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Dear Parent / Carer,

Equipment

Thank you for your support this year in sending your children to school organised and with the correct equipment. As teachers, we recognise the difference it makes when our pupils arrive ready to learn. It means our lessons can begin promptly and learning is not interrupted. As you will be aware, we have a list of essential equipment which pupils are expected to bring to every lesson. There is also copy of this list in their journals.

Please find below the essential equipment list for next academic year, so that you have plenty of time to stock up over the summer holidays. We also have a stationery shop during breaktime, so pupils can purchase items if they run out.

Readiness for Learning: Equipment

Here is a list of the equipment you **must** bring to **every** lesson:

- Journal
- Black or blue pen
- Green pen
- Pencil, ruler, rubber
- Whiteboard pen
- Calculator – Casio fx-85GT PLUS
- Exercise books and textbooks required for your lessons each day

Subject-specific **essential** equipment:

- PE kit
- Reading book (for English and Library lessons)
- Black fine line pen (for GCSE Design & Technology)
- Apron (for GCSE Food Technology)
- A pair of compasses and a protractor (for Maths lessons)

Here are some optional items you may also find useful:

- Whiteboard
- Highlighter
- Glue stick
- Mechanical Pencil (for Design & Technology)
- Black fine line pen (for KS3 Design & Technology)

If your child is in receipt of free school meals, we may be able to provide some support in purchasing this equipment. Please make contact with your child's progress tutor in the first instance.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs C Walmsley
Vice Principal

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