



# HOLY FAMILY HERALD

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*Learning for Today, Preparing for Tomorrow.*

## From the Principal's Desk

On August 28 we celebrate the feast day of St. Augustine. Augustine is a giant in many ways. He had a powerful and forceful personality which he used both before and after his conversion. He had a passion for whatever he did, and this showed up in his theological teachings. Yet he also was a man of great love, as is evident in his sermons to his priests. And he had a deep love for the Lord.



## School Office Hours:

Monday - Friday 8am - 3:30 p.m.

**Tours** available by appointment.

Health and Safety protocols will be followed.



Saturday, August 29 - Back to School Clean Up

Wednesday, September 2 - First Day of School - In person

Monday, September 7 - Labor Day Holiday - No School

## First Day of School Information

### New Drop Off Route with Screening

Please create a sign with your child's last name to put on your dashboard so we can easily identify your car for morning drop off and pick up.

Sign up for your Drop Off Time Window here:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090e4aaeac2da0fc1-morning>

Entrance is via back gate. Follow the parking lot up the hill and around to the main office area. You will be guided to a parking spot. Trained volunteers and staff will screen your child for COVID symptoms and then guide your child to their designated outside area.

Carefully exit onto Carpenter Road.

See video that our trained Wellness Screeners created for further illustration of procedures.

Video #1 with Explanation of Procedures

<https://vimeo.com/452714918>

Video #2 with Example of Procedures

<https://vimeo.com/452710517>

If you arrive after 8:15, stay in your car, call the office and someone will come to your car to screen your children before they will be sent to class.

**Updated Handbook** - The HFS Handbook has been updated with information about Communicable Diseases, specifically related to COVID-19. Sign and bring this form on the first day of School. Send with your oldest child to turn in to their teacher.

<https://tinyurl.com/HFSHandbookupdate>

**Campus will be closed** to visitors between the hours of 8:15 - 11:30 and 11:30-2:45 pm unless you have a prior appointment. No parking is allowed on the upper parking lot in order to provide extra space for outdoor activities during recess.

### **Pick Up**

Follow the same procedure for drop off. The first six cars should be parked in designated stalls in front of the main office. The rest of the line should wait at the top of the hill for an open spot.

Please create a sign with your child's last name to put on your dashboard so we can easily identify your car for morning drop off and pick up. We will call teachers to send up students from lower campus and upper campus will bring out their students to meet you at your car.

### **No PE Dress Down**

NO Dress Down needed for PE this year. We have to reduce the number of people in the bathroom at any given time so we have decided that students do not have to dress down. There will be school days throughout the year that students will be invited to show their spirit and wear their Spirit T-Shirts.

If you are a new family, watch for your invitation to join Alma, our student information system and parent communication system.

### **Extended Care Sign Ups**

Due to the fact that we will have reduced staff to student ratios, we require that for this school year you sign up for extended care beforehand.

We will be sending a form for you to sign up and you may also forward an email to [extendedcare@holyfamilylacey.com](mailto:extendedcare@holyfamilylacey.com)

Thank you for your patience, grace and flexibility!

### **Back To School Clean Up Days**

## **Campus Clean Up**



Yard Cleanup Days: Saturday August 29th 9am-noon

Thank you to all the families that lent a helping hand last Friday! The school is really starting to look amazing! Sign up to finish beautifying our school! We will make sure that each family group stays in one area and we ask everyone to wear masks and follow the 6 foot distancing requirements.

Sign up here-

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090E4AAEAE2DA0FC1-back>

Work assignments include: deep clean classrooms, clean windows inside and outside, dust off cobwebs outside of light fixtures and screens, deep clean common teacher areas, deep clean refrigerators, spray paint arrows on

### **Parent Association Meeting Minutes**

Read through our last Parent Association minutes from our August 18th meeting.

<https://www.holyfamilylacey.org/parent-resources/parent-association/>

Keep an eye out for upcoming informative videos!