



August 31, 2020

Greetings from the Principal,

As we start week three, we are continuing to evaluate and update our plan. Beginning today, Monday, August 31, we will have students in Grade 5 who do not have siblings enter and exit at the 10th Street door by the blue awning. If you come down Winchester Avenue and turn onto 10th Street you will see that we now have a pull off lane on 10th Street. This should expedite drop off and pick-ups and help with traffic flow.

I am updating our school calendar to show that we will not have fall break this year. The Diocese has cancelled the Professional Development in Lexington for the staff. They are recommending no traveling. This will also allow us to be back on track with the calendar since we delayed our start of the year by three days.

I have been doing recess duty to allow teachers some small daily breaks. Since we cannot have the classes mixed, I have recess from 10:45-11:45 and then again from 12:05-2:15. If you find yourself needing something to do during the day please feel free to join me. I'd be happy to even let you take a turn at monitoring. ☺ I have even talked Mr. Kempf into helping. Just make sure you've had your Diocesan mandated CMG online training.

We will be having a Scholastic Virtual Book Fair October 2nd through 15th. More details will follow. We hope to be able to do on site fairs in January and in the Spring.

I am happy to announce a new volunteer; Dana Maguard will begin in September working with students in Grades Pre-8. She will be combining literature and art with our students twice a week.

We will have our order forms for Grades 4-10 gym uniforms soon. If students have last years, and they still fit without being tight, they may wear them on Fridays, gym day, in place of their regular school uniform.

Just a reminder, Dress Down days are a special treat and are always announced.

Remember Pray Strong, Irish Strong,

Mrs. Kempf