



INDIAN SCHOOL BOUSHER

(Affiliated to the Central Board of Secondary Education, New Delhi)

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CIRCULAR TO PARENTS

(GRADES IV – X)

WEIGHT OF STUDENTS' SCHOOL BAGS

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**Dear Parents and Students,
Greetings from Indian School Bousher!**

The **weight of students' school bags is a matter of concern to the school** just as it is for parents. **The class timetable is given to students so that they bring only the required books to school daily.**

The following are some of the suggestions to help reduce the weight of the school bags.

- Books to be brought to school according to the timetable.**
- Only the **required stationery is to be brought**. Ink killer, white ink, and highlighters are not to be brought to school. Sketch pens and colour pencils are to be brought only when necessary. Students are not required to use colour pens and colour pencils to draw lines. Students are to be sensitized to avoid bringing pens of different colored ink, especially of colors that are not to be used by students in their notebooks.
- Office files / Organizer files need not be brought to school.** A light, clear bag file may be carried for worksheets given in class. At the end of the week, parents may help children file the worksheets at home.
- Water bottles may be filled in school from the water dispensers provided on every floor** in school.
- The bag should have wide, padded and adjustable shoulder straps, a padded back panel and several compartments to distribute weight evenly.** The bag should cover the upper part of the child's back without extending below the waist, while its width should not exceed the child's back.

The recommendations of the school with regard to school bags can be successful only with the support of the parents. Parents could help their children by occasionally monitoring what they bring to school, just as teachers ask them once in a while why their bags are so heavy. Together, we can help our children manage the weight of their school bags. Many thanks for your great help and support, as always.

With best wishes,

Himmat Singh Dhillon

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