



Second Grade
2020-2021





St. Bartholomew Catholic School empowers all students in our faith-filled welcoming community to grow in mind, body and spirit.

La escuela católica de St. Bartholomew da la bienvenida a todos los estudiantes a nuestra comunidad de Fé, y los fortalece para crecer en la mente, el cuerpo y el espíritu.

2020-2021 Theme – We walk by faith, not by sight. ~ 2 Corinthians 5:7

2020-21 Guidelines for Re-entry

- Masks/facial coverings will be worn by ALL staff and students.
- Homeroom Teachers will take each student's temperature daily before announcements.
- Students will eat lunch in their classrooms.
- Students can purchase lunch (from BCSC) or bring their own lunch.
- Teachers are expected to take students outside frequently during nice weather.
- Parents and Visitors will not be permitted inside the school. (Except in Office by appointment.)

2020-21 Guidelines for Re-entry

- Students will have individual desks/tables spaced as far apart as possible and facing in the same direction.
- Students will NOT share school materials.
- Students are encouraged to have their own water bottles. Bottle filling stations will be open, but drinking fountains will be closed.
- Students are encouraged to have a crate or box to hold belongings by their desks/tables.
- Other suggested items:
Headphones that cover the entire ear, towel or mat for sitting outside, personal size hand sanitizer, pencil sharpener and tissues.

Jupiter Ed

- Jupiter Ed is our Student Information System. It is the method by which we communicate with families. Grades are also accessible 24/7 through Jupiter Ed. We recommend that Kindergarten parents login to check grades at least two times per quarter and parents for older students at least weekly.
- Please make sure you are familiar with accessing your Jupiter account.
- One very important thing we need you to do is to check to make sure your contact information (address, email, phone number) is correct in Jupiter.
- Please opt-in for text messaging through Jupiter. This will allow you to quickly receive messages regarding school closures or other important information right to your phone.
- Your child's school email address will be entered into Jupiter for them. Please do not change your child's email address. It is very important that their stbirish email address remain in Jupiter.
- If you have any difficulty accessing your Jupiter account, please contact Mrs. King at jking@stbirish.net or Mrs. Graman at dgraman@stbirish.net.

Leader in Me

This program gives students opportunities to build leadership through the discovery of their unique gifts. It is through these gifts that students become actively engaged in their education and become more responsible to themselves, their classmates and their school.

Description: The 7 Habits are as follows - Be Proactive, Begin With the End in Mind, First Things First, Think Win Win, Seek First to Understand - Then to Be Understood, Synergize, and Sharpen The Saw.

Thursday afternoon lessons - Students and staff will meet in their homerooms for 50 minute lessons each week to discuss the habits and how to incorporate these habits in their own lives and into our school culture.

Parent information will be sent home regularly through newsletter so that you know the Habit that we are focusing on that week.

Google Classroom and SeeSaw

- Students will be using Google Classroom and SeeSaw on their Chromebooks this year.
- Teachers will teach their students how to use these online learning platforms, which will be used both in the classroom and if we need to implement eLearning.
- These platforms allow great interaction between students and their teachers, provide easy access to assignments and videos, and are very simple for students to maneuver.
- SeeSaw also allows students to receive and turn in virtual assignments in a variety of ways, including via picture and video.

Specials Staff

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About Mrs. Weichman - 2A

I am a mother of two beautiful boys named Leo and Owen. I also have two crazy dogs.

My husband and I reside in Columbus. I

LOVE coffee and Target is my happy place :)



About Mrs. Wischmeier - 2B

This is my 6th year at St. Bartholomew. I am a University of Dayton grad who loves spending time with my family, reading, and being outside. My husband and I have two boys, two dogs, and two cats.

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ELA Curriculum

Wonders

- ★ Comprehension strategies
- ★ Comprehension skills
- ★ Genre
- ★ Vocabulary strategies
- ★ Grammar and mechanics
- ★ Writing
- ★ Literary elements/text features



Math Curriculum

Envision

- ★ Number Sense
- ★ Computation and Algebraic Thinking
- ★ Geometry
- ★ Measurement
- ★ Data Analysis



Curriculum continued

Religion

- ★ New Series - Christ In Us
- ★ Reconciliation and First Communion

Science

- ★ Physical Science, Life Science, Earth and Space Science, and Engineering

Social Studies

- ★ Neighborhoods and Communities



Technology

Chromebooks

- ★ Complete assignments
- ★ SeeSaw and Google Classroom
- ★ Online research
- ★ Basic coding skills

All logins for websites will be glued into their assignment notebook



Supplies

Since we will not be using shared classroom supplies this year, in addition to the supplies on the list we are asking each student to have their own pencil sharpener and scissors.

Each student will keep their own bottle of hand sanitizer at their desk.



Birthday in a Bag

Instead of sending birthday treats for everyone, we have a tradition called Birthday in a Bag. The month of his/her birthday (summer birthdays will be celebrated on or a day close to his/her half birthday), your child will bring home a Birthday in a Bag. You will get to fill his/her bag with special treats and trinkets for your child only. You can send the bag with your child on his/her birthday or a day close to it. The lucky birthday kid will get to open the bag during snack time when we sing, "Happy Birthday!"



Teacher Contact Info

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