



## **Stationery and Technology Requirements**

Each student must be prepared with the required stationery and a dedicated school laptop. Please ensure laptops meet the following specifications:

- Processor: Intel Core i3 (minimum)
- RAM: 6GB or 8GB
- 64-bit system, SSD preferred
- Screen: 12-18 inches

For used laptops, contact Andre Kruger at 082 444 4395.

Microsoft Office:

- Word
- Publisher
- Excel
- Access
- Power point

### **Additional Items for 2025:**

- A4 white copy paper (1 ream per term)
- Tissue box (1 per year)
- 2-3 meter extension cord and multiplug (labelled)

### **General Stationery Requirements**

To support a productive and organized school year, please ensure your child is prepared with the following essential stationery:

- 4 Blue Pens
- 2 Black Pens
- 4 HB Pencils
- 1 Eraser
- 1 Pair of Scissors
- 1 Ruler
- 1 Highlighter Pack
- 2 Exam Pads or Notebooks
- 8 Thin Files or 3 Thick Files (If you have from the previous year don't buy again)
- Maths Geometry Set (as required)

*Additional stationery items for art supplies or subject-specific needs may be requested as necessary.*

### **Textbooks**

Below is the list of literature books required for next year's SwitchedOn English courses. This information will also be available on our website within the next two weeks.

Grade 8:

- *Robinson Crusoe* by Daniel Defoe, ISBN10: 150329238X

Grade 9:

- *Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea* by Jules Verne ISBN10: 076072850X
- *The Miracle Worker* by William Gibson ISBN: 9781416590842

Grade 10:

- *In His Steps* by Charles M. Sheldon, ISBN10: 1453832866
- *Everyman* (anonymous), ISBN10: 9780486287263

Grade 11:

- *To Kill a Mockingbird* by Harper Lee, ISBN: 9780446310789
- *Our Town* by Thornton Wilder, ISBN: 9780060512637

Grade 12:

- *Beowulf (Oud-Engelse gedig)*. ISBN10: 0571203760
- *Hamlet* by William Shakespeare, ISBN10: 0140707344

*Please contact Juffrou Stefanie for more questions regarding the prescribed books for English.*

**Additionally:**

- Mathematics: 192-page hardcover book
- Science: 192-page hardcover book.
- English/Afrikaans x2 96-Page hardcover book.
- A4 32 Pages College Exercise Graph Book

All other textbooks will be available electronically, except for EGD and BTEC courses. (This will be communicated by educators)

*Please note:* As indicated in the school fee letter, electronic book fees will be invoiced monthly. Costs may vary according to subject selection but are expected to be similar to traditional textbook expenses.

*Courses not completed by students in 2024 will have to be completed in 2025 with the new 2025 courses.*

For any further questions, feel free to reach out. We look forward to a productive and engaging year with our Baken family!

**Best regards,**

*The Baken Team*