



Weekly Notes

Important Information for St. Thomas More School from Dr. Tyrrell

December 21, 2020



Students and staff at STM collected baby items and also food for the food pantry as a part of our Advent generosity.

Important Dates

December 23, 2020	11:30am	Early Dismissal
December 24 - January 3		Christmas Break; No School
January 4 - 8		Virtual Learning

Virtual Learning Awards

We are excited to share with you that 61 St. Thomas More students earned a special Virtual Learning Award from Dr. Tyrrell. The following students earned an award for their hard work and engagement during our virtual learning time following Thanksgiving Break. All award winners received recognition and a certificate from Dr. Tyrrell on Thursday, December 10th. Additionally, one student from the list below (indicated by *) won a \$10 gift card to Culvers. Students will have another opportunity to earn a virtual learning award following Christmas break while we are learning virtually. CONGRATULATIONS to all of the hard working students. Keep up the great work!

Pre-Kindergarten	Third Grade	Sixth Grade	Yaneli Agredano
Otto DaPra	Salma Rodriguez	Denise Garcia	Erendia Centeno
First Grade	Alfredo Padilla	Eva Garcia	Josue Sayas
Zaid Puente	Alexandra Luna	Arlett Garcia	Alyssa Zamora
Carlos Diaz	Brittany Castellanos	Daisy Perez	Berenice Saucedo
Cristal Mora	Areli Rosales	Yazminn Ramos	Nicole Sepulveda
Aledis Garcia	Fourth Grade	Azusena Rodriguez	Eighth Grade
German Calvillo	Maya Centeno	Jesus Saucedo	Keily Perez
Second Grade	Antonio Ramirez	Sofia Sepulveda	Andy Arroyo
Edgar Rosales	Fatima Padilla Romo	Jerson Torres	Eric Patino
Paola Padilla	Fifth Grade	Edward Hernandez	Crisny Reyes*
Anngie Martinez	Carlos Rodriguez	Alex Martinez	Evelyn Rosales
Kalani Aranda Valenzuela	Aaron Rosario	Jazalynn Ramos	Andre Yanez
Alexia Campos	Fatima Vazquez	Yazminn Ramos	
Claudia Caranza	Miah Romero	Seventh Grade	
Romeo Gutierrez Rodriguez	Daniel Sanchez	Alan Aranda	
Leonardo Martinez Avila	Benjamin Sepulveda	Arnol Castellanos	
Alyssa Sanchez	Alexander Vu	Daniela Garcia	
Kadee Montero		Adriana Garza	
		Natalia Rodriguez	

Preble High School Registration

Are you interested in registering your 8th grader for Preble High School next school year? More information located [here](#).

Please Call School to Report your Child's Absence

Please remember to call the office at St. Thomas More to let us know if your child(ren) will be absent from school. It is very important that you notify us in the morning if your child will be absent. The office main line is 920-432-8242

LAST CHANCE - Calendar Raffle Contest Update

Thank you for your participation in selling GRACE calendar raffle tickets! St. Thomas More is doing a great job! Remember, **the class that sells the most tickets will earn a pizza party**, and every family who sells 5 tickets will earn a prize from Dr. Tyrrell! Keep up the great work selling!

GRAND TOTAL = \$3,160 TICKETS = 158

Help us reach our goal of selling 500 tickets!

The Totals for the grades INCLUDING the teachers as of today are:

PreK = 16	4th = 13	Dr. Tyrrell = 20
K = 54	5th = 13	
1st = 15	6th = 19	
2nd = 14	7th = 18	
3rd = 14	8th = 0	

Important Healthy & Safety Information

1. **Updated Health & Safety Protocols:** The following protocols were updated to align with CDC guidelines and too keep all children and staff safe. Updated protocols can all be found on the [GRACE COVID-19 Website:](#)
 - a. GRACE [Travel Protocol](#)
2. **STM COVID Dashboard:** A page has been added to the St. Thomas More Website which is designed to show you the real time COVID activity at St. Thomas More.

This dashboard will be updated daily before 3:30pm. The dashboard can be found here: [STM COVID Dashboard](#)

3. Spanish COVID Resource Line: **920-272-3600** This telephone line is specific to COVID-19 questions, concerns and ordering of tests. Families may call this line at any time to ask questions related to COVID-19 and to schedule a test for anyone in the family.
4. [Click here for COVID-19 Testing Sites Around Brown County](#)

Future Virtual Instruction Dates for ALL Students

All students at St. Thomas More will be taught virtually the week **January 4th-8th, 2021** following the Christmas Holiday Break to allow families to become aware of close COVID contacts over holiday gatherings/breaks prior to returning to school. Further instruction and information will be forthcoming regarding these dates and the procedures to follow. Computers will be sent home with students on December 23rd in preparation for virtual learning on January 4th.

Cold Weather Clothes

The temperatures are dropping and therefore it is time for students to start bringing a winter coat, hat, gloves, and scarves to school. When it snows, it will be important for students to have snow pants and boots. The students have outdoor recess two times daily and must have warm gear at school. If you do not have any of these items or are having trouble finding these items, please let the school know.

Are you traveling during the Holiday?

If you and your family are traveling for Thanksgiving and/or Christmas please let us know! Call Patty in the office at 432-8242 to report any holiday travel.

12 Days of Fitness and Faithfulness Challenge

GRACE Wellness presents the "12 Days of Fitness and Faithfulness Challenge" to coincide with the Christmas Break! The challenge is open to enrolled GRACE students and their families, as well as all GRACE employees. Prizes will include a new Chromebook, a \$100 Festival Foods gift card, and a \$50 Kwik Trip gift card, with funding provided by a private donor. See the flyers below for further details!

[English Flyer](#)

[Spanish Flyer](#)

Has your phone number or email address changed?

Please remember to alert the school if any of your personal information has changed like your phone number, email address, or home address. Please call the school office at 920-432-8242 to let us know!

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