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As schools begin preparing for the 2026–2027 school year, principals may develop school-specific supply lists that reflect the instructional needs of their students and teachers.

To ensure consistency across the district, school supply lists should include only items that directly support classroom instruction and student learning. Examples of appropriate instructional supplies include:

- Pencils
- Crayons, colored pencils, or markers
- Notebooks and composition books
- Folders and binders
- Pencil boxes or pouches
- Highlighters
- Glue sticks
- Scissors
- Organizational materials required for classroom learning

School supply lists should **not** include items intended for general classroom maintenance, sanitation, or operational purposes. Examples of items that should not be requested from families include:

- Facial tissues (Kleenex)
- Cleaning wipes or disinfectant wipes
- Hand sanitizer
- Paper towels
- Cleaning sprays
- Other custodial or sanitation supplies

We appreciate your efforts to ensure that supply lists remain focused on materials that directly support teaching and learning while maintaining consistency across the district. If you have questions regarding allowable items, please contact Dr. Lisa Blanton or Dr. LaRonda Whiteside.