

### 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](mailto: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 2025-2026 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 oversized 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.**

- 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
- Unspillable/reusable water bottle
- Art shirt/smock labe with student's name
- 4 boxes of Crayola crayons (24 count)
- 3 Elmer's glue sticks
- 2 - 4 oz. cans of Play Doh
- 1 - 10 count washable thick markers
- Expo 4pk Dry Erase Markers chisel Tip Multicolored
- 2-3 boxes of tissues
- 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

#### 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
- 2-3 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 regular colors)
- 1 pack of washable thick markers (10 classic colors)
- 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", **plastic only please**)
- 8 Elmer's Glue sticks
- 3-4 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)
- 1 pair of tennis shoes to be left at school (only laces if your child can tie)
- **FAMILIES WITH LAST NAME BEGINNING WITH A-M** baby wipes
- **FAMILIES WITH LAST NAME BEGINNING WITH N-Z** Clorox Wipes

### GRADE TWO

- 1 plastic pencil box
- 1 box of crayons (24 count)
- 1 box of colored pencils (12 count)
- 1 box of markers (Crayola Classic, 8 count)
- 1 box of fine tip markers (Crayola Fine Line, 8 count)
- 24 count - #2 pencils Ticonderoga pencils (sharpened) - no mechanical pencils
- 2 black Sharpie markers
- 1 pack of black dry erase markers- chisel tip (4 count)
- 2 Elmer's glue sticks .21 oz washable stick purple
- 1 pair of scissors - 5" blunt tip
- 1 package of 3" x 3" post it notes - any color
- 1 set of headphones
- 2-3 boxes of tissues
- 1 roll of paper towels
- 2 containers of Clorox wipes
- **FAMILIES WITH LAST NAME BEGINNING WITH A-M:** 1 gallon size box of Ziploc baggies
- **FAMILIES WITH LAST NAMES BEGINNING WITH N-Z** 1 sandwich size box of Ziploc baggies

### 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.)
- 1- spiral notebooks 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
- 2 boxes of black fine point expo markers pk. of 4
- 1 set of headphones
- 2 containers of antibacterial wipes
- 2-3 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
- 2-3 boxes of tissues
- 2 rolls of paper towel
- 2 containers of Clorox wipes
- 1 box of quart size ziplock bags

#### **MAGNET 3/4**

- 2 dozen #2 Ticonderoga pencils sharpened (non-mechanical)
- 1 box of crayons (12- 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
- 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
- 2-3 boxes of tissue
- 1 paper towel
- 1 container of Clorox wipes