

## Grade 9 Supply Lists

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All incoming Grade 9 students will take foundational, year-long courses in English, history, and science, and supplies in the math department are the same regardless of level. Supply lists for those courses are collected here for Grade 9 students and families. **Language courses vary, so families should also find the supply list for their child's language of study in this document.** All other supply lists are organized by department in this document.

### English 9

- Marble composition book for journaling & note-taking (college-ruled)
- Binder to keep handouts
- Pens/pencils/highlighters
- Post-it notes or note cards for annotation/note-taking
- Purchase texts listed on course syllabus
- 1 box of tissues (Please give to English teacher on first day of class)

### Environmental Science Supply List

- 1 box of tissues
- 3-ring, 1-subject binder with lined paper
- Clipboard
- Pencil case containing a highlighter; scissors; glue stick; pencil and eraser; blue, black, and red pen; colored pencils; metric ruler; calculator (can use the calculator required for math class)
  - Supply kits with these items & pencil refills will be available for purchase for \$10 in KH2
- Optional: personal laptop is not required but highly recommended

### Upper School Math

- TI-83 or TI-84 graphing calculator. Please note that phones are not accepted as equivalents for calculators during classroom instruction.
- One 3-inch, 3-ring binder
- Notebook or loose-leaf paper
- Pens or pencils

### World History 9 Supply List

- 1- or 1.5-inch binder for class notes, handouts, and homework, and more.
  - These will be kept in the classroom, and frequent binder checks will ensure proper organization. A folder will not be enough to hold all of our course materials.
- 8-10 dividers for our eight units. These can go in the binder, and we'll label them together.
- Loose-leaf paper for note-taking/activities
- Blue/black pens or pencils and highlighters for notetaking

## **Upper School English**

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### **AP English Literature & Composition**

- 2", 3-ring binder w/ 8 dividers & lined paper (Label Dividers: Summer Work, Frankenstein, Hamlet, Gatsby, Beloved, Poetry, Novellas & Excerpts, Exam Prep)
- Pens/pencils/highlighters
- Post-it notes for annotation/note-taking
- Purchase texts listed on course syllabus
- 1 box of tissues (Please give to AP English teacher on first day of class)

### **English 9**

- Marble composition book for journaling & note-taking (college-ruled)
- Binder to keep handouts
- Pens/pencils/highlighters
- Post-it notes or note cards for annotation/note-taking
- Purchase texts listed on course syllabus
- 1 box of tissues (Please give to English teacher on first day of class)

### **US English Electives, Grades 10 through 12 (not AP)**

- Folder w/ prongs and pockets
- Marble composition book for journaling & note-taking (college-ruled)
- Pens/pencils/highlighters
- Post-it notes for annotation/note-taking
- Purchase texts listed on course syllabus
- 1 box of tissues (Please give to English teacher on first day of class)

## **Upper School History**

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#### **AP US Gov't & Politics, Current Events, and Twilight Struggle Supply List**

- Students are encouraged to have a laptop they feel comfortable reading on and typing with. Something with a bigger screen and a keyboard is recommended. It does not have to have memory, as students will save work to Google Drive. If this is not possible, students should have one notebook and pencils/pens.

#### **AP World History: Modern Supply List**

- 1.5-inch binder for class notes, handouts, and homework, and more.
  - A folder will not be enough to hold all materials for this course!
- 10 dividers for our ten units. These can go in the binder, and we'll label them together.
- Loose-leaf paper for note-taking/activities
- Blue/black pens or pencils and highlighters (at least 2-3 colors) for notetaking
- 1 pack of index cards

#### **World History 9 Supply List**

- 1- or 1.5-inch binder for class notes, handouts, and homework, and more.
  - These will be kept in the classroom, and frequent binder checks will ensure proper organization. A folder will not be enough to hold all of our course materials.
- 8-10 dividers for our eight units. These can go in the binder, and we'll label them together.
- Loose-leaf paper for note-taking/activities
- Blue/black pens or pencils and highlighters for notetaking

## **Upper School Math**

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- TI-83 or TI-84 graphing calculator. Please note that phones are not accepted as equivalents for calculators during classroom instruction.
- One 3-inch, 3-ring binder
- Notebook or loose-leaf paper
- Pens or pencils

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#### AP Chemistry Supply List

- Textbook - Chemistry: Atoms First 2e FREE on <https://openstax.org/>
  - **Color:** ISBN-13: 978-1-947172-64-7
  - **Black and White:** ISBN-13: 978-1-59399-579-9
  - **Digital PDF:** ISBN-13: 978-1-947172-63-0
- 1.5" or 2" Binder
- Composition notebook (spiral notebook accepted)
- Scientific calculator required; graphing calculator **highly** recommended
- 1 box of tissues
- Pencils
- Pink eraser
- 4 pack of fine tip dry erase markers

#### Biology Supply List

- 1 box of tissues
- 3-ring, 1-subject binder with lined paper
- Clipboard
- Pencil case containing a highlighter; scissors; glue stick; pencil and eraser; blue, black, and red pen; colored pencils; metric ruler; calculator (can use the calculator required for math class)
  - Supply kits with these items plus pencil refills will be available for purchase for \$10 in KH2.
- Newest Edition (2022) of Trees of New York Field Guide by Stan Tekiela (Amazon typically sells it for around \$10; you will need this by week #2 of class)
- Optional: personal laptop is not required but highly recommended

#### Environmental Science Supply List

- 1 box of tissues
- 3-ring, 1-subject binder with lined paper
- Clipboard
- Pencil case containing a highlighter; scissors; glue stick; pencil and eraser; blue, black, and red pen; colored pencils; metric ruler; calculator (can use the calculator required for math class)
  - Supply kits with these items plus pencil refills will be available for purchase for \$10 in KH2.
- Optional: personal laptop is not required but highly recommended

### **Chemistry Supply List**

- 1.5" or 2" Binder
- Composition notebook (spiral notebook accepted)
- Scientific calculator required; graphing calculator **highly** recommended
- 1 box of tissues
- Pencils
- Pink eraser
- 4 pack of fine tip dry erase markers

### **Forensics and Science Behind Food Electives**

- 1-inch 3-ring binder
- Pencils
- Eraser or pencilhead erasers

### **Physics**

- 1.5-inch 3-ring binder
- Pencils
- Eraser or pencilhead erasers
- Scientific or graphing calculator

## **Upper School World Languages**

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#### **French, Novice & Intermediate A Classes**

- 1.5-2-inch binder with clips and pockets
- Spiral notebook or loose-leaf notebook paper
- Blue/black ink pens or pencils
- 1 package of 3 x 5 index cards
- At least two different colored highlighters
- Composition notebook

#### **All Other Upper School French Classes**

- One binder - at least 1" thick
- One pack of pencils
- Looseleaf paper OR notebook to keep in binder
- One pack of 3"x5" index cards
- Highlighters

#### **Hebrew**

- 1 plastic, three-prong pocket folder

#### **Spanish**

- 1 Spanish-only notebook
- Folder or binder of your choosing to keep handouts organized
- Pens, pencils, and eraser(s)
- 2 highlighters for marking vocabulary and grammar rules
- 2 packs of index cards for flashcards and vocabulary practice