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As your child prepares for 2025 there are stationery items we ask students bring into their classroom to begin the new school year. Some items are for shared classroom use such as tissues and wipes and others will be stored (in a large pencil case) for your child's personal use as items run out. I realise the delivery of a formal Stationery List at MacKillop is a new concept in 2025 and to support this I provide the following explanation.

- The practise of personal Stationery Lists brings MacKillop into alignment with other CSBB schools.
- Classrooms use large quantities of consumables each year and the use of personal items will develop a greater sense of accountability and stewardship in the use of these resources.
- Many students already bring their own resources in a personalised pencil case developing an increased sense of ownership and responsibility for their own items.
- Reducing the consumable element of the classroom budget provides increased opportunities for other complex resources to engage learning.

The Stationery List will be posted on the **MacKillop Website** and a link will be connected to the Classroom **Facebook** pages.

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