

St. Theresa School

Welcome, Parents

May 14, 2021

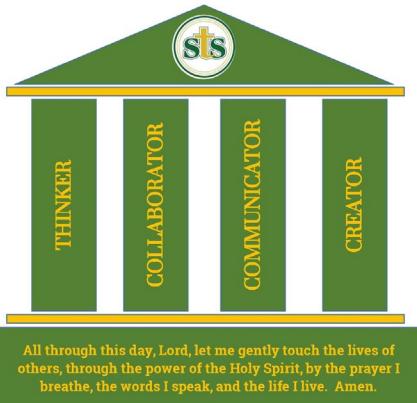


St. THERESA SCHOOL

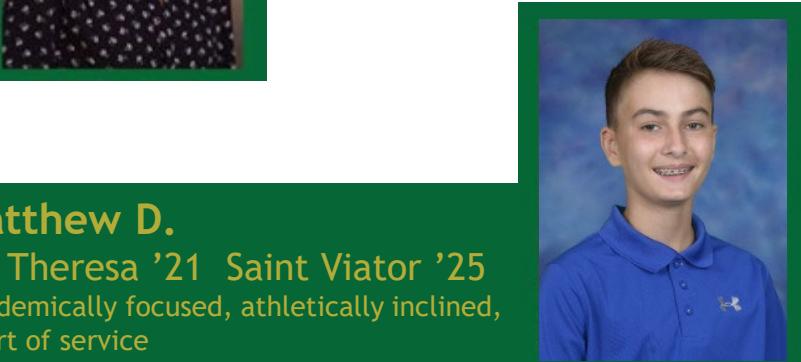
Forming Christian Scholars for the 21st Century



What is a Christian Scholar?



Katherine Hannon
St. Theresa '17 Saint Viator '21
National Merit Finalist
Illinois State Scholar
Notre Dame University Neuroscience



Matthew D.
St. Theresa '21 Saint Viator '25
Academically focused, athletically inclined,
heart of service



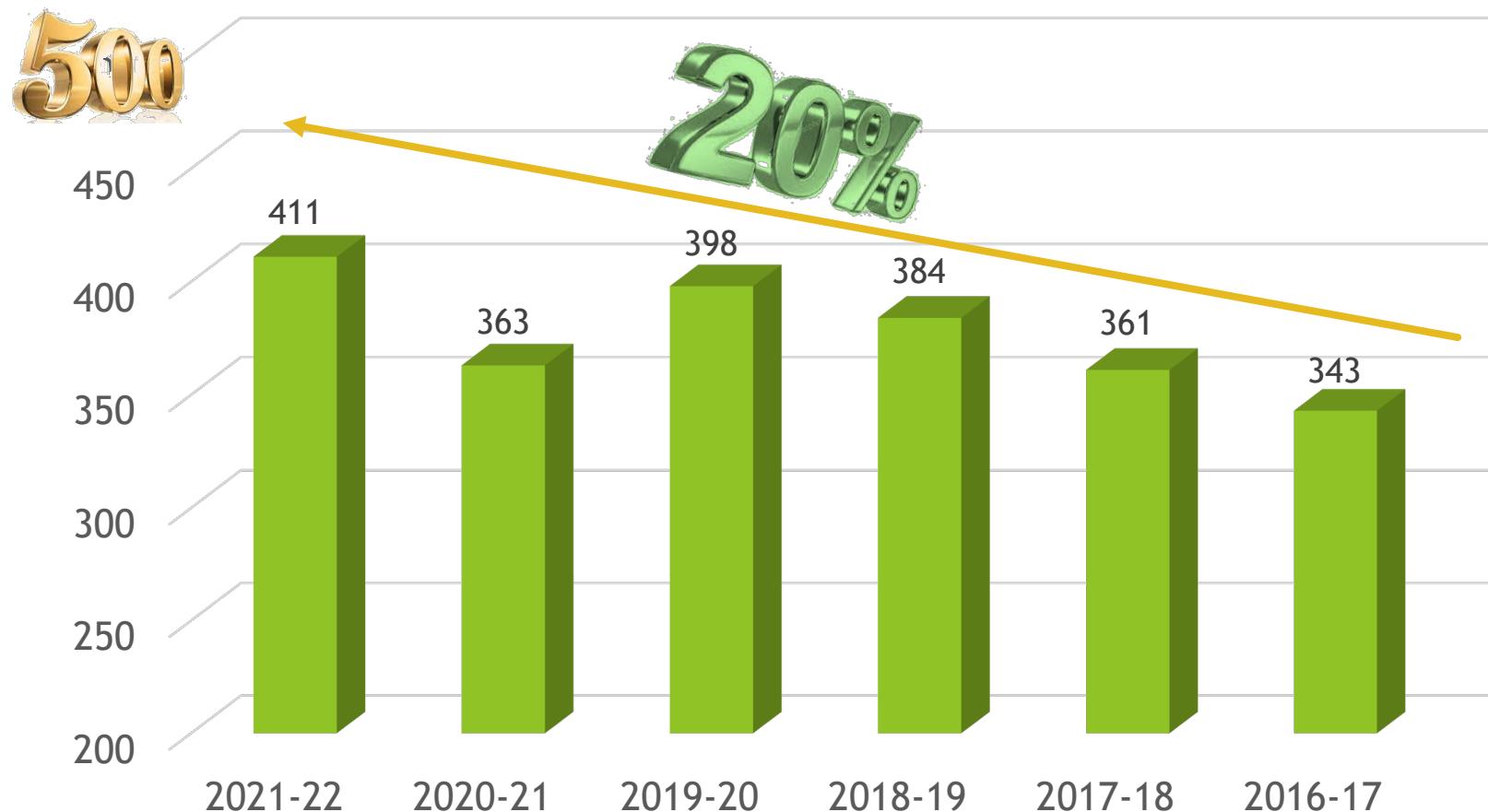
Llewyn O.
St. Theresa '29
Being good, studying hard, moving
up and ready for summer!



Parents are
the primary
educators
of their
children



Historical Growth 2016date



What do I need to know now?

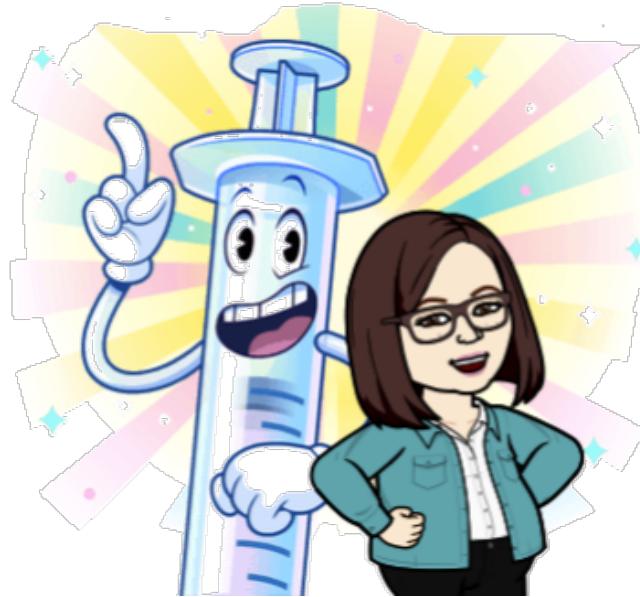




- Information on:
 - Bus
 - Uniform
 - School Supplies
 - Medical Forms
 - Calendar
 - Summer Study
 - Tuition
- Coming **via email**
- Will also be on the website in the **virtual backpack**



Vaccinations and Physicals



- Must be filed, on paper, in the nurse's office **before August 26**
- Instructions are in the May Mailing
- **No exemptions** from the vaccination requirements
- No guidance on COVID vaccinations at this time
- **Questions?** Contact Mrs. Montrie



STEP: St. Theresa Extended Day Program

- Opens at 6:30 am, closes 6:00 pm
- Registration is required now - cannot just attend
- **If you are dropping off a preschooler before 8:00** must be registered in STEP
- If there is a chance you might need STEP during the year...register now!
- Forms on the [website here](#)
- Contact Mrs. Pfaller

cpfaller@sttheresaschool.com



St. Thereseisms...



TOP 10
"THERESAISMS"
that will help you navigate
the beginning of the year.

- 1 MEET THE TEACHER**
This open-house style event allows students to come to school with their parents to meet their teacher, put away their school supplies and prepare for the start of the school year.
- 2 CURRICULUM NIGHT**
A parent only event held prior to the start of school. Parents have the opportunity to meet their child's teacher and learn about the curriculum and classroom expectations for the year.
- 3 SCHOOL RUSH**
Our communication app-- contains calendar, directory, and other important contact information. Be sure you download it and subscribe to the calendar right away! An invite will be sent via email.
- 4 POWER SCHOOL**
Our administrative software. The app is available to parents in grades 6th-8th only.

- 5 USED UNIFORM CLOSET**
Available all year round on the lower level of the school, however, most people utilize our two main events every year held in August (before the start of school) and in the middle of the year (during Catholic Schools Week).
- 6 "CHANGE FOR CHANGE"**
A monthly fundraiser for a notable charity. Students bring change and donate to the charity. It's also a jeans and spiritwear day for students.
- 7 SPIRITWEAR**
Any STS logo t-shirt or sweatshirt. These are available for purchase on the school's website in the online school store.
- 8 O'BRIEN HALL**
Also called "the O'Brien" - the multipurpose room and lunchroom on the lower level of the school.
- 9 DOLAN CENTER**
The stand alone gymnasium. "Upper Dolan" is the gym. "Lower Dolan" is the meeting space below. "Dolan Lot" refers to the large parking lot next to the building.
- 10 STS COMMUNITY FACEBOOK PAGE**
The Parents' Association-run Facebook page. A great source of information for what's happening at and around the school.



What is coming up?



Sequence of Events:

June 2 8:00 am Moving Up Day for Entering 8th graders

June 9 Preschool Playdate in the Park 10:11:30

August 23 Preschool Parent Orientation parents only

August 24 K-8th Curriculum Night parents only

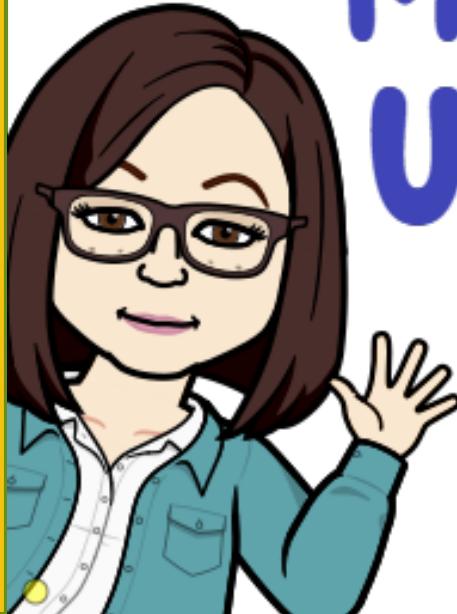
August 25 Meet the Teacher parents and kids, open house style 7:30-10:00 am

August 26 Full day of School all forms due!



Wednesday, June 2

8:00-8:45 am



MOVING UP DAY

Entering
K-8th graders

- **RSVP** to Mrs. Kolbus by Friday, May 28
- **Arrive at Door 1** by 8:00 am
- **Pick up at Door 1** at 8:45 am



How do I meet people?



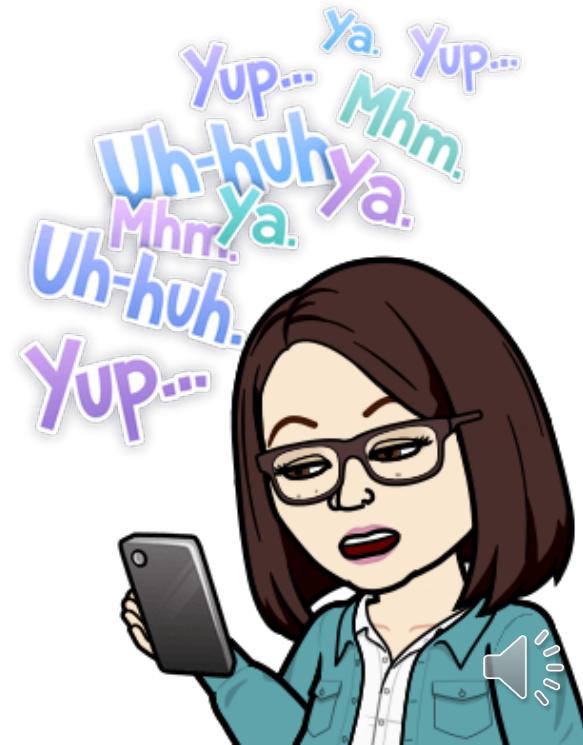
- Join the Parents Association
- School events - Bonfire!
- Volunteering in the classroom
- Coming to 10 am Mass on Sundays
- Join the STS Community Group on FaceBook



How do I find information during the summer?



- Website www.stthersaschool.com
- Parent Update and other Emails
- Partner Parents
- Preschool Playdate in the Park
Wednesday, June 9
10:00-11:30
- Call! 847-359-1820



How do I
know
what's
going on?



- Calendar
- Email
 - Parent Update from the Principal
 - Weekly Newsletter
- SchoolRush
- Partner Parents
- Website - Latest News
- Follow us on FaceBook and Instagram



How do I contact the school?





Mrs. Enza Soby, Office Admin esoby@sttheresaschool.com

- Detail information about the school - dates, materials, etc.
- If you don't know whom to call



Mrs. Montrie, School Nurse mmontrie@sttheresaschool.com



Miss Mary Keenley, Principal mkeenley@sttheresaschool.com



Mrs. Terri Kolbus, Admissions tkolbus@sttheresaschool.com

- Any changes to your admissions or if you don't know whom to contact

Website www.sttheresaschool.com

- Digital Backpack - forms and information you need



What are the COVID guidelines next year?



For Sure...

- Open for in person learning
- Will be some guidelines

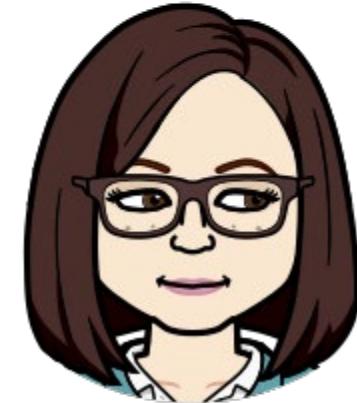
Probable...

- Masks
- Attendance guidelines

No Idea...

- Mandatory vaccination
- Quarantines
- Student movement guidelines

**DON'T
KNOW**



Are you Excited??



Let's Pray that we
can freely continue to

*Form Christian
Scholars for the
21st Century!*

Memorare

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help, or sought thine intercession was left unaided.

Inspired by this confidence, I fly unto thee, O Virgin of virgins, my mother; to thee do I come, before thee I stand, sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in thy mercy hear and answer me. Amen



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Year of St. Joseph, Month of Our Lady

