



# BRIDGEVIEW ELEMENTARY

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Dear Bridgeview families,

Each school year, parents support their child(ren)'s formal learning experiences in a wide variety of ways. We appreciate all that you do to ensure a successful year!

We will be providing an itemized school supply list based on grade by the end of this school year. If you are not able to purchase school supplies, we have a limited number of backpacks provided by generous donors that contain basic supplies. Please do not hesitate to contact the school if you require this assistance. Kindergarten school supply fees will not exceed \$45, and fees for Grade 1 - 7 will not exceed \$60. School Supply Fees for 2021-2022 may change due to circumstances in schools as a result of Covid-19.

In addition to providing the school supplies itemized on a grade list, parents are periodically asked for monies to cover specific items and/or special events. No student will be denied the opportunity to participate in any school activity due to the inability to pay. Please contact the Principal should you require any financial assistance.

As we plan for the upcoming school year, we anticipate the following costs:

**Student Planner:** Intermediate students in Grade 4-7 are encouraged to purchase a School Planner at a cost of \$4.00. If your child is in Primary Grade K-3, your teacher MAY wish to have students purchase a planner. You will be advised by your teacher. Included in the planner is our school code of conduct, school calendar and school district information. We find this to be an excellent tool for facilitating home/school communication, as well as for developing our students' organizational skills. However, using our school planner is optional as a parent may purchase their own version.

**Field Studies and Field Trips:** Classes often enjoy educational visits to community facilities which extend and enhance the curriculum. While we use school monies or fundraise to cover the costs of such activities wherever possible, there are times when parents are asked to contribute towards the cost of the trip. If you choose to have your child not participate in a field study, a suitable program will be provided at the school.

**Musical Instruments:** Grade 7 students at Bridgeview always enjoy a band program! Families may either purchase or rent an instrument, and costs vary depending on the instrument your child chooses. As with all our other activities and programs, should you need assistance in providing an instrument for your child, please do not hesitate to speak with either the band teacher or contact the Principal.

Please do not hesitate to contact the school if you have any questions.

Yours truly,

Ms. D. Ellis  
Principal, Bridgeview Elementary School