

## Announcement for the start of school

Hello Everyone!

St. Francis of Assisi will begin their 2021-2022 school year on **Wednesday, September 8th**. We welcome back all our returning SFA families as well as our new families! I am looking forward to beginning our new school year and getting to some type of normalcy the best we can.

We have not made any decisions in regards to masks as of yet. I assure you that a decision will not be made until later in August since everything changes daily.

Michelle Johnson is our new Administrative Assistant and has already begun her duties, so please email her at [mjohnson@sfaschool.com](mailto:mjohnson@sfaschool.com) if you need anything.

Here are some dates for the beginning of the school year to help you better prepare your schedule.

**Thursday, August 26th**- Preschool 3 Back to School Night at 6:00PM

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**Wednesday, September 8th**- School begins at 8:00 AM for all students grades Preschool-8. Grades 1-8 will report in the gym between 7:30-8. Kindergartners will report to their classrooms this week. Preschool reports to their classrooms all year. Dismissal will be at our regular 2:40 PM dismissal time. All students must be in Spring uniforms. Back to School night for grades K-1 and 6th,7th,8th. Please meet in the gym at 7:00PM to meet me and get a few details about school before going to your child's classroom.

**Thursday, September 9th**- 2nd and 3rd grade Back to School Night. Please meet in the gym at 7:00PM to meet me and get a few details about school before going to your child's classroom.

**Monday, September 13th**- 4th and 5th grade Back to School night. Please meet in the gym at 7:00PM to meet me and get a few details about school before going to your child's classroom. There is also a Band Orientation at 6:30 in the 3rd grade classroom for anyone that is interested in Band this year!

I will send another email or video with more details on our staff, class lists, our new McGillicuddy's Lunch Program, as well as any updates and changes that have changed this summer. I am looking forward to a great year! In the meantime enjoy the rest of your summer!

*\*As of now, back to school night is in person. If that changes due to covid restrictions, I will let you know and they will be virtual.\**

With Love,

Mrs. Hamilton

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