

24 October 2025

Dear 2026 Parents,

RE: TEXTBOOKS, WORKBOOKS AND STATIONERY

Please see below for information regarding **textbooks, workbooks (for writing) and stationery requirements for 2026**.

When starting during the term, the school is aware that you may not be able to meet ordering deadlines due to your enrolment date. You will order the books through the school, and we will ensure your child gets the necessary books shortly after they arrive.

1. Textbooks:

Textbook lists will be sent out to parents for the relevant grades. You are responsible for purchasing your child's textbooks. Summerhill's textbook partner is **Inyati Office Supplies**, and for your convenience, the Summerhill textbook requirements are posted on the textbook ordering portal. Should you decide to use the services of Inyati Office Supplies, please follow the process explained below:

- Click on the following link: <http://inyatioffice.myshopify.com> Access code Textbooks: **M3TEX**
- Fill out your details and then select your child's grade for 2026.
- Complete the order form and submit it online. Reference must indicate the school name and invoice number.
- You will be emailed with an invoice for the textbooks you selected, and you can make payment to the following bank account:
 Bank: **Nedbank**
 Account Name: **Inyati Stationery Supplies**
 Account Number: **1925082296**
 Branch: **Bedford Centre**
- All orders must be completed by **31st October 2025**
- Textbook packs will be delivered to school before classes resume in January. Communication for collection days for Grade 4 – 7 textbooks will be sent by the school closer to the time.

NB: If you intend to source the books privately, in part or in full, please note that the school does not accept responsibility for any incorrect books sourced, and the curriculum will not be adjusted to accommodate students with incorrect books. The academic work starts on the 1st day of school. Your child will have to catch up if necessary.

- Please be mindful of the ISBN number to ensure that you purchase the correct edition.
- The school reserves the right to change textbooks from year to year. Please take note of any possible title changes when considering older siblings', family, or friends' second-hand books.

Grade 1 – 3 Textbooks

- Textbooks will be given to the teacher before or on the day your child starts his/her first day of school. Their books are covered by the register teacher and kept in the register class.



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- **NB:** The type of textbooks used for Grades 1 - 3 is not of a nature that they can be used second-hand/passed down from older siblings, family or friends, as tasks are completed within the books.
- **My Jumbo Purple Dictionary (Grade 1 – 2):** The dictionary is used from Grade 1. You only need to purchase it in Grade 2 if you did not purchase it in Grade 1 or need to replace it.

Grade 4 – 7 Textbooks

- Textbooks **must be collected from the school**. The textbooks will be ready to hand out before school opens on the **14th of January 2026**. The dates for collection will be confirmed and communicated to parents closer to the time.
- Parents are responsible for labelling and covering the textbooks.
- **NB:** Certain types of textbooks used for Grades 4 – 7 are not of a nature that they can be used second-hand/passed down from older siblings, as tasks are completed within the books. Please be mindful when you place your order.
- **Language selection:** Please be mindful when ordering textbooks for your child to only select the textbooks relevant to the language choice your child made (Afrikaans or IsiZulu).
- **Dictionaries and Study Guides:** These books are used from year to year and only need to be purchased if you did not purchase them the year before or need to replace them.
 - English:
 1. Oxford SA School Dictionary (Grade 3 – 7)
 2. English Handbook & Study Guide (Grade 4 – 7)
 - Afrikaans:
 1. Afrikaans Handbook & Study Guide (Grade 4 – 7)
 2. Pharos Tweetalige Skoolwoordeboek (Grade 4 – 7)
 - IsiZulu:
 1. IsiZulu Handbook & Study Guide (Grade 4 – 7)
 2. Oxford Bilingual School Dictionary: IsiZulu/English (Grade 4 – 7)

2. Workbooks

These are the exercise books that your children write in. To remove the confusion of whether parents have bought the correct books for the correct subject (Irish lines versus feint lines, etc.), the school has put in a bulk order for the required workbooks for 2026.

- This is a compulsory fee payable to the school. Please see the banking details below.
- The deadline for the payment of these books will be **4th December 2025**. Should you wish to have the fee included with your debit order, please email the Accounts Office: bursar@summerhill-school.co.za.
- The workbooks will be handed out in the first week of school by the register teacher, providing they have been paid for.
- The cost breakdown for workbooks is on the next page. The total column gives you the amount needed for each grade and includes all workbooks, covers, labels, electronic platform fees, as well as any levies to be paid.

3. Stationery

Stationery lists will be sent out to all parents for the relevant grades. You are responsible for purchasing your child's stationery. Summerhill's stationery partner is **Inyati Office Supplies**. [All orders must be completed by 31st October 2025](#). Inyati will deliver to the school and will be available on **Thursday, 8th January 2026 (8 am – 11 am) and on Friday, 9th January 2026 (8 am – 11 am) for collections**.

Click on the link to order your child's stationery: <http://inyatioffice.myshopify.com>
Access Code Stationery: **Y5Q2H**

4. Reader Levy

The readers are a cost and labour-intensive resource for the school. To safeguard our investment, a levy will be charged for the use of the school's reader resources during the year. The use of the readers is not optional as it is part of the curriculum material. Please note that this levy excludes replacement fees for lost school resources. Lost or damaged books will be billed to the relevant parent, and replacement fees are non-negotiable. Fees charged are not merely to cover the cost of repairing or replacing the actual book but also consider the cost of protective and cataloguing materials, the cost of procuring single units and labour. The reader levy remains at R100 for Grades 1 – 7 and is compulsory for all students.

Reader Replacement Fees:

Junior (Grade 1 – 3) R150

Senior (Grade 4 – 7) R300

Damages:

Damages may be billed from R100 where necessary.

5. Extra Items

- My Maths Buddy (Grade 4 – 7) is an optional study reference. It is available directly from the publisher, Palanga Publishers, <https://mymathsbuddy.co.za/shop/>. This reference book is a highly recommended Maths dictionary that will carry your child through to matric. Although we recommend you get this book for home reference, the Grade 4 – 7 Maths teachers do use it in class when starting new concepts. – R385.00
- Additional book bags (Grade 1 – 3) are available directly from the school upon request. – R70.00
- Additional School Diaries (Grade 4 – 7) are available directly from the school upon request, should you need them replaced during the year. – R185.00

Should you require an additional book bag or diary, please email Mrs Dembe

(d.dembe@summerhill-school.co.za) before 10th November 2025. These items will need to be paid by the **4th of December 2025**.

WORKBOOKS

Grade	Workbooks, Covers & Labels	Reading Eggs	Mathseeds	Reader Levy	Book Bag	Total
1	700.00	220.00	220.00	120.00	R70	R 1330.00
2	650.00	220.00	220.00	120.00	**Not** included.	R 1210.00
3	640.00	220.00	220.00	120.00		R 1200.00
Grade	Workbooks, Covers & Labels	Reading Eggs	Mathletics	Reader Levy	Diary	Total
4	800.00	NA	220.00	120.00	Compulsory and is included in the workbooks.	R 1140.00
5	810.00	NA	220.00	120.00		R 1150.00
6	810.00	NA	220.00	120.00		R 1150.00
7	765.00	NA	220.00	120.00		R 1105.00

** If you require a book bag, add R70 to the total and send an email with your child's name – book bag in the subject line to: d.dembe@summerhill-school.co.za

The school diary is compulsory for Grades 4 – 7 and is included with the workbooks. Should you need a replacement diary during the year, the fee is R185.

BANKING DETAILS

Bank: First National Bank
Account Name: Summerhill School
Account Number: 6293 435 3070
Branch Code: 252155
Reference Number: Child's Full Name –

Workbooks
e.g., Joe Soap - Workbooks

PLEASE NOTE:

- No workbooks will be issued if payment is not received by **4th December 2025**.
- **Debit Orders:** Parents must give Accounts **written permission** to add any workbook fees or additional items to the debit order. No additional fees are added without written consent. Please email Accounts at bursar@summerhill-school.co.za.

Kind regards,

Summerhill Preparatory