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Dear St. Agnes Academy–St. Dominic Families,

Welcome to **Beanstack**—our brand-new reading adventure platform!

This year, we're excited to introduce Beanstack as an optional, library-sponsored program designed to encourage students and families to celebrate reading in a fun, interactive way. Our goal is to use Beanstack as one more tool to help promote and build a culture of reading at SAA–SDS.

At St. Agnes Academy–St. Dominic, we believe reading is more than a skill—it's a lifelong habit that nurtures curiosity, creativity, and connection. Rather than focusing on quizzes or points, Beanstack celebrates the experience of reading itself. Students are recognized for the time and commitment they invest in reading, no matter the format or genre. Every page logged is a step toward building a stronger reading community at SAA–SDS. Beanstack makes it easy for students to log any kind of reading—fiction, nonfiction, graphic novels, or articles online—and rewards them for developing healthy daily reading habits.

When students log their reading through Beanstack's web or mobile app, they can:

- Earn digital badges for reaching reading milestones
- Compete on friendly leaderboards and build streaks for reading every day
- Track every book they finish on their own virtual bookshelf

Our library team will also use Beanstack to host optional challenges and highlight student progress across grade levels. These celebrations of reading will connect to our broader library programs, such as book fairs and family reading events, making reading something students can enjoy and share together.

How to get started:

- At school: Students log in directly through their school devices using Clever.
- At home: Families can download the free Beanstack mobile app from the iOS App Store or Google Play Store, and students can log in with their Google credentials to continue their reading journey at home.
- Quick Access: [Click here to access Beanstack](#)

We are thrilled to partner with you in fostering a joyful culture of reading at SAA–SDS. Thank you for supporting your student's reading journey!

If you have any questions, our librarians are happy to help:

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Happy reading,

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