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Dear Parent / Carer,

## Personal equipment for September

As the start of the new term draws closer, I would like to take this opportunity to remind everyone of the need, particularly this year amidst the circumstances we find ourselves in, for all students to be fully equipped every day at the Academy.

Every student will require basic stationary items including:

- Pens
- Pencils
- Eraser
- Sharpener
- Ruler
- Coloured pencils
- Highlighters
- Scissors
- Glue stick
- Whiteboard pen
- Maths equipment (compass, protractor, set square)
- Scientific calculator (we recommend the "Aurora AX595")

Current guidance around the full reopening of schools means that lending and sharing equipment is not desirable as this can increase the risk of transmission of covid-19.

In addition to these items, we are asking that all students bring their own supply of hand sanitiser and face tissues to the Academy each day. Whilst we do have a supply of this, the financial burden on the school is great and we would appreciate support from families to ensure that everyone is able to maintain good hygiene and keep everyone safe.

Kind regards



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