





Welcome to the SAA Grades 5 & 6 Summer Check-in

July 20, 2021

Loving God,

Let Thy blessings be upon St. Agnes Academy - St. Dominic School. Help us to seek the truth, to stand up for the rights of others, and to promote justice, respect and peace in our school and world communities. Inspire with love and goodness both those who teach and those who learn. Give us the grace to walk in the footsteps of Jesus, loving and forgiving of others.

We ask these gifts in Jesus' name through the power of the Holy Spirit.

Amen.





Updates...

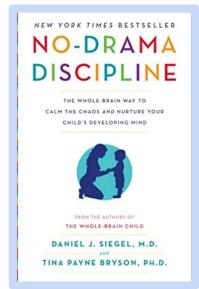
- ★ Welcome to our new STARS Gillian Gatere (5) Morgan Massey (5) Charlotte Stifter (5) Elsa Gaylor (6) Daisy Yarrow (6)
- **★** Safety Protocols
- ★ Schoology: Learning Management System
- ★ Grades 5 & 6 Field Trip! St.
 Columba! Over night for Grade 6



Calling all Parents

- ★ Thursday, July 29; COVID-19 Vaccine for Children What Parents Need to Know at 5 p.m. in the Hook Theater also via Zoom... link TBA
- ★ Thursday, August 5: Raising STARS; Practical Tips for Parents from our Counselor, Britney Dedmon - Virtual meeting from 5:30-6:15 p.m. https://us06web.zoom.us/j/8278569039
- * Raising STARS: Dean's Book Talk





Tuesday, October 19 at 6-7 p.m.



Celebrating Back-to-School

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- **★** Tuesday, August 10: Back-to-School Celebration ℰ Ice Cream Social from 3-6 p.m.
 - o 5:00 p.m. Athletics Meeting in the Hook with SAA-SDS Athletic Director Matt Nelson
 - Visit with your child's teachers
 - Nurse, Spirit Shop, Food Services, EDA
- ★ Thursday & Friday August 12 and 13: Student Orientations from 8:00 a.m.-noon.
 - See July 16 letter with your child's assigned day
 - For those families who have registered, EDA is available on your assigned orientation day





Books & Supplies



- All books, supplies, & PE uniforms will be on your daughter's desk on the first day of school (Extra PE uniforms may be purchased from the Spirit Shop at spiritshop@saa-sds.org.)
- ★ K-6 Books and Supplies Fee: \$300
- ★ <u>August 6:</u> Books and supplies fee assessed on FACTS account: Questions Contact Martha Stewart at <u>mstewart@saa-sds.org</u>
- **★** Students will need a good set of headphones





Please put your Star's *NAME* on all of her clothing



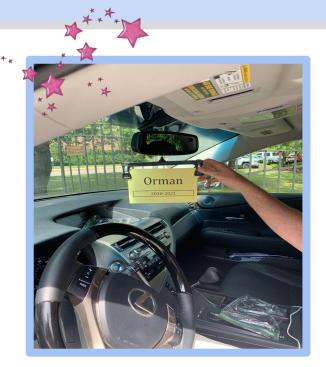
Uniforms



- ★ Flynn O'Hara; Uniform representatives will be on campus July 21 & July 28 from 3:30-6:30 p.m. in the Siena Hall Foyer (Register for an appointment.)
- ★ Grades 5 & 6 wear the pleated skirt in the winter & the pleated dress in the spring (Must be mid-knee length)
 - Smaller size is available through special order by calling 800-441-4122
- **★** Red pull-over sweater required
 - Order white sweater from <u>Lands' End</u>;
 School number 900187766



- ★ Extended Day Activities Registration is now open (See information on our website under Campus Life)
- **★** Early Morning Care: 7:00-7:30 a.m. in Dining Hall
- **★** Morning Drop off in front of SAA at 7:30 a.m.
- **★** Grade 6 Morning Stars are back!
- ★ Afternoon Dismissal: M Tu Th F at 3:00 p.m. Wednesday at 2:15 p.m.
- ★ Afternoon care: 3-6 p.m. in the Dining Hall
- **★** Siblings







Name Card must be visible at all times
NO CELL PHONE use in the carline



Technology



- ★ August 9 at 6:00 p.m.: New Students and Parents - iPad Orientation & Responsible Use Meeting. Zoom Link https://uso6web.zoom.us/j/9017671377
- **★** New devices will be issued on the first day of school.
- **★** iPads have an integrated, all-in-one design; more durability; keyboard is attached









In addition...

- **★** Teacher Assignments:
 - o Grade 5: Mrs. Cardwell
 - Spanish: Mrs. Richardson

- o SAA-SDS Science: Mrs. Bolden
- o Art (Interim): Mrs. MacDermant

- **★** Backpacks & Lockers:
 - Students in Grades 5 & 6 use hall *lockers* to store their backpacks and clothing; only a shelf and magnets are to be placed in the locker.
 - Rolling backpacks must measure 10 ½" deep x 11"wide. Due to limited space, rolling backpacks cannot be stored in the classrooms.
 - Locker set up on orientation day
- ★ Cell phones and Smartwatches with cellular capability are not permitted in the Lower School
- **★** See this week's WEDNESDAY WIRE for dining hall details
 - Reminder: No cash sales







A gentle reminder to the girls about

Summer Enrichment

See you for our Back-to-School Celebration
on Tuesday, August 10 at 3-6 p.m.

Be who God meant you to be, and you will set the world on fire."

St. Catherine of Siena