



St. Stanislaus Kostka School

"Do not walk through time without leaving worthy evidence of your passage." Saint John XXIII

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"We can do hard things."

Dear St. Stanislaus Kostka Families,

It's official, we have made it to October! As a teacher I always loved October because routines were established and everyone was back into the swing of things. I think the students and faculty have definitely gotten into a groove, despite all of the changes we have had to become accustomed to,

We will be MAP testing from October 13-23. We are working with MAP to see if we can accommodate virtual learners. These tests benchmark students, allow teachers to see what needs to be focused on for each student, and measure student growth. Students in grades 1-8 will be tested. More information will follow as it becomes available.

This Friday, October 2, we will celebrate our first school Mass. Father Ken will livestream the Mass into the classrooms, and then he will distribute the Eucharist. We remain hopeful that we will be able to return to the church soon to celebrate Mass together.

Included in this white envelope is a letter that again outlines the responsibilities of our virtual learners. We understand that there will be obstacles, but hopefully by working together it can run efficiently. I would also like to invite virtual learners to return to in-person instruction at any time. If this is something you would like, please email the office and we will make the accommodations to get them back into the building as soon as possible.

Soon I will be making an announcement about the switch over to winter uniform. You will be notified at least a week prior, but I am thinking it will be by November 2, for those of you who still need to get winter uniforms.

Finally, please remember that at morning drop-off parents are to remain in their cars so the line can move quickly. If your child needs more assistance, you can pull into the parking lot alongside Jacobson Street and walk them to the door. This should really only be necessary for our preschool students. Thank you in advance for your cooperation with this.

Please reach out to me should you have any questions.

Regards,

Lori Hodder, Principal
