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Assumption School eNewsletter

January 2, 2022

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Monday, January 3 – School resumes **REMOTELY.**

Monday, January 10 – In person school resumes.

Tuesday, January 11 – Eighth grade graduation pictures. Make up photos for anyone absent in October. Students can dress for pictures.

Friday, January 21 – End of second marking period *Watch for 2022-2023 registration forms coming in January.

Volunteers – If you are planning on volunteering in any capacity at Assumption School (mother of the morning/afternoon, coaching, etc.) you must register with Virtus, as required by the Diocese of Paterson. Please go to our website, ***www.assumptionnj.org***, and under the tab Parents/Forms/Parent Volunteer Forms you will see "Virtus Registration". Please register and attend a virtual meeting for Protecting God's Children. After you register for Protecting God's Children you will be directed to register for a background check and sign the Code of Conduct. This must be done before you can volunteer. Any questions, please email pdechiaro@assumptionnj.org.

FROM THE NURSE'S OFFICE

From the Nurse's Office (please read carefully):

IMPORTANT: Covid-19 Vaccination Cards

Given the increase in Covid-19 direct exposures and positive cases, we would like to request that if your child has received the Covid-19 vaccine, please email a copy of the front of your child(ren)'s vaccination card to Abopp@AssumptionNJ.org. Having this information as part of your child's medical record will help us with contact tracing and assessment of required quarantine periods. Children are considered fully vaccinated 2 full weeks after they have received their second dose. **Once fully vaccinated, children are no longer required to quarantine unless they test positive for Covid-19 themselves**.

Remote Learning - Week of Jan. 3 - Jan. 7th, 2022

It is our sincere hope that every Assumption student will be tested for Covid-19 before returning to school in person on Monday, Jan. 10th.

All symptomatic students (vaccinated or unvaccinated) should obtain a PCR test during this remote week and await PCR test results before returning to school.

All asymptomatic students should take a Rapid or At home test during the remote week.

It is our hope that through testing, we can get a fresh start to the second half of the school year!

Guidance Concerning Travel:

There are currently no mandated restrictions on domestic travel. **All symptomatic students are encouraged to stay home, obtain a PCR test and await PCR test results before returning to school. Please email PCR results to the school nurses**. At this time, we will not require asymptomatic students to quarantine after domestic travel, however, we will ask that **all unvaccinated students take a PCR test 3-5 days after returning to NJ and report results to the school nurse**. If planning to travel internationally, please contact the school nurse directly for specific quarantine and testing guidelines. As circumstances may change in the coming weeks, please understand these guidelines may need to be revised.

School Nurses
Andrea Bopp, RN abopp@assumptionnj.org
Marybeth Wooters, RN mwooters@assumptionnj.org

FRONT DESK VOLUNTEERS

We are happy to have an opportunity for volunteers to help out at school. We are are looking for more parent volunteers at the Front Desk for two shifts:

- AM Shift from 8:00 - 11:30 am
- PM Shift from 11:30 am - 2:00 pm

The diocese is requiring that all volunteers are vaccinated and have taken the Protecting God's Children class.

If you would like to be added to our SignUp Genius for a shift

and arrange for a training session, please reach out to Ellen Edson @908.803.4359.

Thank you in advance for your time,
Ellen Edson and Corinne Karpack

ASSUMPTION SCHOOL YEARBOOK

The 2022 Assumption School Yearbook is now on sale. You can reserve your copy online at **jostensyearbooks.com**. We are unable to accept orders at school. All orders must be handled online. Yearbooks are $35.00.

Susan Sopira
Technology Teacher
Assumption School

AFTER SCHOOL TUTORING

Mrs. Klocksin is available for after school tutoring. Please contact me at mklocksin@assumptionnj.org if you are interested. Thank you!

Mrs. Sopira, Technology Teacher, is available for afterschool tutoring. Individual instruction is provided to assist students with homework, test preparation, study skills, and organizational skills. Contact by way of email ssopira@assumptionnj.org.

Mrs. Guglielmo is available to work with your child after school. This could include: completing homework, study skills, test preparation, reading comprehension, improving writing, or whatever area they may need help. Please feel free to email at sguglielmo@assumptionnj.org.

The Weekly Word is also available on the school website www.assumptionnj.org.
If you have questions or comments, contact hsa@assumptionnj.org.