

# Back to School Check List

Prepare to bring all of these items on the first day of school.

**Label each item with your child's name.**

## PAPERWORK

- HEALTH & STATE FORMS**, if any are due, a check list and the forms are enclosed.
- MILK PROGRAM / PHOTO CONSENT / ALLERGY FORM**, completed and signed.
- EMERGENCY CONTACT FORM**, if you don't already have one on file or have changes, additions.
- FEES**, payment for the supply fee, milk fee, and/or first tuition payment, if due. See enclosed.

## NEW STUDENTS

New students do not need to purchase a backpack or tote bag for the school year. Your personalized Monarch Montessori School tote bag will be waiting for you in your cubby. Plan to bring your tote bag to school every day!

## RETURNING STUDENTS

Returning students, bring your Monarch tote bag on the first day. Plan to bring your tote bag to school every day!

## ALL STUDENTS

- CLASSROOM SHOES**, slip-on shoes that are easy for your child to manage on his or her own. Either loafers, sandals, canvas no-tie sneakers or mules, moccasins, or velcro slippers with non-slip soles. No cartoon characters or branding please. Write your child's name on *each shoe*, preferably on the sole or side. These shoes will stay at school. One source is [www.montessorimovers.com](http://www.montessorimovers.com).



- WATER BOTTLE**, a labeled water bottle that is easy for your child to open and close on their own. They will be refilling these throughout the day for hydration.



- EXTRA CLOTHES**, a complete change of clothes (underpants, socks, pants, shirt) placed in a gallon size ziplock bag labeled with your child's name.

- RAIN & MUD BOOTS**, labeled with your child's name. Slip-on rubber wellies work best. (Rain boots will be switched out for snow boots in the winter.) One source is [target.com](http://target.com). Shop early. Pickings get slim around town.



- SUN HAT**, a ball cap or sun hat to remain at school in the fall and spring.

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## FULL DAY STUDENTS ONLY

- ❑ **LUNCH BOX** labeled with your child's name. Help us minimize waste by choosing reusable containers or a bento box. Couple of sources: [goodbyn.com](http://goodbyn.com), [easylunchboxes.com](http://easylunchboxes.com), or Ziplock and Gladware make divided containers.
- ❑ **RESTING MAT**, a small roll-up nap mat with an attached pillow is easy for the children to handle themselves. Please no large sleeping bags or full size pillows due to limited space in the cubbies. One source is [www.lillianvernon.com](http://www.lillianvernon.com), search for "nap pad".

**Please put your child's name on everything!**

