## **Grade 1 to 3 School Supplies**

We make bulk purchases for school supplies for our Grade 1 to Grade 3 students and charge through school fees for these supplies. As Foothills School Division is part of a large purchasing group, we are able to save up to 60% on what these supplies would cost at a local retailer. In addition, teachers shop the "loss-leader" sales that take place during the summer. The result is less cost, greater quality, and consistency for our young learners (e.g. all spelling duotangs are yellow, which helps with organization and routines in the classrooms).