



St. Martin of Tours CATHOLIC SCHOOL

An Independence Mission School

Saint Martin of Tours Catholic School Family Newsletter

May 13, 2021

Principal's Message

Dear families,

As you know, Teacher Appreciation Week was last week. Thank you to all families for their efforts to make it an amazing week for the staff at SMT! Teachers were beyond touched by the notes of appreciation from your children and the many special gifts and donations from families, including many delicious desserts for our luncheon! We had so many desserts that we were able to serve them to teachers for breakfast the following day! It is a privilege to serve as principal for such a talented staff, and I am honored by your generosity and thoughtfulness to help me celebrate them.

Thank you also to our K, 1, and 2 virtual families who had their students come in for MAP testing last Friday! We had an amazing turnout and look forward to welcoming our virtual students in 3-5 tomorrow and virtual students in 6-8 on May 21.

God bless,
Ms. Nobles
Principal

Meal Distribution

**Food is distributed on Fridays from
7AM-12 PM.**

Hybrid students will be able to pick up three meals for the week, and virtual students will be able to pick up five meals for the week.

MAP Testing for Virtual Students

3-5 Students: May 14

6-8 Students: May 21

Families who are able to bring their child to school will be entered into a raffle for a giftcard!

Please complete the Google form emailed to you to indicate if your child can come in person.

End of Year Chromebook Collection

All school devices (and novels in grades 5-8) need to be returned by June 11, 2021. Families who do not return their device by June 11 will be charged a fee and will not have their child's report card released. Devices will be assessed, and damaged devices will also be charged a fee in accordance with the IMS policy given with the device.

All PreK students--Devices returned in school June 3

All Kindergarten students--Devices returned June 4 8

AM-10 AM in Gym

**All 8th Grade students--Devices returned June 4 at
Graduation Practice**

**1st-7th Hybrid Students--Maroon Cohort--Devices
returned in school on 6/8**

**1st-7th Hybrid Students--Gray Cohort--Devices
returned in school on 6/10**

**1st-7th Virtual Students--Devices returned 6/9 from 8
AM-3 PM, 6/10 from 8 AM-3 PM, and 6/11 from 8
AM-11 AM in Gym**

Summer Opportunities

Catapult Summer School

Information for virtual and in-person sessions at Catapult Summer School have been shared with families. Please look for an email from PhillySummerSchool@catapultlearning.com in order to register. If you cannot find any information from that email address, please contact the school.

Girls on the Run

Calling all girls who will be in 3rd, 4th or 5th grade for the 21-22 school year! Girls on the Run is offering summer camp opportunities this June. Financial assistance is available. Please click [this link](#) for more information.

Virtual School Hours

*Beginning of instruction --8:00 AM
End of instruction--2:45 PM (M-Th), 10:30-11:00 (F)
Teacher Office Hours--11:00-12:00 Fridays*



**St. Martin of Tours
CATHOLIC SCHOOL**

An Independence Mission School

**Saint Martin of Tours Catholic School
Family Newsletter**

May 13, 2021

In-Person School Hours

Drop off begins--7:30 AM

Beginning of instruction--8:00 AM

PreK & K end of instruction--2:30 PM

1-8 end of instruction--2:45 PM

Important Dates:

5/14--MAP testing for virtual 3-5 students 8 AM-12 PM;
Talent Show virtual debut

5/21--MAP testing for virtual 6-8 students 8 AM-12 PM

5/31--No classes, Memorial Day

6/3--Last day of classes for PreK, K, and 8th Grade

6-4--No virtual classes; Kindergarten chromebook
collection 8 AM-10 AM in Gym; 8th grade graduation
practice and celebration 8:30 AM-12 PM

6/7--Last full day grades 1-7; PreK and K graduation car
parade 10:00-10:30 AM

6/8--Noon dismissal; last day for Maroon cohort grades
1-7; Eighth grade Graduation 6 PM

6/9--Noon dismissal; last day for virtual students grades
1-7; chromebook collection 8 AM-3 PM in Gym

6/10--Noon dismissal; last day for Gray cohort grades 1-7;
chromebook collection 8 AM-3 PM in Gym

6/11--No virtual classes; Chromebook collection 8 AM-11
AM in Gym

**Administration Office Hours
over Zoom**

Click the link during the day/times listed below to stop
in with questions or concerns! No appointment
needed.

[Ms. Nobles](#)--Tuesdays 2-3 PM

[Ms. Mychack](#)--Fridays 11 AM-12 PM

[Miss McCoog](#)--Fridays 9 AM-10 AM

Visit our [Website!](#)

[Calendars](#)

[Weekly Newsletter Archive](#)

[Distance Learning Communications](#)

[Technology Tips for Parents](#)

[Counseling Website](#)

[Student/Parent Handbook](#)