

GMS School Fees, Transportation, School Supplies

School Fees (Activity/Cultural) - \$30

We would appreciate these fees being paid online as soon as possible. For your convenience, we have our secure, online payment system at <https://centralokanagan.schoolcashonline.com/>. This is a fast and easy way for you to pay your student's fees using Visa, Mastercard or Debit. You may also send payment along with your child during the first week of school and a receipt will be issued to you.

If there is an inability to pay, please contact Mrs. O'Brien at 250 870-5176, ext 6241.

Lockers

Your student will be issued a locker, beginning the **SECOND** day back to school (Sept 5), as long as the school fees have been paid. If you have paid online, please send the receipt with your student as proof.

Yearbooks (Optional)

This year, we have three payments structures for the GMS yearbook, which can be paid online:

- **Up to Sept 30 - \$35**
(pay by Sept 30 and you will be entered in the draw to receive a free yearbook and a full refund!)
- Oct 1-Dec 31 - \$40
- From Jan 1 - \$45

Transportation (yellow school bus)

Please complete a secure, online Transportation request (you must have a valid email address!) using this Transportation link: <http://www.sd23.bc.ca/ProgramsServices/SchoolBus/Pages/default.aspx> or click on the "SD23 Transportation" link on our website: www.gms.sd23.bc.ca

Once you have completed this, you will receive an email confirmation from SD23 Transportation to confirm if your student has a seat on a bus. Instructions will also be sent to you indicating how payment can be made.

Should you require any transportation information, please call 250 870-5151. Your child's online school registration must be complete in order for you to contact our Transportation Department regarding bussing eligibility or you may use the Transportation link noted above to check bussing eligibility in your area.

School Supplies (students will be expected to supply the following basics):

- 2 large 3-ring binders that zip closed, with dividers
- Lined and unlined binder paper
- Pens, pencils, ruler, eraser, geometry set
- Highlighter, pencil crayons or felts
- Glue stick

A few other specialty items may be requested by individual classroom teachers; however, sufficient warning will be given to allow students the time to locate these items.

All students are required to wear shorts or sweat pants, T-shirts and running shoes for P.E.