

## FROM THE TEACHERS:

Catholic Schools Week Mass & Formal Uniform: Our Catholic Schools Week Mass will be held on Monday, January 30 at 10:30 a.m. in the SAC. Formal uniform is required for all K-8th grade students. Parents are invited and welcome to attend and must enter through the School Office and sign in.. Students will sit with their Bear Prayer Partners.

**ELA & Library Volunteer Opportunities:** Below are the links for volunteer opportunities for both Library and ELA Centers. \*Please note that you must be cleared to volunteer before you can sign up\*. For ELA, the volunteers will be running an ELA center overseeing a small group of students completing a task. Tasks may include overseeing students reading a small reader booklet and assisting them as needed with answering questions pertaining to the story. We are looking to have one parent volunteer for each class per session from 7:55 - 8:55 a.m. (with the exception of 2C - which will take 2 parent volunteers for each class session).

Mr. Miyashiro - 2A: Mr. Miyashiro's Volunteer Link
Mrs. Wolf - 2B: Mrs. Wolf's Volunteer Link
Mrs. Murphy - 2C: Mrs. Murphy's Volunteer Link
Mrs. Hoey - 2D: Mrs. Hoey's Volunteer Link

iPads: Please ensure that iPads are charged nightly as our students use them daily in class.

**Valentines:** Our kids will enjoy exchanging Valentines within their classroom on Valentines Day. We are looking for volunteers to assist passing out a treat at snacktime to celebrate Valentine's Day. The SUG is below.

Second Grade Valentine's Day Volunteer

## **2nd GRADE NEWS & REMINDERS:**

**Sunshine Flowers:** To recognize our wonderful teachers and staff during Catholic Schools Week, we are asking students to bring in yellow flowers on Thursday, February 2, 2023. To ensure each of our teachers and staff receive flowers, please do not deliver directly to a specific teacher/staff; rather drop off your yellow flower donations at the PEB lunch tables during morning drop off. Volunteers will be at the lunch tables to collect the flowers from students and create Always Sunny at St. Serra Sunshine flower bouquets to deliver to all our teachers and staff. Thank you for your assistance in recognizing our amazing teachers and staff.

**Anchor Ball**: Please help make Anchor Ball a success! Purchase <u>tickets</u> and join in on the grade level <u>gift</u> <u>gathering fun</u>. All gift gathering donations of \$50 or more will earn your bear(s) a non-uniform dress day.

## **Calendar Reminders:**

Sunday, January 29: Students should wear their formal uniform to today's Mass at their parish, in

honor of Catholic Schools Week.

Monday, January 30: Formal uniform for Mass

Wednesday, February 1: Minimum day

Friday, February 3: Spirit shirt day. Spirit shirts are to be worn with school uniform bottoms.

Grace and Blessings,

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