

Mr Singer

Start Up Supplies (Stationery List)

<u>Year 7/8</u>

- _____ 3 x 1B5 Book
- ____ 1 x 1E5 Math Book
- ____1 x Earbuds or headphones

The following items are kept as classroom sharing items so do not need to be named.

- ____1 x Ruler
- ____1 x Red pen
- ____ 5 x Blue pen
- ____1 x Green pen
- ____1 x Eraser
- ____ 2 x Gluestick LARGE
- ____ 1 pkt Pencils (pack of 10 pencils <u>good</u> quality)
- ____ 1 pkt Coloured pencils
- ____ 1 x Packet of felts
- ____ 3 x Black sharpies
- ____ 1 x Ream of paper per

If you are purchasing your stationery this year from The Warehouse Stationery please mention Manakau School's name to help us receive "Support Your School Points".

Chromebooks from Year 4 would be an advantage for your child. We do have a limited supply to ensure access as required for learning.

NB: if your child has any stationery from this year they can continue to use it next year if appropriate.

Donation Information attached

School Donations for 2024

Over the past few years the Board have opted into the Government's School Donation Scheme, this will continue in 2024. The donations scheme is designed to ease pressure and expectations on families to pay donations even though they are voluntary.

Mathletics and Lexia Literacy Programme

This term students in Years 3-8 trialled a literacy programme called 'Lexia'. We have seen some excellent results for our learners in the areas of grammar, spelling and comprehension. Mathletics has been used in our school for many years to compliment specific teaching.

Both of these programmes are able to be accessed from home. They provide a link to the classroom learning and you can see first-hand what your child is working on.

These programmes are not free, however the team and I see advantages for continuing to provide access for our children.

This year we are asking for your support to ease the subscription costs. It will really help our budgeting. This is not compulsory! \$5/ term (\$20) which can be paid at the beginning of the year, or termly. It really is a case of every little bit helps.