



# GOOD COUNSEL PRIMARY SCHOOL

*Seek, Learn and Serve*

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Dear Parents & Carers of Year 1 to 6 students,

Please find attached a **copy** of your child's booklist for 2019.

Please note copies of our booklists have been given to all local newsagencies.

If you are planning on being away for some time over the holiday period it is wise to place your order with the newsagency prior to leaving so that it can be organised whilst you are away – ensuring that your child starts the year with **ALL** the equipment they require, as often the newsagencies will run out of particular texts which may take a few weeks, into the school year, to arrive.

When purchasing, labelling and organising your child's equipment please consider the following as it helps your child with **positive self-esteem and organisation; two extremely important qualities for optimum learning.**

1. Clearly label all items with your child's first name and initial of surname – in case there are other children in the class with the same – this includes **each** pencil, pen, sharpener, rubber etc.
2. **Cover all text books in clear contact** – so that when a teacher holds up the book to show students what to take out of their desks, they will be able to easily find it.
3. **Check off the list with your child** prior to them coming to school.
4. **If there are items which you haven't been able to purchase for the first day of school please provide your child's class teacher with a list on the first day of school.**
5. Please note that there are many items on the booklist which your child will, if they look after them, be able to use across many years of their school life.
6. **All exercise books are to be "Writer Premium" with margins down the left hand side, which can be purchased at Larsens Newsagency. These books are a better quality which will support your child in their neatness and organisation which consequently leads to a positive self-belief and greater confidence.**
7. **Involving your child in the packing of their school bag is vitally important** so that they know the items they have, the items that they still need to get and when their teacher instructs them to locate an item they are more knowledgeable about its whereabouts. This can alleviate many tears on the first day of school.
8. **Backpacks/School Bags** – please make sure your child's backpack is large enough to fit **ALL** the following items at the same time: homework folder, hat, jumper, lunchbox. **Even if they are little, they need a large school bag.**

Thank you for your co-operation in the above organisational points. We look forward to a wonderful year of working with you, to support and educate your child in a happy and safe environment.

Regards

Mr Liam Kenny  
Principal



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- **PLEASE ENSURE THAT ALL ITEMS ARE CLEARLY LABELLED WITH YOUR CHILD'S NAME**
- **COVER ALL TEXT BOOKS IN CLEAR CONTACT ONLY.**

**ITEMS TO BE PURCHASED FROM THE SCHOOL TUCKSHOP (including Uniforms)**

**Tuckshop will be open 21st, 23rd, 25th January, 2019, 9am – 2pm**

QUANTITY	ITEM – Must be purchased from the school tuckshop	TICK
2	Waterproof Bags – 1 for homework, 1 for library	
1	Chair bag	

**TEXT BOOKS**

QUANTITY	ITEM	TICK
1	Oxford Maths 6 for Australian Schools – <b>Brian Murray</b>	
1	Go Maths ACE Mentals Workbook <b>Year 6</b>	
1	Spelling Rules 6 – <b>Second Edition</b> – Helen Pearson and Janelle Ho	
1	Heinemann Australian Dictionary <b>4th Ed or later</b>	
1	Essential Facts and Tables – RIC Publications – <b>may have this from last year</b>	
1	Grapheme Word Chart - THRASS - <b>T 105 – last year's can be used</b>	

**STATIONERY**

QUANTITY	ITEM	TICK
1	Student Diary	
1	Head phones - <b>OVER EAR</b> – good quality – <b>not In Ear headphones</b>	
1	USB & lanyard – <b>last year's can be used</b>	
1	Kent math set (must include clear protractor and compass)	
4	A4 Display Folders	
1	Plastic Velcro Slim pick Wallet	
20	Plastic sleeves	
12	<b>96 page A4 Writer Premium</b> exercise books – blue lines, red margin if possible	
1	<b>Small</b> pencil case	
1pk	12 pack (no more) coloured pencils – <b>good quality</b>	
1pk	12 pack (no more) textas – <b>good quality</b>	
1 x pkt of 4	OSMER Whiteboard Medium BLUE Bullet Point Markers (OS502) – for student use only	
2	Black Artline pens fine 0.4 - <b>individually labelled</b>	
1	Sharpie fine point permanent marker - black- <b>individually labelled</b>	
2	Rubbers – <b>white only- individually labelled</b>	
1 <b>NEW</b>	Wooden ruler – narrow – <b>marked in cm &amp; mm – no plastic, floppy or metal rulers</b>	
1	Sharpener with cover – <b>good quality</b>	
1 pair	Scissors	
2	Glue sticks – <b>good quality – Large – UHU or Bostik</b>	
6	Staedtler HB lead pencils - <b>individually labelled</b>	
2	Red pens- <b>individually labelled</b>	
2	Blue pens- <b>individually labelled</b>	
1	Calculator – <b>Sharp EL240 SAB - no gimmicky calculators</b>	
4	Highlighters – <b>Blue, Orange, Green and Yellow only</b>	
1	C line clipboard (clipboard with front cover)	
2	Box of tissues – <b>Large</b>	
1	Art Shirt – old adult t-shirt is ideal	

**New Students Only – for The Arts**

1	Music Book (9x7 Ruled/Staved 96page)	
1	A4 Visual Art Diary	