



St. Mary Parent Series Night 1

9/20/2018



St. Mary's - The Basics

- Catholic Parochial School
 - Enrollment: 128
- Start Time - 8:00; Drop Off is 7:45
 - Morning Care available from 7-7:45
- Bell rings at 3; pick up runs until 3:15
 - After care available from 3:15 - 5:30
 - Please notify the office if elementary aged children are walking home
- Requirements:
 - General open attitude towards Faith and God
 - Active FACTS Account
 - \$1500 SCRIP Purchasing
 - 20 Volunteer Hours
 - Volunteer Form
 - Signup Genius



Expectations for Students and Parents

- Mission: St. Mary School aspires to prepare our students to lead successful Catholic/Christian lives by building faith and character, developing talents, and striving for academic excellence.
 - Respects self, others, and their environment
 - Evaluates self and sets challenging goals
 - Expands God-given talents and academic potential
 - Accepts responsibility for their choices and actions
 - Asks questions, is not afraid to make mistakes and revise goals
- Parents still remain the number one influence in the educational outcomes of children
- Partnership and Collaboration



How Can I Set My Child Up For Success?

- K-5 Parents: Please Check Take Home Folders every night
- 3-8 parents: Please check assignment notebooks every night
- Do not panic if (s)he can not get it right the first time
- Check TeacherEase
- Students at St. Mary's will be given homework
 - Please reinforce that homework is a priority
- What if we are leaving for a long vacation?
 - All work might not be available before leaving
 - Make sure your child follows up with the teacher
 - Plan to stay after school



How Can I stay in the Loop?

- Read your Wednesday envelopes carefully and thoroughly!
 - Return Envelopes
- Follow us on facebook and instagram
 - Fb: St Mary School JVL
 - IG: st_mary_school_janesville
- Make sure you receive TeacherEase Emails
- Start visiting our website



Dress Code

1. Clothes must be clean and neat.
 2. Khaki pants/shorts/skirts/skort/capris:
 1. All items must be worn at waist level during the school day.
 2. Skirts and shorts must be an appropriate length
 3. Mesh or interlock polos, or oxfords/blouses (white)
 1. Color selection: black, white, and cobalt(Royal) blue (No Navy blue)
 4. Sweaters/Sweatshirts
 1. St. Mary apparel sweatshirts are allowed
 2. Plain black or white cardigan (button up) sweaters may be worn
 3. No Hoodies on Mass days
1. Shoes
 1. Must have a closed-back or back strap across the heels
 2. No heels over 1 ½"
 3. Gym shoes are required for participation in gym
 2. Casual days
 1. Athletic shorts and sweatpants may not be worn (except on Spirit days)
 1. Yoga and stretch pant may not be worn without shorts, skirts, or a top that comes down past fingertips when arms are at your side.
 2. No offensive messages on t-shirts.
 1. PLEASE use common sense when dressing for school in the morning



TeacherEase

- Communications get sent through here
- Check grades
- Check attendance



FACTS

- Need to begin with an active tuition plan
- Tuition and service billing
 - Lunch
 - Quick note on Lunch Orders
 - Doubles and Deadlines
 - Extended Care
 - Field Trips
 - Scrip
 - Milk
 - Misc. school supplies
- www.factsmgt.com
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Resources students are using for classwork

- Chromebook and iPad Policy
- Class Dojo
- Google Classroom
- Teacher Websites
- IXL
- Securly - a note for parents



Athletics

- St. Mary's Sports
 - Volleyball
 - Practice can be on or after 10/15
 - Matches begin the week of 10/22 and will be on Monday and Thursday evenings
 - 4th Grade COED Basketball:
 - Practice can be on or after 10/15
 - SJV Tournament schedule for the weekend of Nov 11; St. Mary's Tournament Schedule for Weekend of Dec 1 -2.
 - Cheerleading (5th - 8th)
 - Practices usually begin after Thanksgiving
 - Basketball (5th – 8th)
 - Practices begin on or after 1/2/2019
 - Games begin on Jan 12th.
 - Track
 - Practice may begin the week of 4/8/2019



Athletics

- Athletic Director: Doug Rammer
 - President: Dean Sutor
 - Treasurer: Sue Dickman
 - Secretary and office liaison: Josie Sutor
 - Athletic Wear: Kaila Macek
 - Other members: Dan Villapando, Bob Hoff

- In order to participate you must have the following turned in:
 - The red code of conduct form
 - Their physical (yellow card) or alternative year athletic permit (blue)
 - Their Pink Contact Information
 - The white parent and athlete agreement on concussion protocol.
- And Parents must be ready to volunteer at home events



Be Involved!

- We want you to be involved!
- Home and School: Facilitate volunteer opportunities and coordinate extracurricular events for students and families
 - President: Ashley Kleven
 - VP: Crystal Sheehy
 - Treasurer: Sarrina Phoenix-Rest
 - Secretary: Teri Randall
 - SCRIP Coordinator: Erin Olver
 - Room Mom Coordinator: Jenny Kessler
- School Board: Advise on larger long term policy issues
 - Self Study
 - Deficits analysis
 - Media and Marketing
 - Members
 - Pres: Lynsey Dostal
 - Members at large: Dennis McDougall, Ryan Spies, Jen Villiapando, Jennifer Cunningham, Christina Murphy, Dan Hess, Curtis Macek,



Opportunities to be involved

- What opportunities?
 - Coaching
 - Steeplechase
 - Spaghetti Dinner
 - Salad Luncheon
 - Athletic Events
 - Golf Tournament
 - Help out in the lunchroom
 - Get on our sub list

- The success of our school is shaped by your giving of time and talents!



Upcoming Parent Nights

- Parent Night Series
 - Parent Teacher Conferences: Thursday October 25 (12-8)
 - Raising Digital Kids: What parents need to know to survive: Thursday November 29 (6:30)
 - January: Student Art Exhibition at JPAC
 - February 7: Parent Teacher Conferences (12-8)
 - March: Social Media Workshops from High School Students



Questions?