



St. Charles School  
*Achieving Excellence Together*

# Back to School night

September 11, 2019

## Thank You, Father Jerome!

- New LED energy- efficient lighting throughout the entire building
  - Cover the cost to re-paint the Pre-K doors
- Put forth a proposal to air condition the entire school

# Chain of Command

Parent



Teacher



Principal

Website: [www.SaintCharlesSchoolSI.org](http://www.SaintCharlesSchoolSI.org)

E-mail: [StCharlesSchoolSI@gmail.com](mailto:StCharlesSchoolSI@gmail.com)

## Notes:

### **1. The School day begins at 7:55am.**

- Students should be on line with their class before that time.
- If the student is not on line with the class they are late.

2. There should be **NO fast food lunches** brought in for student lunches

### **3. Birthday Parties need to be approved by the teacher prior to celebrations.**

Simple treats are the only thing acceptable.

4. **NO frozen treats** are allowed in the school at any time.

5. Only **grades 6-8 will take midterms and finals** with the **exception of the religion final** which will be taken by grades 3-8.

6. **Immunizations and physicals (PK3, UPK, K & 6,7) MUST** be completed and returned NOW! Letters have begun to go out for missing immunizations. Exclusions will begin and students will not be permitted to attend school. This is Office of School Health policy AND is in the School Handbook.

7. The **Flu shot is mandatory** by DOHMH/DOE for **Pre-K 3 and UPK** by December 31, 2019

8. **Field Trips:** any chaperone must have a background check and Safe Environment completed prior to going on a trip with classes. Children who have a 504 on file with the school nurse must have a parent go on the trip with the student unless the paperwork states otherwise.

Notes Continued:

10. Please be sure to follow proper "**Stop & Drop**" procedures.

- Cars dropping off the children must STAY TO THE RIGHT of the cones and cars parking in the lot must STAY TO THE LEFT.
- In no way should a parent get out of their car. Homework, paperwork, book bags, lunch bags need to be ready for drop off prior to arriving at the front.
- Also, please be courteous of our neighbors, please do not block their driveways when dropping off the children.

11. DOE decided to remove **Title 1 services** from Saint Charles as of 2018-2019 school year, but there may be other services provided this year. Final stages of planning and organizing (ELA, Math, Counseling).

12. I am looking for volunteers to help expand our **alumni outreach**.  
If interested, please sign the sheet at the Family Association table.

13. Family Association Website and Remind App- Stay up-to-date on student life with the Remind app.

# NYS Test Results:

## Following the Students' Progress from 2018 to 2019

<u>Grade</u>	<u>2018 ELA</u>	<u>2019 ELA</u>	<u>+/-</u>
2018:3 to 2019: 4	54	61	+7%
2018:4 to 2019:5	70	30	-40%
2018:5 to 2019:6	54	91	+27%
2018:6 to 2019:7	80	70	-10%
2018:7 to 2019:8	62	66	+4%

<u>Grade</u>	<u>2018 Math</u>	<u>2019 Math</u>	<u>+/-</u>
2018:3 to 2019: 4	74	53	-24%
2018:4 to 2019:5	62	54	-8%
2018:5 to 2019:6	63	88	+25%
2018:6 to 2019:7	65	76	+11%
2018:7 to 2019:8	70	72	+2%

- Dramatic decrease in scores across the ADNY in 5<sup>th</sup> ELA- CBT
  - CBT Expansion: 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> ELA; 3<sup>rd</sup> Math
- Score Reports will be sent directly to the student's home address

## Paperless Report Card:

- You will receive an e-mail with the next day asking you to set up an account.
- When the parent first log into the system, they are prompted with to take a virtual walk through (optional).
- Parents also have access to the TADS Educate Support tab (green tab to the right) which gives them access to all Educate documentation on how to view grades and reports cards through the parent module.
  - TADS Educate no longer provided written documentation.
    - Website: [adny.tads.com](http://adny.tads.com)
    - E-mail from: [adny@tads.com](mailto:adny@tads.com)
    - Check your Spam

## Crisis Management Plan:

- In case of evacuation, school will follow standard evacuation/ fire drill procedures.
- In the event that the students will not be permitted back in the school, the Church will be the **short term holding area** for all students.
- In the event that the students need to evacuate the school grounds due to unsafe conditions and the Church is deemed too close by, Msgr. Farrell HS will be the **holding area** for all students.
  - In the upcoming weeks, lock down drills will be practiced in the case of an emergency. Please have a discussion with your child regarding these drills and let them know they should not be scared.



## **Family Referral Program**

- Tuition Credit of \$250.00 for each family registering in K-8
- Referred family must enroll and remain through February 1
- If you have already referred a family, please sure you filled out the “Parent Referral Incentive” form
- The \$250 credit will be applied to the February statement

## New Weather Station



Reports current weather conditions, including indoor and outdoor temperature, humidity, barometric pressure, wind speed and direction, dew point, and rainfall

Partnership with OLMC to compare data

In conjunction with the 5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> grade curriculum

# Sign up for important updates from Family Association.

Get information for St Charles School right on your phone—not on handouts.

Pick a way to receive messages for SCS Family Association:

- A** If you have a smartphone, get push notifications.

On your iPhone or Android phone, open your web browser and go to the following link:

[rmd.at/e786b23](http://rmd.at/e786b23)

Follow the instructions to sign up for Remind. You'll be prompted to download the mobile app.



- B** If you don't have a smartphone, get text notifications.

Text the message @e786b23 to the number 81010.

If you're having trouble with 81010, try texting @e786b23 to (424) 285-1584.

\* Standard text message rates apply.



**Here is to a Great 2019-2020 School Year!**

Grades 5 & 6 will be in Ms. Esposito's classroom

(Mrs. Pianelli, Ms. Esposito, Mrs. Parnese, Mrs. Colacci)

- 1<sup>st</sup> Session is for the 5<sup>th</sup> grade parents
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Session is for the 6<sup>th</sup> grade parents

Grades 7 & 8 will remain in this cafeteria

- Ms. Luzzi, Mr. Pawliczak, Mrs. Castagna, Ms. FitzPatrick