Families are responsible for ordering books. The school does not provide books or order for students, unless stated below. Please check the "Notes" section for details and any required materials. All classes require a notebook of some sort, but it is up to the student to decide what works best.

Kognity Online Books: The SGS IB Diploma Programme will use a bundle of Kognity textbooks for the 26-27 year. The school will purchase the bundle and bill students a one-time fee (total pending) for the use of up to five textbooks - the exact amount will be added to student accounts in September. Books listed as 'Kognity online textbook' fall in this category.

Course	ISBN Number	Book Name	Digital	Notes
Studies in Language & Literature				
English 9	978-1935654322	Dororo, Osamu Tezuka	no	Physical books are required. Materials: Five Star (5 subject) College Ruled Notebook
English 9	978-1590204597	True Grit, Charles Portis	no	
English 9	978-1982122515	Henry IV, Part 1, William Shakespeare	no	
English 9	978-0385425131	The Famished Road, Ben Okri	no	
English 10	978-1624666544	A Rulebook for Arguments, 5th edition, Anthony Weston	no	Physical book required.
IB English A 1 SL & HL	978-0141439518	Pride and Prejudice, Jane Austen	no	Physical books are required. Materials: Five Star (5 subject) College Ruled Notebook
IB English A 1 SL & HL	978-0385333849	Slaughterhouse-Five, Kurt Vonnegut	no	
IB English A 1 SL & HL	978-1631590405	The Pocket Universal Principals of Design, William Lidwell	no	
IB English A 1 SL & HL	978-1583225813	Are Prisons Obsolete, Angela Davis	no	
IB English A 1 SL & HL	978-1935654322	Dororo, Osamu Tezuka	no	
IB English A 2 SL & HL		TBA		Works will be easily obtained online. Families be notified before we start any works that need to be purchased.
English B		TBA		
Individuals & Societies				
The Rise of the American Govt.		None		
Making of the Modern World		TBA		
IB History 1 & 2, SL & HL		TBA		
IB Global Politics 1 & 2, SL & HL		None		
IB Economics 2, SL & HL		Kognity online textbook (see note at top of document)	yes	

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Experimental Sciences				
Intro to Physics (9th Grade)		Selected texts from various textbooks will be made available online when applicable		Materials: 1-1.5" 3-ring binder, tab dividers, college ruled loose-leaf notebook paper, college ruled composition notebook, writing utensils. Scientific or graphing calculator preferred (scientific calculators available in class to use during class time)
Intro to Biochemistry (10th Grade)		none		Materials: Dedicated spiral or composition book, folder or section of binder for handouts
IB Biology 1 & 2, SL & HL		Kognity online textbook (see note at top of document)	yes	
IB Chemistry 1 & 2, SL & HL		Kognity online textbook (see note at top of document)	yes	
IB Physics 1 & 2, SL & HL		Kognity online textbook (see note at top of document)	yes	Materials: 3" 3-ring binder, 5 sets of 5-tab dividers, college ruled composition notebook, college-ruled loose-leaf notebook paper, writing utensils (including black, blue, and red pens). Preferred to have a personal graphing calculator such as TI-84 (there are scientific and some graphing calculators available in class to use during class).
Mathematics				
Algebra I	978-0395977224	Algebra - Structure and Method (Classic Edition), McDougal Little	no	Used version highly suggested
Advanced Algebra	978-0618595419	Algebra 2, Larson, Boswell, Kanold, Stiff	no	Used version highly suggested
NOTE REGARDING CALCULATORS FOR THE FOLLOWING CLASSES Students must have a TI84 Plus CE Color calculator. Please make sure it's labeled with your name. Teachers do have some to borrow, but these stay in the classroom. You are required to have a 2" 3-ring binder, 10 tabs for the binder, and pencils for class.				
Geometry		None	no	Materials: 1" 3-ring binder, pencils. **Binder will contain ALL course materials and can be kept in the classroom.**
Advanced Geometry		Materials provided by SGS	no	Student will not be charged.
Algebra II		Materials provided by SGS	no	Student will not be charged.
Algebra II with Trig		Materials provided by SGS	no	Student will not be charged.
IB Analysis & Approaches 1 & 2, SL & HL		Kognity online textbook (see note at top of document)	yes	
IB Appl. & Interpret. SL 1		Kognity online textbook (see note at top of document)	yes	

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World Languages				
Intro to Upper School Spanish		TBA in class		Materials: paper (either looseleaf in a binder or a dedicated notebook), 1.5" or 2" binder.
Spanish II		TBA in class		Materials: paper (either looseleaf in a binder or a dedicated notebook), 1.5" or 2" binder.
Spanish III & III+		TBA in class		Materials: paper (either looseleaf in a binder or a dedicated notebook), 1.5" or 2" binder.
Spanish IV		TBA in class		Materials: paper (either looseleaf in a binder or a dedicated notebook), 1.5" or 2" binder.
IB Spanish B, SL & HL		Teacher provided material		Materials: paper (dedicated notebook preferred)
IB Spanish Ab Initio 1 & 2		Teacher provided material		Materials: paper (dedicated notebook preferred)
Chinese II		none		
Chinese III		none		
Chinese IV		none		
IB Chinese AB Initio 1 & 2 SL		none		
IB Chinese 1 & 2 HL		Teacher Arranged		

The following course have no assigned book or materials:

Intro to Studio Art, CAS, Ceramics, Extended Essay, PE, IB Visual Arts 1 & 2, Instrumental Music, Intermediate Studio Art, Outdoor Pursuits, Theory of Knowledge, & Yearbook.