

Sacred Heart School Kindergarten Newsletter

To: Kindergarten Parents
From: The Kindergarten Team
Date: August 2018

Welcome!

We hope you are enjoying a relaxing summer. August is here and preparations for school are underway. Patricia McMahon is the kindergarten teacher. Mary Boyd is the teacher's assistant. We feel the Lord makes no mistakes when placing students and teachers together. It will truly be a blessing to have the opportunity to help your child develop spiritually, socially and academically.

School Supplies

Please review the supply list before purchasing supplies.

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| 2 large box of Kleenex | 1 large backpack - no wheels |
| 12 "Elmers" glue sticks | 1 roll of paper towels |
| 1 large zipper pouch – No Boxes | 1 pair of scissors (not plastic) |
| 1 container of baby wipes | |
| 2 folders Pee-Chee style with horizontal pockets (not plastic) | |
| 1 box of crayons - (16 large) and 1 box of crayons (24 only) – "Crayola" brand | |
| 1 package of Mr. Clean Magic Eraser Cleaning Pads (2) | |
| 3 reams of 500 sheets of copy paper – 8½ x 11 (must be 20lb. WHITE –non recycled –non hole punched –new in sealed package) | |
| 1 Black or Blue Dry Erase Marker | |
| 1 complete change of clothes including underwear in case of emergency (placed in a Ziploc bag labeled with child's name) | |

The First Day of School

All kindergartners will begin school on Monday, August 27th, at 7:55 a.m. The kindergartners will have shortened days for the first two weeks to help make their transition into the Kindergarten program easier. Shortened days are from 7:55 a.m. to 11:50 a.m. Kindergartners will be dismissed at the end of the Kindergarten building near Cavanagh Hall. Please make sure you arrive on time at dismissal time. Children can become anxious if parents are late. Daycare will not be available for the first three days of school. However, daycare will begin for all students on Thursday, August 30th. If your child is in need of this service, please fill out the registration form in the office before Wednesday, August 30th.

Kindergarten's first full day of school will be Monday, September 10th, from 7:55 a.m. until 2:35 p.m. The kindergartners are dismissed 10 minutes earlier than the rest of the student body to ensure their safety.

Kindergarten Orientation Night

Orientation for kindergarten parents will be Tuesday, August 28, 2018 at 6:30 p.m. in the kindergarten room. At that time information about the kindergarten program, the daily schedule and other important details will be covered. We ask that only parents attend this meeting.

Back to School Night

Back to school Night will be Wednesday, September 5, 2018. All kindergarten parents are expected to attend the general PTO meeting at 6:30 p.m. in the auditorium.

We look forward to seeing you and your child on the first day of school!

Thank you for your cooperation in advance!