

Young 5's Supply List

We have a ton of fun in Young Fives! There is a lot of opportunity for growth in motor, social, and emotional skills. Our play-based math curriculum, Bridges in Mathematics, will keep your child active and engaged. Zoo phonics and Heggerty empower readers with phonemic awareness while Tara West Literacy and Handwriting Without Tears complete our English language curriculum. We also use themes to guide our learning and discover more about our world.

Exciting Opportunities

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A Standard of Excellence

The Young 5's and Kindergarten team is very focused on making sure your child meets all of their educational objectives. We take pride in giving every student the best educational experience and we do this by teaching the students at their own individual level. We work closely with one another to make sure that we are sharing our strengths and weaknesses as a team.

Each Student Needs:

- Full Size Backpack
- Outdoor apparel for each season
- Water Bottle – Please label with your student's name
- Tennis shoes for Gym – you may want to keep a pair at school (please label)
- Rest Bag – small blanket and small stuffed animal
- Change of clothes – shirt, pants, socks, underwear

Class Donations:

- Paper towel rolls
- Kleenex tissues
- Play Dough
- Clorox Wipes
- 5T underwear, socks, pants
- Baby Wipes



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Kindergarten Supply List

In kindergarten we learn about a lot of topics! Some highlights are animals, maps, globes, timelines, community helpers, the five senses, and needs and wants! We will also learn all about letters, letter sounds, how to read, count orally 1-20, write numerals 1-20, and solve addition and subtraction math stories.

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Each Student Needs:

Regular-sized backpack

1 Plastic 2 Pocket Folder – please label with first and last name on the front of the folder (top, right corner).

1 pair of tennis shoes for PE classes

Water bottle – please label with your child's name

Each student needs to have a change of clothes and underwear in their backpack in case of accidental emergencies.

Class Donations:

Kleenex tissue

Paper towel

Lysol Wipes

Crayola Crayons – 24 pack

Glue Sticks



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1st Grade Supply List

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Field Trips

Our class has the privilege of participating in 2 field trips each year. These field trips not only enhance the memories of first grade, they also build on the standards we teach at school! Our fall field trip is to Post Family Farm and our Spring trip is to John Ball Zoo. You will receive more details as the date approaches.

Every Student Needs

Water Bottle – Please label with student's name

Backpack

Tennis shoes for Gym – you may keep a pair at school (please label)

Every student needs to bring their own daily snack

Class Donations

Kleenex

paper towel

Clorox Wipes

Donations of candy/prizes for incentive bins

The teacher will provide a Friday folder, pencils, crayons, glue sticks, erasers, scissors



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2nd Grade Supply List

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Every Student Needs:

Tennis shoes for Gym – you may keep a pair at school – please label

Backpack

Water Bottle – please label with your student's name

Optional Items:

Crayons

Scissors

Cap Erasers

Pencils

Glue Sticks

Notebook

Pencil Box

Class Donations:

Kleenex

Extra Snacks

Sandwich Bags

Spoons

Paper Towels



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3rd Grade Supply List

Third grade is full of fun! We read wonderful stories from our Real Aloud and Shared Reading Program. We read both fiction and nonfiction texts so we are entertained and learn many new things along the way. Our math program is called Bridges in Mathematics. It will focus on multiplication, data and graphing, fractions, geometry, addition and subtraction, and problem solving. In science we will be learning about motion and forces, weather, animal adaptations and survival, fossils, and plants. Our focus for social studies is all things Michigan; its history, economics, and government. Possible field trips for this year could include: Lansing, John Ball Zoo, the Blanford Nature Center, DeGraaf Nature Center, and/or Woldumar Nature Association.

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Every Student Needs:

- Pair of gym shoes
- 3 Wide Ruled Notebooks (100 sheet)
- 2 Plastic Pocket Folders (any color)
- Crayola 10 Pack Markers
- Colored Pencils
- Scissors
- Reusable water bottle labeled with name

Class Donations:

- Pack of Disinfectant Wipes
- Bottle of Hand Sanitizer
- Paper Towel
- Wide Ruled Paper
- Pencils



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4th Grade Supply List

We have a lot of fun in fourth grade! Throughout the year, students participate in engaging learning experiences, hands-on projects, team-building activities, and exciting opportunities both inside and outside the classroom. One of the highlights of the year is our fabulous end-of-year field trip, which students and teachers look forward to all year long. Fourth grade is filled with opportunities for students to learn, grow, build friendships, and create lasting memories.

Exciting Opportunities

As a School of Choice, Knapp Charter Academy is committed to helping every student achieve true grade level proficiency through our Placement Model. We believe students learn best when they are given the time, support, and instruction needed to master essential skills. Through high expectations, individualized supports, and strong partnerships with families, we work to ensure every student is prepared for future academic success.

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Every Student Needs:

- Tennis shoes for Gym – you may keep a pair at school – please label
- Backpack
- Water Bottle – please label with your student's name
- 5 solid color folders: one red, blue, yellow, green, and orange
- Moral Focus – 1 two pocket folder any color/design

Optional Items:

- 1 box of sharpened pencils
- Coloring Utensils (markers, colored pencils, crayons)
- Scissors
- Glue Sticks

Class Donations:

- Kleenex
- Paper Towel
- Peanut-free snacks
- Lysol Wipes



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5th Grade Supply List

In 5th grade we use different management tools to encourage positive behavior both inside and outside of the classroom. Students will be given the opportunity to earn Knight's Tickets.

These tickets can be earned when students are making safe, respectful, responsible, and kind choices in our classroom and school community.

In fifth grade we get to take a few exciting field trips! We have the opportunity to travel to Charlton Park and the GVSU Annis Water Resources Institute. As 5th graders in Grand Rapids we also get to participate in the *One Book, One City for Kids* where students all around the city get a book and the opportunity to visit the GRPL library and meet an author.

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Every Student Needs:

- Backpack
- 1 inch binder – 1
- 1 ½ or 2 inch binder – 1
- 4-pack of dividers - 1
- 1 Composition Notebook
- 4 Packs of lined paper
- 1 pack of grid paper
- 4 Pack of Toilet Paper - 2
- 1 – 10 pack of black or blue pens
- 1 Spiral Notebook
- Water Bottle with a spill proof lid
- Personal Headphones – labeled

Class Donations:

- Tissues
- Paper Towel
- 1 Package of wide ruled lined paper
- Deodorant
- Pencils
- Hand Sanitizer



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Middle School Supply List (Grades 6-8)

Reusable Water bottle (for your student)

All Math:

3 Ring Binder – 1 inch with dividers

All ELA:

Loose Leaf Paper

Pens and Pencils

3 Ring Binder – 1 inch with dividers

All Science:

1 Composition Notebook or Spiral Notebook

Folder

Pencils

All Social Studies:

Loose Leaf Paper

1 Notebook

2 Pocket Folder

Below are materials that are optional:

Pencils

4 Function Calculator

Scissors

Colored Pencils/Markers/Crayons

Teacher Wish List

Kleenex

Clorox Wipes

Paper Towel



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