



Assumption BVM School News ~ January 6, 2021

Assumption BVM Catholic School Community is a Christ-Centered learning environment that advances educational excellence and discipleship.

WORD OF THE MONTH

Goodness



- Being good, kind, and honest.
- Putting other people first.
- Sharing an encouraging point of view.



**No, not GHOSTBUSTERS...
the OFFICE!**

If your child will be out of school because of illness, appt., vacation, etc., you need to contact the school office. Thank you for letting the teachers know, **AND** you need to contact the office as well. All absences need to be documented in the Attendance book to be in compliance with WRISA ~ Wisconsin Religious and Independent Schools Accreditation. Let us know as soon as possible before the event, except for illness.

In addition, "If a vacation requires a child's absence from school and is 5 or more consecutive school days, the **office and the child's teacher** must be notified at least 7 school days before departure", per the Parent & Student Handbook, found in the **Absence** section on page 7.



Mittens, and Coats, and Hats, Oh My!

The temperatures are colder, and the snow has started. Please remember to send your child to school with full winter outer wear. Per the Parent and Student Handbook, **"All students in Preschool through Grade 5 are required to have snow pants, boots, mittens (or gloves), a hat, and a warm jacket, and will be required to wear them at all recesses."**

Students go out for recess every day, unless the "feels like" temperature is **below 0° (zero)**.

"Indoor" Dress Code

- Please make sure shirts and dresses have sleeves.
- Socks need to be worn. During these winter months, make sure your child wears socks that cover the ankles, not the "footie" type.
- For more info, please refer to the **Dress Code** section in the Parent & Student Handbook, found on pages 17 & 18.

To Quarantine or Not

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If planning a trip out of WI, please let the office know the place. A visit to many of the states may require a 7-10 day quarantine. All quarantines will be handled on a case by case basis.



"Snow Much Fun" 3-Year-Old Preschool & 4K Classroom Visit

This event is open to all families with children who will be 3 or 4 years old, respectively, by September 1, 2021 and are planning for the 2021-2022 school year.

Families can register for a 15 minute time slot to meet the teacher, see the classroom, and have some play time. Tours of the school will be available after their visit with the teacher.

Please RSVP by calling 920-822-5650 or emailing anne.mead@abvm.org.

Parents ~ You are great advocates! If you know anyone, family or friends, with children these ages, please encourage them to visit our school. Thank you!

Online Christmas Concert

If you didn't have a chance to see the concert yet, you still can!

Go to the school website, www.abvmeducation.org.

Click on the "Online Concert Link" at the top of the Home Page. Your kiddos did a

fantastic job! 😊

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Catholic Schools Week Brainstorming Session

**Tuesday, Jan. 12, 2021
via Zoom meeting
at 4:00 pm**

We are looking for 2 parents to help brainstorm ideas for Catholic Schools Week. Interested parents would earn 1 hour toward their **Service Hours** requirement. Call the school office at 822-5650 or email Mrs. Mangold at sara.mangold@abvm.org.

Thanks for your consideration!



Service Hour Opportunities

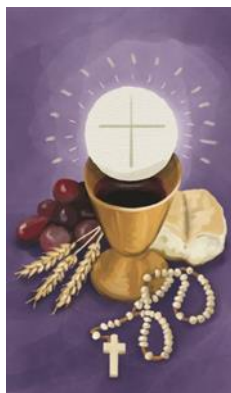
Need to fulfill your **20 Service Hours**? Here are the most current opportunities.

Read-a-thon Coordinator (similar to the Walk-a-thon): Organize, prepare and follow up with a Read-a-Thon fundraiser. Would be able to utilize other volunteers for some of the components. Hours of service to be determined.

Afterschool Care Volunteer: Supervise students during aftercare. Must have Protecting God's Children training, register as a volunteer with the Diocese of Green Bay, and complete a background check. Hours of service would equal number of hours volunteered.

If you are interested in any of these **service hour** opportunities, please contact Mrs. Mangold at sara.mangold@abvm.org or call 822-5650.

For other opportunities, refer to the [2020-2021 Service Hour Opportunities Sheet](#). Go to the Organizations tab on the school website and select Home & School Association.



Grade 3 ~ First Holy Communion

There are 6 online Zoom sessions that are part of the preparation for First Holy Communion, and the first one is at the end of January. Have you signed up for your sessions?

If you have any questions, please call 822-5650 or contact Mrs. Deanne Wilinski, Religious Ed.

Director, at deanne.wilinski@abvm.org. Thank you!

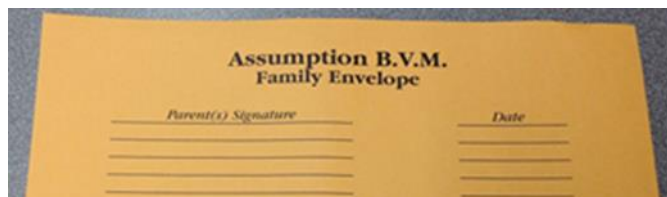


Attention Bus Families

Beginning the week of January 11, Pulaski Community School District students will be returning to school in a hybrid model. Due to this, Assumption BVM student bussing will also change.

The bus schedule will go back to the original, beginning of year routes. Watch for an email from Mrs. Mangold with your scheduled route.

At this time, there will be NO bussing on Wednesdays. Thank you for your patience with all of the changes, and expect more changes. 😊



ENCLOSURES

None this week.