



HCA K-5 Notes

Date: 1/7/2021

Administrators' Note

Happy New Year and welcome back for the second half of our 2021-2022 school year! The students and staff were all excited to return after a long Christmas break. At the Primary campus, our students enjoyed learning about the Epiphany and doing activities to celebrate the new year!



It was business as usual at the Intermediate campus this week! Our 5th grade students braved the cold to keep up their weekly recycling duties. 4th grade students used videos to help them understand their math lessons. The lasagna lunch was very popular with our 3rd graders at lunch, and our lobby snowman is ready to cheer on the Blues!



Upcoming Dates

- Friday, January 7: Parent gradebook view turned off
- Thursday, January 13: Kindergarten preview night for current ECEC families
- Friday, January 14: End of 2nd quarter; Early dismissal; **NO ASP**
- Monday, January, 17: NO SCHOOL
- Tuesday, January 18: Today and Tomorrow Scholarship applications open
- Friday, January 21: Report cards go live
- Thursday, January 27: 5th Grade D.A.R.E. Graduation
- Sunday, January 30: Open House 11 AM- 1 PM

COVID Information

- We are thankful for all of the good communication we have received from families regarding COVID tests and symptoms. Please note that if you email our nurses or administrators over the weekend or after school hours, you may not get a response until the next school day. We ask that you keep your child at home until you hear from the nurses. Thank you!

Snow Day Communications

- Parents will be notified through FACTS (via email and text) if school needs to be cancelled or to run on Snow Schedule. FACTS is the primary method of communication for school wide announcements. We also post the information on our social media platforms. HCA does NOT post cancellations on all TV stations. It will only appear as Holy Cross Academy St. Louis on KSDK (Channel 5).

If HCA is running a Snow Schedule, classes begin at 9:30 AM for all campuses. Buildings will open at 9:00 AM, with no supervision of students before that time.

If Holy Cross Academy is on the Snow Schedule, no shuttle buses will be running.

Please refer to the Parent Handbook for more details.

Additional Information

- The Diva Dash date has been postponed to April 2.
- We are looking for aftercare workers. PLEASE reach out to Ms. Rankin if you know of anyone interested so that we can continue to offer ASP 5 days a week.

Attachments

- Today and Tomorrow Scholarship