2021-2022 Supply List – FOURTH GRADE

Parents often wonder about what kinds of supplies they should buy for the school year. What follows is a suggested supply list that can be used as a guide for September school shopping. Make sure that your child’s name and grade are permanently marked on all supplies.

**Backpacks K-5:** Smaller backpacks are more advantageous for young students. A larger backpack encourages students to carry too much weight. Generally students K-2 only need room for a planner and folder. Grades 3-5 only need room for a few smaller books. **We discourage the use of wheeled backpacks.**

**Snacks K-5:** Students are given a small amount of time for snack each morning. We plan to continue this practice next year with the following parameters: Snacks must be small, easily opened, and nutritious (fruit, vegetables, crackers, pretzels, etc.). Soda is NOT permitted. Bagged juices are discouraged. No microwave facilities are available.

**Devices:** The South Brunswick Schools will continue its 1:1 use of personal device program when we return in September. Each student in grades 2 through 12 is to bring a district issued device or personal device to school for use each day, and the charger. If needed, you may borrow a district issued Chromebook by contacting the school. There is a $35 insurance fee to cover the costs of accidental damage. Students may also bring their personal device each day.

12 #2 Pencils (and a home supply, sharpened). No mechanical pencils, please.

7 Hard Marble Composition Notebooks. One for writing (approx. 200 pages) decorated and protected (preferred), word study, reading, math, social studies, science and Spanish.

1 Box colored pencils (12 ct or smaller)

1 Box fine tip markers (12 ct or smaller) absolutely no sharpies

1 Child safety scissors (labeled with name) 1 Package wide-ruled notebook paper for home

5 2-pocket folders (all labeled with name) in the following colors or MOSTLY that color: red, orange, purple blue, and either white or black.

2 2-Pocket folders in green (both labeled homework folder/name)

2 2-Pocket folders for Spanish and SAC

1 Zippered pencil bag

2 Glue sticks (marked with initials/name) 1 Pad of post-it notes 3x3 (only 1 please) 1 Highlighter (marked with initials/names)

1 Colored (no black) pen (marked with initials/names). Absolutely no sharpies.

1 Independent Reading Book: One you are about to start or you’re currently reading, but haven’t finished.

3 Fine Tip (smallest possible) Dry-Erase Markers

Sneakers for PE

1 Set of headphones/earbuds (for computer use). Please place in a Ziploc bag labeled with your child’s name in permanent marker.

*Families needing financial assistance should contact the principal or assistant principal directly for support.*