



Spruce Ridge Community School

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BACK TO SCHOOL!

Your Spruce Ridge team is so very excited to return to school in person and to welcome the students into the building! The Wolfpack will be back together again! School supplies is often a question that is asked at this time of year, and you may be wondering what to send to school with your child. We continue to follow COVID protocols (more information will be coming early next week), and we continue to recommend a minimum of material going back and forth between home.

Items that all students need on a daily basis:

- Lunch bag
- Water Bottle (please wash regularly at home with warm, soapy water)
- Backpack
- Face Mask (optional for Kindergarten students)
- Extra Face Mask (if possible)
- Bag to store soiled masks (not lunch bag please)
- Appropriate outerwear for the weather (rain, snow, temperature) everyday rain, shine or snow!
- Kindergarten: change of clothes, extra socks and extra mitts in winter
- Indoor shoes appropriate for participating in physical education
- Outdoor shoes appropriate for participating in outdoor physical activity

If support is needed for any of these items, please reach out (christy_love@bwdsb.on.ca)

We will provide what your child needs for learning but recognize that many of you would like to send your children in with their own tools. ***This is optional!*** These are some items you might consider:

- Pencils
- eraser
- Crayons or colouring pencils
- Markers (please not for Kindergarten)
- Scissors
- Glue stick
- Rulers
- Highlighters
- Headphones/earbuds

It is helpful for Junior/Intermediate students to have their own calculator, ruler, binder, highlighters and headphones or earbuds. However, we will provide these to those who do not have their own.

Specific information about the first day of school, school routines, etc. will be sent out early next week. To receive school emails, parents/guardians have to share their email address with the school office. Paperwork is sent home with students during the first week of school. Please take this opportunity to

ensure that your contact information, including your email address(es) are current. Once this information is in the system, parents/guardians can register with School Messenger (if you have not done so previously). Check out the School Messenger quick link at <https://spr.bwdsb.on.ca/> for information and to register. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the school office – we're happy to help!

Sincerely,

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