

St. Ann's School Pre-K Newsletter



September 2020

Welcome to St. Ann's Pre-K For All! Our transition days were a great success in both classrooms! The students have begun to learn a little bit of our morning routine and are enjoying getting to know one another and their teachers. We are all looking forward to our first full week together as we begin our year of fun and learning.

Reminders:

Please remember to download the following important documents from the St. Ann's School Website (www.stannschoollstateniland.com). They can be found under the tab "Parents" and then click on "Handbook and Forms." If you have trouble downloading or printing any of the following necessary documents please let us know.

- Affidavit for Parent Student Handbook
- Home Language Questionnaire
- Email Form
- Income Survey Form
- Media Release Form
- Pesticide Letter (optional)
- Technology Use Agreement Form

If you have not yet returned all three (3) emergency cards please do so immediately. Also please return our Getting to Know Your Child form and PreK Consent Form. Also please make sure to send in a complete change of clothes to be kept in school for your child.

The glass doors on Jefferson St. will open at 8:10 AM. Please stand with your child in a socially distanced line until the doors open. Your child will be checked in by the teacher and their temperature will be taken. They must enter wearing their mask. Once the children have been brought in at 8:10, the glass doors will be closed and the teachers cannot come back out to the doors. You must bring your child to the main door on Cromwell Ave if they are late. Please make every effort to arrive on time as our day begins immediately and it is unfortunate when the children miss morning activities.

Our classes are going to once again be utilizing the "Remind App" to help us keep in touch. Please download the app onto your phone and use the following class codes to stay connected with your child's teacher:

Miss Donna - sasprek1

Miss Erin - sasprek2

Upcoming Themes:

Unit 1 - Welcome to PreK!

Week of 9/7 - What will I learn and do in Pre-K?

Week of 9/14 - What names do we need to know? What are our rules? When do things happen?

Week of 9/21 - Who are the people in my classroom? Who works in our school? How do we make and keep friends at school?

Week of 9/28 - What do I bring to my classroom community? What makes me and my family important and unique? What feelings do I have and why?

Home Connection Activities:

Each week we will be providing an activity to do at home (for Cohorts and Remote Learners activities will be on Seesaw) that reflects the current theme we are focusing on. These activities are a great way to re-enforce skills as well as keep you updated with what we are learning in class. There will also be Math activities sent home that coordinate with our Building Blocks Curriculum. Along with these activities, you are welcome to encourage your child to practice identifying letters and numbers at home. Please have your child write their name at the top of each page and remember — READ to your child every night!!!

We are all looking forward to a wonderful school year!!!