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The Halo Report

Saint Augustine Catholic School

1421 V Street NW, Washington, DC 20009

Theme 2022-2023:

"For we walk by faith, not by sight." - 2 Corinthians 5:7

Greetings Parents/Guardians and Teachers!

This is the last week of the second quarter make sure you have submitted all your work(including Christmas packets which were **due on January 6th**) to your teachers.

Monday, January 16th – Dr. Martin Luther King Jr's Birthday

Saint Augustine Catholic School will be closed in observance.

Thursday, January 19th – Parent and Family Engagement DCPS Workshop

Catapult Learning will provide a one hour parent workshop with the following goals.

1. Explain why creating learning opportunities outside of school is important for your child's success
2. Identify your child's interests and connect their learning to things they enjoy
3. Engage your child in experiential (hands-on) learning at home and in your community

The workshop will take place in person with a Zoom link for hybrid attendance options on January 19, 2023 at 5:30 pm.

Friday, January 27th – Second Quarter Report Card Conferences

Early Dismissal for Students No Aftercare or Basketball Practice

The following schedule will be followed by the whole school. specialized teachers will be available in the Computer Lab.

- A-D; 1:30 pm-2:00 pm
- E-I; 2:00 pm-2:30 pm
- J-L; 2:30 pm-3:00 pm
- M-P; 3:00 pm-3:30 pm
- Q-U; 3:30 pm-4:00 pm
- V- Z; 4:00 pm-4:30 pm

4:30 pm-5:00 pm will be set aside for parents who have missed their time.



1/13
Second Quarter Ends

1/16
No School
MLK Jr. Day

1/27
12:30pm Dismissal Half
Day for Students
No Aftercare or
Afterschool Activities

Second Quarter Parent
Teacher Conferences
1:30 PM -5:00 PM

1/29
Catholic School Week
Kick Off

2023 Early Bird
Registration Kick Off

1/29 -2/3
Catholic School Week

2/8
Third Quarter
Deficiency Notes Sent
Home

January 29th – February 3rd - National Catholic Schools Week

Catholic School's week will take place January 29th – February 3rd. Parents, we invite you to join us for a week long Open House (Monday-Friday 9:00 am – 11:30 pm) to experience our exceptional school and dedicated staff.

Map Growth Testing

Map Growth Mid-Year Assessment Testing continues, students, please come prepared for testing, after a full breakfast and well rested. Please see the attached schedule.

Student Wellness

Saint Augustine Catholic School continues to take every precaution to keep our students, Faculty, and staff healthy. Parents we ask that you continue to monitor the health of your child(ren), and please do not send them to school with a fever, cold or flu symptoms.

Health alert: Parents, please update your student(s) immunization forms and submit to the school office.

2023-2024 Archdiocese of Washington Tuition Assistance Program

The application deadline for new families to apply for Archdiocesan tuition assistance is Saturday, February 18, 2023. Please note that the new family application deadline date applies only to new families. For support with your TADS account or application, please contact TADS Family Support at support@tads.com or 800-477-8237.

If you have any other questions email us at tuitionassistanceprogram@adw.org

Lunch Payment Reminder

Daily school lunch at Saint Augustine is \$5.00. Please make sure to send students with exact change. Any extra money given in by students for lunch will be applied to the student's lunch account.

Student Uniform Guidelines

- Parents please carefully look over your child(ren)'s uniform and grooming.
- Additionally, please make sure your child(ren)'s name is written in their uniform, sweaters, jackets, lunch boxes, etc.
- Girls are now allowed to wear school uniform pants.

IXL Practice Recommendation

IXL offers personalized skill recommendations based on what each student has been practicing, so each student can grow academically. Please take advantage of this great program.

Dismissal Policy

Parents should contact the school office before 2:00 pm for early dismissal. Afternoon prayers begin at 3:15 pm no students will be dismissed during prayers.

UPDATE FROM Mr. McCoy and AFTERCARE:

I am proud to share that our girls team won their game Saturday night! (29-7)



Our Boys team played a real great game, but they did not win. In addition, our Varsity Boys team will be taking part in the annual Georgetown Prep Tournament taking place over the MLK Holiday Weekend. The games will take place at Georgetown Prep High School in Rockville, MD throughout this weekend.

Please see Mr. McCoy with any additional questions.

Thank you for supporting Saint Augustine Catholic School!





Sincerely,

Sister Emmanuella, HHCJ, President
Saint Augustine Catholic School

MAP GROWTH TEST SCHEDULE


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WEEK 2

Monday 1/16/23	Tuesday 1/17/23	Wednesday 1/18/23	Thursday 1/19/23	Friday 1/20/23
8:30 –10:00 am 	8:30 –10:00 am Grade 8 MATHEMATICS	8:30 –10:00 am Grade 6 MATHEMATICS	8:30 –10:00 am Grade K LANGUAGE ARTS	8:00-9:30 am MASS 
10:30 –12:00 am 	10:30 –12:00 am Grade 4 MATHEMATICS	10:30 –12:00 am Grade 2 LANGUAGE ARTS	10:30 – 12:00 am Grade 4 LANGUAGE ARTS	10:00-11:30 am Grade 5 LANGUAGE ARTS
1:25 -2:55 pm 	1:25 -2:55 pm Grade 7 MATHEMATICS	1:25-2:55 pm Grade 1 LANGUAGE ARTS	1:25-2:55 pm Grade 3 LANGUAGE ARTS	1:25-2:55 pm Grade 6 LANGUAGE ARTS

MAP GROWTH TEST SCHEDULE

WEEK 3

Monday 1/23/23	Tuesday 1/24/23	Wednesday 1/25/23	Thursday 1/26/23	Friday 1/27/22
8:30 –10:00 am Grade 8 LANGUAGE ARTS	8:30 –10:00 am Grade 8 SCIENCE	8:30 –10:00 am Grade 6 SCIENCE	8:30 –10:00 am MAKE UP	8:00-9:30 am MASS 
10:30 –12:00 am Grade 7 LAUNGUAGE ARTS	10:30 –12:00 am Grade 7 SCIENCE	10:30 –12:00 am Grade 3 SCIENCE	10:30 –12:00 am MAKE UP	10:30 –12:00 am MAKE UP
1:25 -2:55 pm Grade 4 SCIENCE	1:25 -2:55 pm Grade 5 SCIENCE	1:25 -2:55 pm MAKE UP	1:25 -2:55 pm MAKE UP	NO TESTING (12:30 Dismissal)

Saint Augustine Catholic School
Map Growth Test Schedule
Winter, 2023



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Please join us for our Open Houses and learn more about
Saint Augustine Catholic School.



Saint Augustine Celebrates Catholic School Week

Monday, January 29, 2023

9:00 am – 12:00 pm

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Friday, February 3, 2023

9:00am – 12:00pm

Advantages of Attending Saint Augustine Catholic School		Over 20 Afterschool Programs Including:	
Strong Catholic Identity	Accredited by AdvancED	Fencing	School Safety Patrol
Weekly School Mass	Art Class	Pre-Engineering	French Club
Three Nuns on Staff	Cursive Writing Taught	Intro to Orchestra Club	Journalism Club
Honor's Mathematics Program	Physical Education Class	STEM Robotics Club	Drawing Club
Before and After School Math Labs	Spanish Class	Basketball	Soccer
Free Before Care starting at 7:00 am	Science Lab	Girl Scouts	Yoga Club
Performing Arts & Music Class	Technology Class	High School Admissions Including:	
Aftercare ends at 6:00pm	Cafeteria	Georgetown Visitation	Gonzaga
Hot Lunch – Chef Onsite	Outdoor Basketball Court	DeMatha	Elizabeth Ann Seton
Playground, Courtyard, Gymnasium		Archbishop Carroll	St. John's
		Bishop McNamara	

For more information, please contact the Admissions Office at 202-667-2608 or 202-265-1470

Refer A Friend!



Current parents who refer prospective parents to enroll for the school year 2023-2024 will receive a \$200.00 discount on their child's tuition.

Note: The referred student must register and be accepted.

Certain restrictions may apply.

Please get in touch with the Main Office or Ms. Teran for more details.



Parent & Family Engagement



Presented by Catapult Learning

Title I Parent and Family Engagement Workshop

When: January 19, 2023, 6:00pm

Where: St. Augustine (in-person) and Zoom (link will be emailed)

Refreshments and Child Care will be provided during the workshop

Learning Doesn't End at School

- **Explain why creating learning opportunities outside of school is important for your child's success**
- **Identify your child's interests and connect their learning to things they enjoy**
- **Engage your child in experiential (hands-on) learning at home and in your community**

RSVP required - Please register via <https://forms.office.com/r/k6373Xs0CQ> by January 16, 2023, to attend.

*****In case of inclement weather, the parent workshop will be held over Zoom.**

