

†Dear QOA Families,

I enjoyed speaking with each student as I reviewed report cards with the classes. I encouraged the students and reminded them that now we are in the last trimester of the school year, so it is full steam ahead, they must continue doing their best. With the nice weather and warmer temperatures, completing assignments and putting time into studying can be quite challenging. Here are a few suggestions that may help:

1. Say your prayers before beginning homework or a project. Since the weather is pleasant, discuss with your child/ren whether completing assignments after time outside would work best or would it be more advantageous to tackle written homework first and save study for after playtime. Involving your child/ren in the decision-making process makes them accountable.
2. Map out on a calendar the family, school, and sporting happenings. Mark the dates when school projects are due, when tests are to be administered, and when times for team practices and games are scheduled. In planning these important responsibilities, it will help to alleviate cramming for tests, carelessness in hastily putting a project together, and most likely, unnecessary anxiety and tension in the family.
3. Once you have established times for written and study work, stick to it. No procrastinating is allowed: no TV, music, video games, cell phone, or any other distractions, permitted. At this point in the school year, I know bribing is not something you want to make a habit of, but sometimes it may be necessary. You may want to work out a goal and it does not have to cost anything. For example, if for one week, your child/ren stuck to the schedule that was agreed upon, you may want to establish a game night, ice cream sundae party, or time set aside with mom/dad for one-on-one time.
4. *Provide lots of encouragement and praise for a job well done! GREAT JOB, PARENTS!!! God bless you ☺ Enjoy the beautiful weather!*

Reminder: Terra Nova testing 3/11 – 3/12; 3/15-16 and 3/18-19, please and thank you for making sure your child/ren are present each day!



**May Saint Patrick intercede for you and your family's intentions.
Wearing of the green on 3/17! Happy Saint Patrick's Day!**



Thank you and God bless you!
Sister Mary



	
ACADEMIC PROGRESS	
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SCHOOL	Queen of Angels Catholic School
PRINCIPAL	Sr. Mary Chapman, IHM, Ed.D.
TEACHER	_____
STUDENT	_____
GRADE	_____

Dear Parents and Guardians,
Thank you for entrusting your children to our schools. Together, we honor the shared responsibility to nurture children's faith, develop their intellect and support their growth. The daily goal of the Catholic schools in the Archdiocese of Philadelphia is to provide quality, Catholic education for each child. To empower 21st Century disciples, our teachers and administrators instill a love of learning and lead students to authentic collaboration, communication, critical thinking and creativity.
Your interest in the work your child accomplishes throughout the elementary school years is vital to a successful outcome. Ongoing communication with teachers will assist you and your child to focus on individual learning needs. This report card is one such means of communication. It captures your child's progress toward mastery of content and skills in each subject area. There is also an assessment of effort, study skills and personal growth.
Children need the assistance of supportive and dedicated adults in their lives. Actively engage your children in conversation about high expectations and their progress. This reflection will assist them in becoming self-directed learners. Congratulate, encourage and support their continued growth - as students of our schools, and ultimately, as disciples of Our Lord, Jesus Christ.
As parents, guardians, teachers and administrators, let us work to place each child on a path that will provide a future full of hope. May God be praised in all we do together to build up the Body of Christ!
Andrew McLaughlin
Secretary for Elementary Education

