wipes (only that brand)
- 1 gallon size box of freezer-weight Ziplocs
- 1 package pink pearl type erasers
- 1 package of 2 small glue sticks

Personal items – Please LABEL these items with your child’s name!

Kindergarten:

- A complete change of clothing including 2 pairs of underwear and socks in a plastic Ziploc bag. Please label each item AND the bag. Please change out the clothing when the seasons change!
- A lunchbox or bag labeled with the child’s name

Grades K/1/2:

- A handful of pencils with their names on them that is regularly replenished from a home stock.
- 1 composition book for science
- One simple pocket folder, no internal brads, labeled
- A backpack (see below)
- A lunchbox or bag labeled with the child’s name

SUPPLY NOTES for K/1/2 parents:

1. Students do *not* need personal supplies of markers, scissors, glue or colored pencils. As noted above, classroom necessities will be available to all students in each place they work, to be used and cared for by the group and replenished from the community supply.
2. Please do NOT send pencil boxes as they are too large for cubbies. Pencil pouches are OK. Students should always have a supply of about six pencils WITH THEIR NAMES ON THEM at school. If they have more, they tend to get lost.
3. Each K/1/2 student needs a backpack to bring back and forth to school each day. Backpacks should have closures that can be easily managed by the student and be large enough to hold a 9” x 12” folder, drawing, pouch, newsletter or book without destroying it. They need to hang from a hook in the locker room. We have found that those of relatively “soft” durable fabric and an “unstructured” design (with no cardboard supports or plastic bindings) work the best and can last several years. NO WHEELS PLEASE! Please label backpacks; inside is fine.
4. Each student brings a lunch in a lunchbox or bag. All lunchboxes and bags need to be labeled with the child’s name.
5. Please use a permanent marker to LABEL every single thing your child could possibly wear or bring to school. Please DO label all new, old, or handed-down clothing and clearly identify other things (books, shells, vacation souvenirs etc.) If the item comes to school in a Ziplock bag, please also label the bag!

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Grades 3/4/5 and 6/7/8

Community Items (Do not label):

Grades 3/4/5:

- 1 quart size box of freezer-weight Ziplocs
- 1 container of Clorox Green Works Natural Biodegradable Cleaning Wipes (only that brand)
- 1 package pink pearl type erasers

Grades 6/7/8:

- 1 gallon size box of Ziplocs
- 1 container of Clorox Green Works Natural Biodegradable Cleaning Wipes (only that brand)
- 1 package pencil top erasers

Personal items – Please LABEL these items with your child’s name!

3/4/5 Grade:

- Backpack or schoolbag – not big and no wheels
- A lunchbox or bag labeled with the child’s name
- 2 spiral bound 1-subject notebooks (LA, social studies)
- 2 simple pocket folders, no internal brads, labeled
- 2 composition notebooks (science, math)
- Markers (water-based)
- Colored pencils (20-24 pack for SS)
- One or two fine-line black markers (water based)
- Labeled pencils (will need to be replenished as needed)

6/7/8 Grade

- Backpack or schoolbag – not big and no wheels
- A lunchbox or bag labeled with the child’s name
- 4 spiral bound 1-subject notebooks (LA, science, social studies, math)
- 3 pocket folders (LA, science, social studies)
- 1 composition notebook for science
- Staples brand - reversible graph paper 3-hole notebook, perforated edges
- Markers (water-based)
- Colored pencils (20-24 pack for SS)
- One or two fine-line black markers (water based)
- Labeled pencils (will need to be replenished as needed)
- Erasers and pencil top erasers if bringing standard pencils

*****Required for 6/7/8: a scientific calculator (preferably solar and battery powered such as a Casio F-300 MS Plus, not a graphing one. Please contact Marcia if you have any questions. You must must must save the direction booklet!**

Supply Notes for 3/4/5/6/7/8 parents:

Backpacks: Please choose one large enough to accommodate daily belongings but not so large that it is unwieldy to carry and store at school. Large backpacks hold a lot but cause back problems. **PLEASE LABEL!**

Thanks for your help and cooperation!