



ST. DOMINIC HIGH SCHOOL

July 12, 2022

Dear Parents and Students,

We hope you are having a wonderful summer. While I'm sure it feels like summer just started, it is time to start planning for the start of the upcoming school year.

On Tuesday, July 19, you should receive an email from school containing a number of important details regarding the coming school year. Contained in that email is information on student and parent forms, resources, parking permits, senior dinner RSVP and general information you will need to take care of before school begins in August. If for any reason you do not receive that email, please contact Sally Garrett in the main office right away.

In addition to that correspondence, there are a number of important pieces of information for the beginning of the school year contained in this mailing. Enclosed you will find the following information for your review and response:

- Important Dates regarding the beginning of school
- Student Orientation Day Information
- Wagner Portraits – picture day for Freshmen is 8/11, and for Sophomores, Juniors, and Seniors 8/12, to order school pictures please go to www.WagnerPortraitGroup.com
- Health History Form—complete and return to school for the Class of 2026 and new students
- Cafeteria Food Service Information (Class of 2026 and new students)

In addition to these forms all students interested in participating in athletics need to complete the required MSHSAA forms through Privit. The link to create or update your account is on the Athletics Tab under Tryouts & Physicals Tab of our website, <https://www.stdominichs.org/athletics/tryouts>. ImPACT Assessment needs to be done every two years. Athletes who will be playing sports and did not take the assessment last year need to take the ImPACT Assessment before the first day of tryouts. The link for the assessment is available from the Athletics tryout schedule page. Please note that athletic physicals are valid for two years, as is your impact test. However, all athletes must update information and electronically sign required paperwork every year for MSHSAA through Privit. The following MSHSAA Pre-Participation Documents are required every school year:

- Medical History
- Parent Permission-Insurance Verification
- Student Agreement
- Concussion Education Materials with Parent and Student Signatures
- Emergency Contact Information

As the school year begins, parents wishing to put money onto their child(ren)'s Cafeteria accounts will be able to do so by turning in checks or cash to the school Attn: Food Service Consultants or you can add money to your student's account through www.myschoolbucks.com. Information regarding My School Bucks is available on our website and on the enclosed information. Initial funds are asked to be sent in no later than August 9th, so their staff has time to make sure all of the student accounts have been credited before the start of school. Questions regarding accounts or Food Service Consultants should be directed to showerton@stdominichs.org.

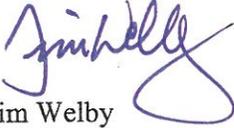
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Regional Catholic High School serving St. Charles, Lincoln and Warren counties

Freshman parents are invited to attend meetings presented by the St. Louis Area Catholic Secondary Schools Coalition focused on helping your child adapt the challenges of transitioning to high school. Enclosed in this packet is a list of all locations, dates and times these meetings will be available.

As a reminder, please look for the upcoming email communications regarding guidelines for the beginning of school and required actions in the student information system, My School App. While there is still summer remaining, please know we are excited to return students to school in the coming weeks. In the meantime, if you should have any questions please contact the main office at 636.240.8303.

Educating with a higher purpose,



Jim Welby
President



Stacy Stewart
Principal



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Dear Parents of Transfer Students,

Welcome! We are excited to have your student on campus in just a few short weeks. The start of every school year brings fellowship and important meetings. At St. Dominic, we strive to provide all families with as much information as possible to allow for a smooth transition into school. Below is a list of important dates to mark on your calendar and attend. We look forward to seeing you.

Thursday, August 11 New 10-12 Grade Transfer Students: All transfer students are asked to join our admissions team and guidance department for a one hour Transfer Student Orientation beginning at 1:30 p.m. in our learning commons. We will have students greeting you upon entry and will escort you to the meeting site. Please bring your iPad and we will work with you on setting up your email and download apps you need to begin at St. Dominic.

Friday August 12 10-12 Grade Orientation: Transfer Students will come for their specific grade level orientation. (See Tan Sheet)

Thursday, August 25 Back to School Night: Meet your student's teachers and learn about each course and our school community. This night begins at 7:00 pm in the Fallon Family Center (FFC).

Fall Sports Parent Information: This required read is for all parents who have a student participating in a fall sport. A link to the presentation will be sent to you via email.

Again, welcome to St. Dominic and we are looking forward to working with you this coming year.

Bravely in faith,

Stacy Stewart '89
Principal

10-12 Grade Orientation

Friday, August 12 is student orientation for all new and returning students. The orientation start time schedule is listed below. Each orientation will last approximately two hours. The orientation begins in the Amy E. Dickherber Performing Arts Center.

Seniors: 8:30 a.m.

Juniors: 10:00 a.m.

Sophomores: 11:30 a.m.

The schedule of the day will include a welcome meeting, overview of the 22-23 school year, college and career information, parking passes and school yearbook pictures.

Essential items to bring to orientation:

- iPad (required)
- Parking Form – Visit www.stdominichs.org/backtoschool. Click on your specific grade level.
- Money to be added to your lunch account

Technology: Before the year begins, it is important that all students have the following free apps installed on their iPad:

Google Drive

Google Docs

Google Sheets

Google Slides

Find My iPad

iBooks

Students must update your iPadOS before coming to orientation. Upgrading to the latest version of iPadOS software provides the latest features, security updates and bug fixes. Software updates will fix any bugs in the application, which improves performance and increases efficiency.

If you're using iPadOS 14.5 or later, you might see the option to choose between two software update versions. You can update to the latest version of iPadOS 15 as soon as it's released, or continue to use iPadOS 14 while still getting important security updates for a period of time.

Pictures/Dress Code: All students are to wear dress code skirts, pants or shorts with a non-uniform shirt that is appropriate for school yearbook pictures and/or school ID photo. No sleeveless shirts or off the shoulder shirts are allowed.

Parking: Only students who complete the online parking form and bring the required documents with them will be allowed to choose their parking space. You will need the confirmation email that you received after you submitted your parking application (either a printed copy or the electronic copy on your phone or tablet), your driver's license, and \$30 payment (cash or check or paid online with a Credit Card).

Lunch Money: Money may be added to the student lunch account. Checks for the cafeteria are made to "Food Service Consultants."

St. Dominic High School HEALTH FORM

Please complete this form, all pages, and return it to the school office.

Date form completed: ____/____/____

Student's Legal Name: _____

Last

First

Middle

Graduation year: _____ Birthdate: ____/____/____

Student's Address: _____

City/State: _____ Zip Code: _____ Landline: _____

PARENT /GUARDIAN EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION:

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Cell Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Cell Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

EMERGENCY CONTACTS other than parents/guardians: Note that your child will only be released from school to parents or guardians, or to the emergency contacts listed below.

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Cell Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

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DOCTOR INFORMATION:

Doctor's Name: _____ Phone _____

Preferred Hospital: _____

Please continue on next page!

Other information that will be helpful to us:

Takes daily medications at home? Yes ___ No ___ At school? Yes ___ No ___ Emergency Only? Yes ___ No ___

Name of medication: _____ Dosage: _____ Time Taken: _____

Reason for taking: _____

EYES: Glasses ___ For reading ___ Distance ___ Contacts ___ Crossed ___ Lazy Eye ___ Difficulty seeing ___

EARS: Frequent ear infections ___ Tubes ___ Hearing difficulty (explain) _____

Wears hearing aid: Right ear ___ Left ear ___

OTHER CONCERNS:

ADDITIONAL HELPFUL INFORMATION:

Over-the-counter (OTC) Medication Permissions

Note that NO oral OTC medication (such as ibuprofen, acetaminophen, etc.) will be given without a written order from your child's doctor.

I give permission for designated school personnel to use peroxide and/or alcohol, apply topical creams (such as Caladryl, antibiotic ointment) and/or basic first aid treatments as appropriate. Yes _____ No _____

Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian: _____ Date: _____



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2022-23 IMPORTANT DATES

FALL SEMESTER 2022

AUGUST

- 8 Fall Sports Begin
- 10 Freshman/New Parent Welcome Dinner
- 11 Freshman Orientation/Pictures
- 12 Grades 10-12 Orientation/Pictures
- 15 First B Day (Noon Dismissal)
- 16 First W Day (Noon Dismissal)
- 17 First Full Day of School
- 17 Senior Dinner @ Old Hickory Golf Club
- 25 Back-to-School Night

SEPTEMBER

- 5 Labor Day (No School)
- 16 Homecoming Football Game/Alumni BBQ
- 17 Homecoming Dance
- 21 Picture retakes at 7:15am

OCTOBER

- 9 Grandparent Day/Fall Concert
- 12 Mid-semester report card night
- 21 Crusaderfest
- 23 Open House
- 24 NO CLASSES (Professional Development)
- 31 NO CLASSES

NOVEMBER

- 1 NO SCHOOL – All Saints Day
- 4-6 Fall Play
- 24-27 Thanksgiving Break (NO SCHOOL)

DECEMBER

- 8 Holy Day – ALL School Mass
- 11 Christmas Concert
- 12 Junior Ring Mass
- 16 Reading Day
- 19-21 Semester Exams
- 22 Christmas Break Begins (Resume Jan. 3)

SPRING SEMESTER 2023

JANUARY

- 3 Classes Resume – B1 (Noon Dismissal)
- 4 W5 (Noon Dismissal)
- 13-15 Winter Theatre Production
- 16 Martin Luther King Jr. Day (NO School)
- 19-22 Prolife Trip to Washington, DC
- 30-3 Catholic Schools Week

FEBRUARY

- 20 Presidents Day (NO School)

MARCH

- 4 Evening of the Crusader Gala
- 5 Winter Concert
- 13-17 Spring Break – NO Classes
- 28 Junior ACT
- 31-2 Spring Musical

APRIL

- 6 Holy Thursday – NO Classes
- 7-10 Easter Break – NO Classes
- 28 Professional Development (No Classes)
- 28 Prom
- 30 Spring Concert

MAY

- 8-9 Senior Exams
- 11 Honors Night
- 17 Graduation
- 19 Reading Day
- 22-24 Final Exams

Please Note:

Dates are subject to change. Follow the online calendar at www.stdominichs.org for updates. Also, we have noon dismissal for professional development on numerous Tuesdays during the year. These are on the website calendar.