

# The Halo Report





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!

In reviewing the attendance many students have been arriving late to school, this is disruptive to the teachers and student when they enter the classroom late.

We do not allow parents to enter any classrooms without first setting up an appointment with teachers. If there is an emergency please contact the main office so student may retrieve there belongings for dismissal.

### Friday, April 28th Middle School Retreat

We will be taking our Middle School students (with the exception of those receiving Confirmation) on an in-school retreat on Friday, April 28th. This retreat is considered part of our school's curriculum and will count as a religion assignment. This will be the only time students will be allowed to wear their gym uniforms to Friday Mass.

#### 2023 Science Fair

Science Fair projects and additional materials must be brought to school on Thursday April 27, 2023, the day of the Science Fair. All projects will be dropped off in the Saint Augustine Room after morning prayers. Students will then be given time to setup their boards and materials. The fourth through eighth grade presentations and judging will be held from 10:30 am – 2:30 pm in the Saint Augustine Room. The winners will be announced that afternoon. The Science Fair winner's display boards will be placed in the main hallway. All other boards and materials must be taken home the same day as the Science Fair or they will be discarded the next morning.

### **Eighth Grade Class Update**

- The Eighth Grade is starting a Read-a-thon Fundraiser to support the end of year trip to New York. Please see the attachment for more details.
- The Eighth Grade Graduation will be on Sunday, June 4, 2023 at the 10:00 am Mass. Invitations will be distributed at a later date.



Friday 4/28 Middle School Retreat

Saturday 4/29 Confirmation Retreat

Saturday 4/29 First Penance

Tuesday 5/2 Last Home School Association Meeting 6:00 PM

Friday 5/5 12:30 PM Dismissal – Staff Professional Development

Sunday 5/7
First Holy Communion

Monday 5/8 Teacher Appreciation Week Begins

Wednesday 5/10 Final Eighth Grade Parent Meeting

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MAP Testing

Our End of the Year Assessment Testing will begin on May 2, 2023 for our students in Kindergarten through Eighth Grade. Please see the attached schedule. We wish our students the best of luck!

Saint Augustine Summer School/Summer Enrichment

Saint Augustine School will once again offer Summer School/Enrichment to our students at no cost. The programs are available for kindergarten through eighth grades from June 26 to July 27. The program will be held Monday through Thursday from 8:00 am to 12:15 pm. More details to come.

School Safety

Please remember to check-in at the main office whenever you come into the school building (Please refer to the parent/student handbook page 42). In addition, we are asking that parents exit through the front doors only. This policy is for the safety of everyone in the building.

### **Student Uniform Guidelines**

As we enter the fourth quarter, please remember all students should be in full academic uniform except on the day when student have PE. (No PE sweatshirts over the formal academic uniform). Additionally, No body piercing except pierced ears. Girls may wear one pair of earrings not larger than a dime. Boys may not wear earrings of any type. Jewelry should be limited to one watch, a ring) and a simple cross or a holy medal on a narrow silver or gold chain. No nail polish, cosmetics, colored lip gloss, colored chapstick, or artificial nails may be worn. Hair should be clean and neatly arranged.

### **HSA Elections**

Earlier this month our Home School Association had it annual officer elections and the new officers are listed below:

President - Tiffany Austin Vice President - Matthew Avery Secretary - Yeshi Abede Treasurer - Nikki Washington Assistant Treasure - Justina Xavier Events Coordinator - Donita Adams

We thank Nina Martin for her years for dedicated service to Saint Augustine School.

Sincerely,

Sister Emmanuella, HHCJ, President Saint Augustine Catholic School



### **UPDATE FROM Mr. McCoy and AFTERCARE:**

Once again we are asking Parents to wait outside for the safety of the school at large when they come to retrieve their child(ren). Parent(s) will come to the Main School entrance to have their child(ren) called for dismissal.

There will not be any Pre-Engineering club this school year. Our instructor is still recovery from a major surgical procedure. He sends his best wishes to everyone in Saint Augustine and looks to resume Pre-Engineering during the upcoming School Year.

French Club is slated to begin next week Monday, May 1st at 4:30pm. I will review the French Club List and notify those who have signed up. Please reach out to Mr. McCoy to see if there is any openings.

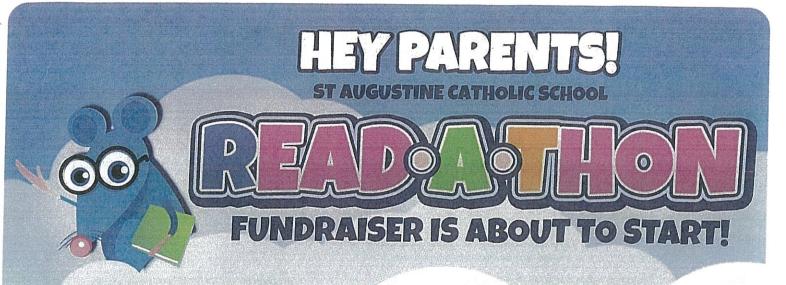
An volunteer is needed for the Cooking w/Kids activity. Cooking w/Kids takes place on Monday afternoons between 3:45 pm - 5:00 pm.

Thank you for supporting Saint Augustine Catholic School!

Sincerely,

Sister Emmanuella, HHCJ, President Saint Augustine Catholic School

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# Saint Augustine Lunch Menu May 2023

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1 Cheeseburger Fries Cake Chocolate Milk/Water	2 Grilled Cheese Tomato Soup Cake Chocolate Milk/Water	3 Beef Taco Tortillas Chips Ice Cream Chocolate Milk/Water	4 BBQ Chicken Mac & Cheese Brownies Chocolate Milk	5 Half Day No Lunch
8 Pizza Caesar Salad Cookies Chocolate Milk/Water	9 Chicken and 2 Waffles Fruit Cup Chocolate Milk	10 Hot Dogs Fries Vanilla Pudding Chocolate Milk/Water	11 BBQ Chicken Salad Brownies Chocolate Milk/Water	12 Fish Sandwich Fries Orange Slices Chocolate Milk
15 Chicken Sandwich Veggies Ice Cream Chocolate Milk /Water	17 Pizza Caesar Salad Brownies Chocolate Milk/Water	18 Steak and Cheese Sub Chips Cookies Vegetables Chocolate Milk/Water	19 BBQ Chicken Mac and Cheese Jello with Fruit Chocolate Milk/Water	20 Roasted Turkey Roasted Potato Cake Dessert Chocolate Milk
22 Chicken and 2 Waffles Fruit Cup Chocolate Milk	24 Hot Dogs Fries Cookie Chocolate Milk/Water	25 Spaghetti and Meat Sauce Garlic Bread Cake Chocolate Milk/Water	26 BBQ Chicken Salad Ice Cream Chocolate Milk/Water	27 Half Day No Lunch
29 No School Memorial Day	30 Chicken Nuggets Brownies Chocolate Milk/Water	31 Pizza Salad Cookies Chocolate Milk/Water		9

MAP GROWTH TEST SCHEDULE WEEK 1					
8:30 –9:15 am Grade 3 ARK 9:25 –10:10 am Grade 4 ARK	8:30 –10:00 am Grade K READING	8:30 –10:00 am Grade 2 READING	8:30 –10:00 am Grade 6 READING	8:00-9:30 am MASS	
10:20 –11:05 am Grade 5 ARK 11:15 –12:00 Grade 6 ARK	10:30 –12:00 am Grade 4 READING	10:30 –12:00 am Grade 3 READING	10:30 – 12:00 am Grade 7 READING	10:00-11:30 am Grade 5 MATHEMATICS	
1:25 -2:10 pm Grade 7 READING 2:20–3:05 am Grade 8 ARK	1:25 -2:55 pm Grade 1 READING	1:25-2:55 pm Grade 5 READING	1:25-2:55 pm Grade 8 READING	12:30 Dismissal Half Day for Students	

WEEK 2				
Monday 5/8/23	Tuesday 5/9/23	Wednesday 5/10/23	Thursday 5/11/23	Friday 5/12/23
8:30 –10:00 am Grade K MATHEMATICS	8:30 –10:00 am Grade 1 MATHEMATICS	8:30 –10:00 am Grade 6 MATHEMATICS	8:30 –10:00 am Grade K LANGUAGE ARTS	8:00-9:30 am MASS
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WEEK 3					
Monday 5/15/23	Tuesday 5/16/23	Wednesday 5/17/23	Thursday 5/18/23	Friday 5/19/23	
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 3 LANGUAGE ARTS	1:25 -2:55 pm Grade 5 SCIENCE	1:25 -2:55 pm Grade 4 SCIENCE	1:25 -2:55 pm MAKE UP	1:25-2:55 pm MAKE UP	

WEEK 4				
Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday 5/25/23	Friday	
5/23/23	5/24/23		5/26/23	
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Saint Augustine Catholic School ARK, MAP Growth, and Science Test Schedule Spring, 2023