

Back-to-school CHECKLIST

- Summer assignments are complete.**
- School forms are complete (medical and otherwise).**
- Medical requirements and vaccinations are up to date.**
- Necessary technology is in place:
Computers, laptops, or tablets; printer access;
internet connectivity; etc. Families that cannot afford
this technology should contact the school for assistance.
Funding drives in the community may also support
these needs.**
- Basic supplies are purchased:
Pens, pencils, paper, etc. Refer to the class supply
list provided by the teacher. Stock up on some extras
if you can.**
- Safety kit is packed:
Sanitizer, masks, gloves, and any other safety and
personal hygiene items.**
- School calendar is up to date:
Enter important dates, meetings, and milestones into
the calendar you keep to manage your schedule.**
- Class phone list is ready:
Consider collecting phone numbers of parents in your
child's grade for support and homework help if needed.**

If you are missing any information, ask for it. Learn as much as you can about the details of the school's plans. If you have concerns about those plans, make them known to the people who are making decisions. Attend school committee or board of education meetings to learn more and to share your views.