



8th grade Newsletter

January 6, 2023

Welcome back! I hope everyone had a great break with their families and is coming back rested and ready to go. As parents of 8th grade students, you are going to have a busy second semester. We will have 8th grade night for boys basketball, scheduling for high school and the high school tour, the trip to St. Louis, confirmation and graduation. Be ready these last few months will fly by and you will have high school students in no time.

Report cards for 2nd quarter went home today. Please take a look, sign and return. Reach out if there are any questions or concerns. This has been a wonderful first half of the year. Thank you for raising up such respectful, kind, and genuine kiddos.

Looking ahead, Catholic Schools Week is January 30-February 3. The dress up days will be:

Monday-Pajama Day

Tuesday- Mismatched Day

Wednesday- Western Wednesday

Thursday-Blue and Gold Day and Anything but a backpack Day (for middle school)

Friday-Decades Day

SMS has a new and improved website! Take a look when you get a chance. Also, all newsletters will be posted there weekly, along with the school newsletter & lunch menu.

In class next week:

Math- Review first semester and continue systems of equations

Science - Earthquakes

Social Studies- Topic 10-Economic & Industrial Growth after the Civil War

English/ Language Arts- New spelling/vocab., A Christmas Carol Adaptation

Religion- Writing Styles of the Bible and Senses of Scripture

Calendar dates

Jan 6- Report Cards home

Jan 16- MLK Day-No School

Jan 30-Catholic Schools Week

Feb 17-School Improvement Day, Dismiss @
Noon

Feb 20-Presidents Day-No School

Feb 25-Rockets Mardi Gras 5k/Fun Run

March 25-City Lights School Fundraiser Dinner/Dance/Action