



School Supply List for Grade Eight 2023-2024

Grade 8 families are responsible to supply the following:

- 1 2"-3" large binder (zipper optional)
- 1 set headphones (1/8" or 3.5 mm jack)
- 1 school bag
- 1 pencil case containing: blue/black pens, red pens, pencils, erasers, pencil sharpener

FRENCH

- 1 - 2 inch d-ring binder
- 1 highlighter
- set of 5 dividers, with write on, NOT plastic, tabs
- reinforcements
- 2 sharpened pencils to be kept in the French room (not labelled)
- 50 sheets looseleaf

ART

- Students will need to bring their own labeled art smock (long sleeved)
- 1 set of water colours – Prang or Crayola are preferred

PHYSICAL EDUCATION/HEALTH:

- 1 pair indoor running shoes – compulsory PLEASE NO DECK SHOES, CANVAS SHOES OR "FASHION"

RUNNERS

- 1 change of clothes (T-shirt and shorts) contained in a gym bag that can be closed (compulsory)
- 1 stick deodorant (to be kept in gym bag)
- 1 – 1" 3 ring binder with loose leaf (for Health)

BAND

- Chosen Instrument *Reed instrument players must supply their own reeds*
- Cleaning kit, pencil, 1/2" binder

Please bring a \$40.00 cheque payable to WMEMS on the first day of school for the following supplies, purchased by the teacher. These supplies will include:

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| ● glue | ● rulers | ● scribblers | ● looseleaf |
| ● highlighters | ● Post it notes | ● binder dividers | ● index cards |
| ● scissors | ● Duo tangs | ● markers | ● pencil crayons |
| ● facial tissue | ● whiteout tape | | |

Additional Information:

- We are continuing to encourage students to bring their sandwiches, drinks and desserts in reusable containers
- When shopping for school clothing, please be reminded that our school's code of conduct also refers to appropriate attire. We appreciate parental support in supplying children with suitable clothing for the school setting.



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Dear Parents,

June 30, 2023

We will be starting our school year by holding Start-Up. In preparation for this time to be most meaningful, please respond to each of the following questions and bring to your start up conference in the fall.

September 2023-24 Start-Up Conference Information
Grade 8 – Mr. Thiessen

This is a list of topics that we would like you to think about/discuss with your child prior to our first meeting:

1. What goals do you have for your child this coming year?
2. What are your child's strengths/weaknesses?
3. How do you learn best?
4. How organized is your child?
5. What motivates your child?
6. Who are your child's school friends?
7. What are your weekly evenings like?
8. What sort of extracurricular activities is your child involved in?
9. Which church do you attend?
10. What are you most looking forward to?

In addition to the previous information, the following is a list of topics that may be discussed:

1. Homework Expectations
2. Behavioural Expectations
3. Monthly Reading
4. RenWeb
5. Parent-Teacher Communication
6. Year End Exams