



Weekly Notes

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

February 3, 2021



Important Dates

January 31 - February 6th

Catholic Schools Week

February 1st

School CHOICE Enrollment Window Opens

February 12th

No School

February 17th

Ash Wednesday

February 26th	End of 2nd Trimester; No School
March 5th	Early Release 11:30am
March 8-12	Spring Break; No School
March 15-19	Virtual Learning Week

TODAY is the Day of GRACE - A Day of Giving

Join us TODAY for the inaugural Day of GRACE - a day of giving - Wednesday, Feb. 3, 2021.

This past year has been extraordinary in experiencing pandemic-induced challenges as well as acknowledging our many blessings. Your donations on the Day of GRACE will support tuition assistance scholarships as well as upgrades to instructional technology, which became heightened areas of need throughout last year. Our work is not possible without the commitment of our teachers, staff, families and wonderful friends like you, who understand the vital role our GRACE Catholic schools play in preparing children for a bright future, even despite times of hardship.

Celebrate with us, make a donation in support of our students, spread the word, and follow along with us on social media for a Day of GRACE on Feb. 3! For more information, please visit givingday.gracesystem.org.

Weather Cancellations

Please check your text messages and email when there are adverse weather conditions. Weather delays and cancellations will be communicated through text message and email.

Valentines Day Celebrations - Safety Guidelines

The STM classrooms will plan to have Valentine's Day celebrations on Monday, February 15th. Each student will have a separate valentine card box created and labeled with their name during the week of February 8-11, and students can bring Valentine cards and place them in students' boxes any time during the week of February 8-11.

Students may also share store bought treats like individually wrapped candies, but **no** homemade, nor home packaged, treats may be shared.

Valentines receptacles will stay untouched between February 12-14 giving any germs/viruses time to be eliminated. The students may then open their own personal Valentines on Monday, February 15th. Students will take home all of their Valentines on Monday at the end of the school day.

If any students bring Valentines cards to pass out on Monday, February 15th, they will be set aside to sit untouched until Thursday, February 18th when they can then be passed out at the end of the school day and sent home with students.

Save Grocery Receipts

Our school can earn money by simply saving your grocery store receipts and turning them in. Please send any and all grocery receipts with your students who can turn them in to their teachers. THANK YOU for helping us earn money for our school!

St. Thomas More Enrollment for 2021-2022

Enrollment for St. Thomas More School is now open! There are two ways to re-enroll your student(s).

1. Re-enroll online at www.gracesystem.org/enrollment
2. Call the St. Thomas More School Office to set up an enrollment appointment.
920-432-8242

Caring Closet

We are excited to announce that St. Thomas More has officially opened our very first caring closet. The caring closet is a room at St. Thomas More filled with clothing, uniforms, boots, mittens, hats, scarves, toiletries, and many other items that can be used when a child may be in need. If you have any gently used uniforms, or items of clothing that you would like to donate, we would gladly accept them! We are also hopeful to collect packages of new socks and underwear in the event a child has an accident at school.

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

Important Healthy & Safety Information

Spanish COVID Resource Line: [920-272-3600](tel: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.

[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 of **March 15-19th, 2021** following Spring Break to allow families to become aware of close COVID contacts prior to returning to school. Further instruction and information will be forthcoming regarding these dates and the procedures to follow.

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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