



# 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."

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Dear St. Stanislaus Kostka Families,

The quote above was graciously offered to me by a fellow parent. I think it embodies everything we are trying to accomplish throughout this very trying time in our world. We have all been faced with having to do hard things we normally wouldn't even attempt. I have chosen this to be our motto for the school year, because working together I truly believe we can do hard things.

It has been so wonderful having the building filled with students again! They seem to be truly enjoying their time here, despite the restrictions. I know there have been some bumps along the way, especially with our virtual learners. Please know that the teachers are working exceptionally hard to ensure that all students are getting what they need. It is definitely a work in progress.

That being said, please remember that all virtual learners should be online by 7:40 AM. All paperwork must also be returned, including homework and discipline policies, regardless if your child is in school or working virtually. The virtual classroom is an extension of the in-person classroom, and all policies and rules are the same for all students.

Finally, regarding morning drop-off, in order to keep the line moving parents should not be getting out of cars. The staff on duty will help your child/children out of the car. Please drive up to the front of the building to ensure a continuous stream of traffic. Also, no child should be walking up and crossing between cars to get to the front entrance. This is a safety issue. If you are a parents of a preschool child who needs extra assistance, you may pull straight ahead to the parking lot on the right and walk your child up. Since morning arrival is taking longer than usual, students will not be marked late until after morning prayers, which is around 7:50 AM.

Thank you so much for your ongoing support!

Regards,

Lori Hodder

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