Bronze Pod

 Supply List

**Choose the binder system you think will work best for your student.**

LARGE, STURDY 3-ring binder large enough to hold work for ALL classes with 4 tab pocket dividers (See footnote about binders.)

**OR**

(4) 1” 3-ring binders (one for each class) with a pocket tab divider in each

Planner/Agenda (The Week at a Glance style allows enough space to fit information for all classes)

Calculator-TI30xs multi-view

Supply of #2 pencils (pack of at least 12)

Supply of wide-ruled notebook paper

Ballpoint pens-red, blue and black

Colored pencils

Glue sticks (6 or more)

Zippered pencil pouch or box for supplies

2 dry erase markers (dark colors only)

2 composition books

Highlighters

Pack of 3x5 index cards

Post-it Notes

Package of cap erasers

**Much Needed Classroom Supplies**

Hand sanitizer

Disinfecting wipes

Kleenex

Paper Towels

Magic Erasers

**WISH LIST (optional)**

Quart sized zip-lock type bags, Band-Aids

**Novels read in ELA if you would like to purchase your own copy:**

*Out of the Dust* by Karen Hesse

*Bud, Not Buddy* by Christopher Paul Curtis

*Touching Spirit Bear* by Ben Mikaelsen

*A Long Walk to Water* by Linda Sue Park

**Tips about purchasing a binder**:

If choosing the “One Large Binder” option, go for **simple and sturdy**. Some are made with a filing-type section that students find quite appealing, but they do NOT work well. Also, purchase heavy-duty pocket dividers that will keep classwork divided. The binders with a cover that zip or that have a Velcro enclosure help keep things from falling out.

If opting for separate binders for each class, purchase 1” binders. Get the “Heavy Duty” rather than the “Economy” if you want them to last all year. Add one pocket divider to each binder for items that don’t go on the rings.

**Another tip**: Do not put spiral notebooks or agendas/planners on the rings of the binders. It causes the rings to break or get stretched and no longer meet properly.

As with any organization system, it only works if the student understands it and follows through. The best advice is **keep it simple!**