

# Welcome to Kindergarten

Dear Parents:

A Kindergarten orientation for parents is scheduled for Wednesday, September 4, 2024. Families whose last names begin with the letters A to L will meet at 8:30 A.M. Families whose last names begin with the letters M to Z will meet at 10:00 A.M. The parents should report to their child's assigned homeroom. Please bring your child's "BUS NOTICE PASS" from the Brick Board of Education/Transportation with your child's assigned BUS NUMBER to orientation. **Kindergarten students do not come to school on this day.**

Kindergarten students whose last name begins with the letters A to L will report to the gym on Thursday, September 5, 2024 at 8:20 A.M. Dismissal will be at 2:35 P.M. Kindergarten students whose last name begins with the letters M to Z will report to the gym on Friday, September 6, 2024 at 8:20 A.M. Dismissal will be at 2:35 P.M. Please be sure to pack your child's lunch and a separate small snack on their assigned day. Milk or water for snack will be provided by the school.

ALL Kindergarten students will report to the gym at 8:20 A.M. on Monday, September 9, 2024. Children will be dismissed at 2:35 P.M.

BACK TO SCHOOL NIGHT for grades PreK – Grade 3 is September 10, 2024 at 7:00 P.M.

SNACK POLICY The children should bring in a small snack every day in a brown lunch bag labeled with their name on it. No snacks will be shared in the classroom because of Saint Dominic's allergy policy. Milk/water will be provided starting with their first day, September 5th or 6th and for everyone on September 9th and throughout the school year. Milk/water payment will be paid in two installments. Payment information will be given at the parent orientation on September 4th.

During the first week of school you will receive a bill for all necessary supplies. PLEASE DON'T PURCHASE THE ITEMS OUTSIDE OF SCHOOL, as we would like uniformity with our supplies. However, when you are purchasing uniforms, **Velcro shoes/sneakers are permitted and recommended** for Kindergarten students. When purchasing a backpack, please be sure it is big enough to fit our Blue Jay Folder and lunch boxes that will be transported daily.

Here is a list of supplies you will be purchasing from Saint Dominic School:

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| 2 Large Glue Sticks | 1 Blue Jay Folder |
| 5 boxes of crayons  | 1 Journal         |
| 3 Primary Pencils   | 1 Fiskar Scissor  |
| 1 Large pencil case |                   |

We are looking forward to meeting our new students and having a terrific year learning and making friends in Kindergarten at Saint Dominic's. Have a safe and fun-filled summer. See you in September!

The Kindergarten Teachers