

## Create a Homework Survival Kit

One of the keys to getting homework done is having supplies in one place. A Homework Survival Kit containing supplies needed to do homework will prevent your child from being distracted by the need to go searching for supplies, and will free you and your child from last-minute trips to the store for folders, paper, tape and other needed items. You don't need to gather all the materials in one day, but don't wait too long. Your child needs these supplies to do his or her best job on homework.

**Agree with your child:** that it is his or her responsibility to remind you when any of the Homework Survival Kit materials are getting low and need replacing.

### Grades 7-12

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| *pencils       | colored pencils   | markers     |
| *pens          | *pencil sharpener | glue        |
| *writing paper | stapler           | paper clips |
| almanac        | protractor        | folders     |
| white out      | ruler             | erasers     |
| tape           | scissors          | dictionary  |
| thesaurus      | calculator        | index cards |
| report covers  | stapler           | staples     |

*\* Means these are the most important items your child needs. Try to obtain these items as soon as possible. Add additional homework supplies as you are able.*