

# ST. ANSELM CATHOLIC SCHOOL MISSION STATEMENT

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Fri. Sept. 23 - Mass 8:30 am School pictures Thurs. Sept. 29 - Apple Charlies Kdg. Field Trip 8:15-11:00

Fri. Sept. 30 - 1st progress report



#### HAPPY BIRTHDAY THIS WEEK:

Kellen Prater (Preschool) Abigail Thomas (6)

#### **COMING EVENTS!**

Sat. Oct. 1 - Oktoberfest Mon. Oct. 3 - Fri. Oct. 7 - Iowa Testing Mon. Oct. 24 - Oct. 25 - Pumpkin Sale

### **REMINDERS!**

School Pictures are Friday, Sept. 23. Students may dress in Sunday Best! **NO JEANS** are permitted. Remember to send with your child the picture envelope. Please mark which package you are getting along with a check or cash.

## **PC DUES**

Families still owing \$12.00 for dues: DiPietro, Frye, Mulka, Perkins, Suyo, Turk, Villarruel, Walkuski, B and Walkuski, M.

#### **HOLIDAY BOUTIQUE BASKETS**

Each class was asked to donate \$10 for the baskets. Please continue to send in your money.

## **TUITION**

Tuition statement for October will be sent home with your child next Wednesday, Sept. 28th. Please pay your payments on time.

## **PAPERWORK**

I sent paperwork home again yesterday with families that have not return them to the office. Please return as soon as possible. The teachers need the medical papers to take with them on field trips.

If students are absent, please call the office and let us know. Students should have a note the next day as to why they were out.

Hot lunch forms are due in the office on Friday, Sept. 23rd.

#### **REMINDER!**

Mandatory Eighth Grade parent meeting on Wednesday, September 28th at 6:30pm.

Greetings St. Anselm Families,

Happy Fall! We have now embarked on the season of changing colors, pumpkins, apple picking, doughnuts, cider, goblins and ghosts! I love the Fall! I enjoy the cooler weather and the opportunity to wear a hoodie and watch some football. It's a busy time at the school as well. October is jam packed with events and I hope to see everyone joining in and having a great time with our community!

The last four weeks of school have proven very successful. Our school has completed two fire drills and one lock down drill. The State of Michigan mandates that we complete nine drills, including fire, lock down, and tornado. By the time we hit October, we will be more than half way there. Our staff and students have done a tremendous job with the drills. I am very proud of our students, especially our early learners, who remain calm and collected, and listen to their teachers.

As for what's up and coming, tomorrow is picture day. Our students are welcome to dress up for pictures; the uniform is the minimum. NO JEANS. Sunday best is expected. If your student happens to miss picture day, there will be a make-up day later in October.

Next week marks the half way point in quarter 1. Please continue to communicate with your student and your student's teachers. Education is a partnership. When your student sees that you and the teachers are on the same page, they will not stray from your expectations. While I push high expectations, I also push for what's appropriate for each child. Every student learns differently and while one student may be able to earn As, another will work harder to earn Bs. That's OK. We are all partnering to raise good, kind human beings who can make a difference in our very troubled world. Please be grateful for a wonderful child who is polite, considerate, and caring.

On a completely separate note, we are cleaning the school. Since we painted the building in the summer, many belongings have surfaced that we are considering for donation or trash. We have so many trophies. We have gone through them and the ones we need to get rid of are outside the library. If you would like any trophies, let me know and you can come by and take them. We will hold them for a week.

I wish you a wonderful weekend.

Mrs. Angela Kraetke Principal