



Assumption BVM School News ~ January 20, 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.



TUITION TAX DEDUCTION

Check if you qualify for a Tuition Tax Deduction. Visit our school website at www.abvmeducation.org.

1. Click on Resources, Forms & Links.
2. The first column has two informational forms:
 - a. Tax Deduction Memo
 - b. Tuition Tax Talking Points
3. The second column has the Tuition Tax Form.

If you do not have access to a printer, please let us know and we can send them home with your child.

If you have any questions regarding the 2020 Calendar Year Tuition Tax Statement or the 2020 Calendar Year care statement you received in last week's family envelope, please call the school office.



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. See below for procedures upon returning from vacation.

To Quarantine or Not



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.

"Indoor" Dress Code

- Make sure your child has **tennis shoes** for Gym class.
 - K-5 every **Monday, Wednesday, and Friday.**
 - 4K every **Monday & Friday.**
 If it is easier, have your child keep his/her tennis shoes **in the tote** so they are always here. 😊
- 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.



Friday, January 22, 2021



The Catholic Diocese is committed to doing all that it can to promote a safe, healthy community of faith. The "Promise to Protect, Pledge to Heal" brochure is enclosed in the family envelope. Please take time to review this brochure.

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**CELEBRATE
CATHOLIC
SCHOOLS
WEEK 2021**
January 31 - February 6
#CSW21

Coming soon! Schedule with details in next week's family envelope.

Service Hours

Service Hours statements are in this week's family envelope. Each family with students in grades 4K-5 is required to work 20 hours using any of the events listed on the Service Hour Opportunities Sheet. \$40 per hour will be charged for any of the 20 hours not met. Pay out total (no hours) is \$800.

Service Hour 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.

Fruit Sale help: Our Fruit & Flavor of WI sale will be starting next week. Please refer to the email I sent on Tuesday, January 19 for ways to earn hours.

NEW~ Playground/Lunchroom Volunteer ~ Wednesdays: Supervise students during lunch and recess. Same requirements as Afterschool Care Volunteer. Hours of service would equal number of hours volunteered.

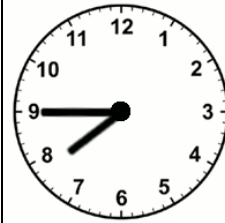
If you have any questions, please contact the office.

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.

Please continue to watch the school newsletter and email for future opportunities.



Fruit Sale
Begins next week!



Tardy Slips

Since we are back to a more regular routine, students are expected to be in their desk, ready to learn by 7:45 am. Any student who arrives late will be given a tardy slip & marked tardy.

Note: 3K and 4K students do not get tardy slips.

School Lunches ~ Grades K-5

At this time, we continue to get school lunches from PCSD. Morning snacks are also provided.

All students, including those who bring cold lunch, can take the morning snack.

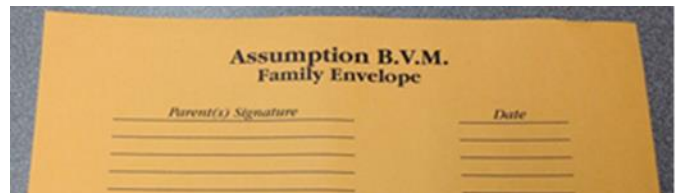
Donations ~ We still have our food service people helping with set-up, serving and clean up. **Thank you** to those who have already made donations. If you have not, we ask you to prayerfully consider making a lunch donation. If you have money in your lunch account, please let us know if or how much you would like to offer for a donation. Thank you!



Weather Related Information ~ Pulaski Community School District (PCSD)

The Wednesday, October 28 school newsletter contained information about a test of the Emergency Notification System for the Pulaski Community School District. (See website, Resources, School Newsletters, then scroll down to 10/28/2020.)

In this week's family envelope, you will find weather related info from the district. If you have any questions, please contact our school office.



ENCLOSURES

- **Grades 4K-5** Service Hours statement
- Promise to Protect, Pledge to Heal brochure
- Weather Related Information from the Pulaski Community School District