

A Few Parent Reminders

- **Online** pre-registration is **mandatory** for all students every year using the K12 Parent Portal.
- A **parent/guardian email address is required to complete the online process**. If your email address has changed update it with the school district by emailing ParentConnect@gpschools.org
- A reminder email will be sent to you from **GP REGISTRATION** to the email address on file with your Student's ID number, Parent Portal PIN and password. You will need to login to the K12 portal with the student ID and the Parent Portal password. **You will also need to update parent information and Emergency Contacts using the [MiStar Parent Portal](#)**. All instructions will be available in the K12 Portal.

Defer Elementary Recommended School Supplies for 2024-2025 School Year

Defer School students are provided many necessary school supplies and textbooks which are mandated by the Michigan Department of Education. The items below are suggested optional items that students may wish to purchase for their personal use and/or to contribute to classroom supplies.

Supplies for all Defer Dragons - gym shoes and an over-sized t-shirt or art smock

Please make sure that your child's first and last name is written clearly on the OUTSIDE of his/her lunchbox.

YOUNG FIVES

Supply pouches will be provided by Defer for students to store their personal supplies.

- 1 backpack (labeled, large enough to be used to carry folders, rest towel, library books, etc)
- Write your child's name in HUGE letters on the front of the Art shirt/smock.
- Velcro gym shoes are preferred
- Change of clothes - shirts, pants, socks, underwear, extra shoes (in case of accidents)
- Unspillable/Reusable water bottle
- 2 boxes of Crayola large primary color crayon - 8 count. Do not label
- 1 Crayola washable watercolor paints - 8 count
- 2 boxes of tissues
- 8 Elmer's glue sticks
- 2 - 4 oz. cans of Play Doh
- 1 - 4 oz. Elmer's glue
- 1 - 10 count washable thick markers
- 1 re-sealable tubs of hand/baby wipes. Do not label.
- One FAMILY photograph to go in our class photo album. Please write your child's name on the back.
- 1 child sized beach towel for rest time (please do not send in sleeping bags or oversized mats or blankets)

KINDERGARTEN

- Large backpack (clearly marked with child's name)
- 1 child sized beach towel for rest time. (Please do NOT send in sleeping bags or oversized mats or blankets).
- Velcro gym shoes are preferred
- Change of clothes -shirts, pants, socks, underwear, extra shoes (in case of accidents)
- Unspillable/reusable water bottle
- 4 boxes of Crayola crayons (24 count)
- 10 Extra Large Elmer's glue sticks. (Small ones get used up within a week. Keep a few extras at home for replacement during the year.)
- 1 pack of black dry erase markers - chisel tip- 4 count
- Headphones (no earbuds or bluetooth please)
- 1 pair child size scissors with blunt tip
- 2 boxes of kleenex
- 1 roll paper towel
- **FAMILIES WITH LAST NAME BEGINNING WITH A-M:** 1 gallon size box of Ziploc baggies and two containers of baby wipes
- **FAMILIES WITH LAST NAMES BEGINNING WITH N-Z** 1 sandwich size box of Ziploc baggies and 2 containers of bleach wipes

GRADE ONE

- 2 boxes of Twistable Crayons (24 colors)
- 1 pack of washable thick markers (10 colors)
- 2 black Sharpie markers - fine tip
- 8 black Expo dry erase markers - chisel tip
- 1 pair of 5 inch scissors - blunt tip
- 1 small plastic school supply box (no bigger than 8"x5")
- 8 Elmer's Glue sticks
- 3 boxes of tissue
- 1 roll of paper towel
- 1 set of headphones to be left at school
- 1 change of clothes to be left at school (shirt, pants, socks, and underwear)
- **FAMILIES WITH LAST NAME BEGINNING WITH A-M** 1 box of freezer gallon size bags
- **FAMILIES WITH LAST NAME BEGINNING WITH N-Z** 1 box of quart size bags

GRADE TWO

- 1 box of colored pencils - 12 count
- 2 black Sharpie markers
- 8 Elmer's glue sticks .21 oz washable stick purple
- 24 count - #2 pencils Ticonderoga pencils (sharpened) - no mechanical pencils
- 1 binder (1 inch) white
- 2 boxes of tissues
- 4 dry erase markers (any color)
- 1 set of headphones
- Crayola crayons (24 count)
- 4 highlighters
- 1 package of 3" x 3" post it notes - any color
- 1 pair of scissors - 5" blunt tip
- 1 box of markers (Crayola Classic, 8 count)
- plastic pencil box
- 1 roll of paper towels
- 1 box of Ziploc sandwich size bags
- 2 containers of Clorox wipes

GRADE THREE

- 1 zippered-cloth pencil holder
- 2 pocket folders
- One -1 inch white binder with side pockets
- 24 count - #2 ticonderoga pencils (not mechanical)
- 2 large erasers
- 4 glue sticks- Elmer's purple .77 ounce
- 1 pair of kid scissors 5" - blunt tip
- 4 highlighters different colors
- One - 12 inch ruler (inches and cm.)
- 2- spiral noteboosk wide width 70 count
- 1 package of 3 by 3 sticky notes
- 1 composition notebook
- 1 Sharpie black marker - thin tip
- 1 box crayons 24 pack
- 1 box of markers 8 count thick
- 1 box of black fine point expo markers pk. of 4
- 1 set of headphones
- 2 containers of antibacterial wipes
- 2 boxes of tissue
- 1 box Ziploc quart bags
- 2 rolls of paper towels

GRADE FOUR

- 4 large glue sticks
- 2 dozen #2 Ticonderoga Pencils (non-mechanical)
- 1 box of crayons (12-24 count)
- 1 box of markers - Thick (8 count)
- 1 box of colored pencils (12-24 count)
- 4 highlighters
- One 1-inch clearview binder with pockets (w/round rings)
- 1 large supply pouch/or box
- 2 folders with pockets
- 1 package of 3"x3" Post-it-Notes (plain)
- 1 pair of 5" scissors
- 1 pack - eraser caps - 6 count
- 1 set of headphones
- 2 boxes of tissues
- 1 roll of paper towel
- 1 container of Clorox wipes

MAGNET 3/4

- 2 dozen #2 Ticonderoga pencils sharpened (non-mechanical)
- 1 box of crayons 24 count-labeled with name
- 1 plastic school supply box- labeled with name
- 1 pack of markers - 8 count - labeled with name
- 2 glue sticks
- 1 pair of scissors - 5"
- 2 highlighters
- 1 set of headphones - labeled with name
- 2 composition notebooks - wide ruled - black marble - 100 ct
- 1 pack of eraser caps or 2 large erasers
- 1 Binder - Durable - clearview - 1 inch - any color - labeled with name
- 2 red pens
- 1 package of 3" x 3" post it notes
- 2 spiral notebooks (wide ruled)-labeled with name
- 1 ruler - inches and centimeters-labeled with name
- 2 pens - flair - black
- 6 folders with pockets (red, yellow, green, blue, orange, and black)-labeled with name
- 1 pack of colored pencils - 12 count - labeled with name
- 2 boxes of tissue
- 1 paper towel