

MCDONELL & NOTRE DAME

NEWSLETTER



FROM THE PRINCIPAL

Parent-Teacher conferences will be held on Friday, October 3rd. Please click on the link below to schedule a time with any teacher you would like to see:

McDonnell High School

Mr. Bormann	Mrs. Lubs
Ms. Brehm	Mrs. Nelson
Mrs. Buchmann	Mr. Pauley
Mr. Burgraff	Mrs. Retzlaff
Ms. Covelli	Mr. Rider
Mr. Gilbertson	Mrs. Rohloff
Mr. Hanson	Mrs. Rozowski
Mrs. Jorgensen	Mr. Ruf
Mr. King	Mrs. Stepp
Ms. Laux	Mr. Zens

Notre Dame Middle School

[6th Grade Conferences 2025](#)

[7th Grade Conferences 2025](#)

[8th Grade Conferences 2025](#)

A reminder to anyone that has not completed Release and Medical Form, please submit one to the school as soon as possible. This is a required form by the diocese for all students to have on file. Thank you for your cooperation.

[Medical Release Form Link](#)

Mr. Wedemeyer

FRIENDLY REMINDERS FOR FAMILIES:

Beginning with the 2025-26 school year we have implemented a new College Visit policy:

College Visit Absence Requests:

High school students who meet the following criteria will be allowed to have two excused days of absence for a college visit during their junior year and two excused days of absence for a college visit during their senior year:

- The student must be on track to graduate on time.
- The student must be classified as a junior or senior based upon credits earned.
- The student must be passing all coursework.
- The student must meet the 85% attendance rule.
- The student cannot have any disciplinary issues.

Students must submit a "College Visit Absence Request Form" to the office at least two days before the day requested for a college visit.

Daily Announcements:

- Located on the MACS website under Academics, Notre Dame School News or McDonnell HS School News

Lunch Menus:

- Located on the main calendar of the MACS website

Upcoming events:

Sept. 23 - 6th Grade Faith Retreat

Sept. 22-27 - Homecoming Week:

Friday Football Game

Saturday Night Dance

Oct. 8 - Picture Retake Day

Oct. 14 - PSAT Test Day

Oct. 16 - Junior Achievement Day