



St. Robert Bellarmine Catholic School

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Parent Newsletter - Special Edition

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Dear SRB Parents,

I hope that this correspondence finds you and your loved ones well. Thank you to those who were able to come in on Friday to gather their children's materials and personal belongings. Those who were not able to come in are asked to call the school office on Monday morning between 8:30 - 9:30 a.m.

Monday we will begin our school day at 8:15 a.m. as always, but teachers and students will be working from home via our eLearning Program. It is important that the students stay on as normal of a schedule as possible during this coming week. Their school schedule this week should run very similar to the way it does every day. Whatever academic and special classes they normally have on any given day, they will also have during our eLearning days. For example, if they have gym on Mondays and Wednesdays, they will receive correspondence/assignments from Mrs. Maki on those days. If they have their lunch/recess break at noon each day, then they should try to eat their lunch around that time each day.

Teachers in grades 3-8 will send all correspondence through email and Google Classroom. Others may use email.

We ask for your patience as we work through the eLearning program together for the first time. We will extend the same courtesy to you and your families, especially this first week as we all adjust to this new format. We anticipate that there will be some challenges for both our staff and your families, but we will get through them together. Patience, kindness, and understanding are virtues we will all need to try and practice in the coming days. I will keep you informed of all new developments as more information becomes available from the Archdiocese.

If your child is too sick to participate on any school day, please let the teachers know and they will inform the office staff. No child will be marked absent for illness during our school closure days.

Thank you for your patience, understanding, flexibility and partnership.

Please pray for our communities, our parish, and our nation, and especially for all those who have fallen ill. May God be with us, guide us, and strengthen us during this difficult time.

Prayerfully,
Deanne Roy
Principal