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Dear Parents and Guardians:

RE: EGM GRADES 6, 7 and 8 SCHOOL SUPPLIES 2023-24

The Louis Riel School Division (LRSD) provides a Standardized School Supplies program. This program assists families by providing most of the required school supplies for the classroom for an **annual fee of \$40.00 per student**. This fee will be collected in the Fall when school starts for the year.

The program benefits families by reducing shopping time and costs, provides high quality supplies to all students, and considers sustainable procurement practices. The LRSD is able to purchase supplies in bulk through negotiated preferential tendered pricing that is passed along to parents as reflected in the fee. Any recyclable items remaining at the end of a school year are held by the school and repurposed the following school year to further benefit students and keep fees low.

The School Supply Fee is not intended to cover the following:

- Non-consumable supplies, such as non-marking shoes for Physical Education class.
- Lunch Supervision Fees.
- Student Fees for activities including field trips and special projects.

Please see the “Supply List” on the reverse side of this sheet. The classroom supplies will be provided to students as required throughout the year. Any additional classroom supplies required will be provided by the school at no additional cost to you.

Please take note of the list indicating the supplies that parents are required to provide at the beginning of the school year.

If you have any questions related to this initiative, please call us at (204) 253-1492.

Sincerely,

Nicole Maynard
Principal

Patrice Chartrand
Vice-principal

THESE ITEMS ARE PROVIDED BY THE SCHOOL
PLEASE DO NOT PURCHASE!

pencils, pencil crayons, coloured markers, Sharpies, highlighters

red pens, blue pens, white glue, glue sticks, erasers, scissors, rulers, 1" binders,

duo tangs, loose-leaf, loose-leaf dividers, exercise books, graph paper pad, index cards

PLEASE PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING ITEMS:

For Physical Education:

- 1 pair of indoor runners (non-marking soles, no skater shoes)
- 1 pair of shorts
- 1 t-shirt, 1 pair of socks
- 1 deodorant

Other supplies:

- 1 backpack
- 1 zippered cloth binder, 3 inches
- 1 agenda, either a paper booklet or an online app
- 1 reusable water bottle
- 1 calculator, with exponents and square root
- 1 pair of corded audio jack earbuds (*not USB or lightning connection*)
- 1 combination lock
- 1 pencil box or case
- 2 boxes of Kleenex
- 1 Bescherelle l'art de conjuguer

School fees are due September 7, 2023 and can be paid using the online payment process in the Parent Portal/fees and billing.

Alternatively, you may send one cheque for the total amount due, payable to École George-McDowell. Fee balances will be available on the parent portal as of September 1/23.