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# ÉCOLE RIVERDALE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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We hope you all stayed healthy and well this Summer!

As parents are beginning to plan and organize for the start of the new school year, many are wondering what to do about school supplies for their student. At this time, we wanted to provide options when it comes to purchasing school supplies that offer convenience, or a more cost effective option for our parents.

### **Creative Packs**

Ordering Creative Packs school supplies packs is a quick, convenient way for many parents to take care of getting all required school supplies in one easy step. We would like to remind parents, **this is a choice**, and as a school, we are providing you this option out of convenience to you, and there is no obligation to choose this option. Your student school supply packs can be ordered ONLINE @ <https://creativepacks.ca/collections/packs/ecole-riverdale-elementary+>

### **Supplementing School Supplies**

Many times at the end of the school year, your student arrives home on the last day of school with what seems all their supplies they were sent with on the first day of school. As a more cost effective choice, you can find our list of required school supplies posted on the Riverdale website. Take a moment to sift through the supplies from last year, and “top up” the items that are missing from your supplies at home using the list on our website.

We want to ensure parents know we are aware the pandemic has brought challenging times for many. At this time, we are asking parents to only send the bare essential school supplies until your student’s class is set.

***For health and safety reasons, please label your student’s supplies and remind them they are not to share supplies with any other student in their class.***

### **Bare Essential School Supplies for Grades 1 - 7**

- Pencil box
- 2 or 3 sharpened pencils
- 1 eraser
- Assortment of a few pencil crayons for intermediate students / crayons for primary students
- Assortment of a few markers
- Glue stick
- Lined paper and binder or duotang for intermediate students
- Interlined exercise book for primary students
- A book for silent reading (optional)

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***Learning, caring and doing our best... Apprendre, s’entendre et faire de son mieux.***