

## GEORGE GREENAWAY ELEMENTARY

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Dear Parents/Guardians of George Greenaway Students,

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! 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 Mrs. Copeland should you require any financial assistance.

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

<u>Student Planner:</u> We encourage all students in Grades 1-7 to have a communication method between home and school. In September, your child's teacher will inform you of the method they will use. If they choose a school planner, the cost is \$5.00 and this includes our school code of conduct, school calendar and school district information. This information will be shared with all students in September regardless of whether they purchase a planner or not.

<u>Field Studies and Field Trips:</u> 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.

<u>Musical Instruments:</u> Our Grade 7 students who opt for/take band either purchase or rent an instrument. Costs vary depending on the instrument.

<u>Grade 7 Hoodies:</u> Grade 7 students can order hoodies during their last year at elementary school. This year, the cost of a hoodie was \$30.

<u>School Supplies:</u> Parents have the option of purchasing their child's school supplies on their own utilizing the grade supply list or for your convenience you may wish to purchase supplies as a package through EduPac. Payment is made directly to EduPac. Costs for supplies vary based on grade and will not exceed \$60.

<u>Kindergarten Supplies</u>: Our Kindergarten teachers will be ordering the supplies for our new K students and the individual supplies will be distributed once students are placed in classes. The cost for K supplies will be \$40. School Supply Fees for 2021-2022 may change due to circumstances in schools as a result of Covid-19. We are looking forward to another great year at Greenaway and are looking forward to welcoming your child back in 2021-2022 year.

Sincerely,

Becky Copeland Principal – George Greenaway Elementary