

ST. AMBROSE CATHOLIC SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Thursday, September 28th



Events

October 5
Dress Down \$1.50

October 8
No School - Columbus Day

October 9
Papa Johns Night

October 10
Parent Virtue Night

October 19
End of 1st Quarter

October 22
Red Ribbon Week Begins

October 25
Fall Play 7:00 p.m.

A Note from the Principal
Happy end to September! We've had SUCH a FANTASTIC start to the school year! Can't believe it will be October next week! Enjoy every minute!

Communications

I have heard that there have been some complaints about our communication efforts at school, so I wanted to remind you of our commitment to consistency and to making sure families know as much as they can about what's happening here at school.

Communication:
Preschool – 5th grade Homerooms can expect from their classroom teachers the following:

A weekly summation of the following week's upcoming tests and events (including the spelling list, if applicable) posted on their FastDirect Bulletin Boards by Friday afternoons at 3:30 pm. This may or may not include detailed information on daily assignments, as this can change from day to day. Check directly with teachers if you have questions about that.

A Remind text/email sent a minimum of 3 times per week

that MAY contain reminders of daily work, a positive comment, a picture of students working, a reminder for permission slips/ DDD/extra events...

6th – 8th grade Homerooms can expect from their classroom (and subject) teachers the following:

A daily summation of work, upcoming tests and assignments on all your student's EdModo groups

A Remind text/email sent a minimum of 3 times per week that MAY contain reminders of daily work, a positive comment, a picture of students working, a reminder for permission slips/ DDD/extra events...

Specialists (Mrs. Pantone, Health and Fitness; Mrs. Preston, Fine Arts; Mr. Chad, Technology) will do the following:

A weekly summation of units of study per department will be posted on their FastDirect Bulletin Boards by Friday afternoons at 3:30 pm. Departments are: Preschool, K-2, 3-5, 6-8.

***If you do not like receiving Remind texts from teachers and/ or the school, you can either unsubscribe or you can change

Remind to email instead of texts.

Call For School Board Member

Our school board is looking for one additional member to serve. If you, or any member of our parish family you know, are interested in applying please download and complete the "Petition to Serve" form which can be located on either the school website (under the school board tab) or the church website (under the forms tab). You may turn in your application to either the school or parish office on or before Friday, October 5th. Thanks!

Important Calendar Additions and Amendments:

NO SCHOOL on Thursday, November 1, 2018 (for teacher conference prep)

NO SCHOOL on Friday, November 2, 2018 (instead of an 11:00 dismissal) and P/T conferences from 12:00 – 7:24 pm

NO SCHOOL on Friday, December 21, 2018 (instead of an 11:00 dismissal)

NO SCHOOL on Monday, March 4, 2019 (Casimir Pulaski Day)

**P/T Conference Signup
Genius is Live!**

Please click on the following link and then choose your conference time(s) on Friday,

November 2, 2018. If the link doesn't work, just copy and paste the URL into your address bar.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090E4AABA92AABFD0-k8parentteacher2>

Before/After Care

Before Care is in the gym from 6:30 – 7:30 a.m. After Care is in the resource room (located in the preschool wing) from 2:45 – 6:00 p.m. The entrance is through the playground gate and the preschool wing door on the right.

Scrip

Scrip can be purchased from 7:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. Monday-Friday in the main office at school. We will work to make your Scrip purchasing as easy as possible. Scrip is also available after most masses.