

Weekly Update – Week 2 September 2

Two weeks down and there's no stopping us now! This class has already been such a treat, and I know we're going to have a wonderful year together. I can't thank you enough for your generosity, support, flexibility, and grace as we have worked out the inevitable kinks of a new school year. I feel honored to partner with you this year in your child's first grade experience!

Don't forget: No school on Friday, Sept. 3 or Monday, Sept. 6. Happy Labor Day Weekend!

Agendas & Homework



Your child's agenda will continue to come home each day. Feel free to use this as a communication log if there is anything you need me to know (i.e. lunch choice, transportation, etc.).

In your child's backpack you can also expect to see:

- A black Friday Folder (Hopefully if you're reading this, you already found that!) This will come home at the end of each week with the week's work and/or important notes from school.
- A green homework folder (M-Th) Your child will typically have I page of math homework each night Monday through Thursday. This will correspond with the day's lesson and should not take very long. If you find that some content is terribly difficult for you and/or your child, please let me know so I can offer further support at school.

Looking Ahead



Sept 3-6 – No School, Childcare Closed

September 10 – Picture Day

Kids of the Cross @ 3:45

September 13 – 1st Grade NWEA Testing

September 20 – Pt Grade NWEA Testing

September 22 – Full Day of School (No afternoon bus)

September 28 – Happy Birthday, Alyssal

September 29 – Non-Uniform Virtuous Student

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September

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
6 No School Childcare Closed	7	8	9	Picture Day Kids of the Cross
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Enrichments



Enrichments began this week! The kids are already having so much fun with these additional classes. 1st grade's schedule is:

> Monday – Art & Spanish Tuesday – PE Wednesday – Technology Thursday - Music Friday - Music & Spanish

Please make sure your student is prepared with appropriate gym shoes on Tuesdays.



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Car Line Reminders



Before coming to St. Mary, I always heard a buzz that the St. Mary car line was a serious machine – they weren't kidding!

Every year it's worth pointing out a few key reminders about the car line to keep that "machine" well-oiled and functioning as smoothly as it does.

- Please follow the flow of traffic & do not pull out around other cars
- Your child will wait until an adult tells them to go to their vehicles — this ensures that little feet aren't moving at the same time as wheels on the car.
- If your end of day transportation is going to be different than normal, please let me or the office know.