

May 19, 2023

ST. MARK'S WEEKLY

#LIONSLOVELEARNING

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

May 22 - Water Day during STEAM - Students will use water squirters to move objects. Send a towel and change of clothes just in case students get wet.

May 23 - Xtra Recess Day - If teachers wish to participate

May 24- Year End - Take your things home.

May 25 - Graduation/Crossover Ceremony 8:05 am, 11 am dismissal, No Aftercare

June 5 - Summer Packets Ready for Pick-Up (9:00-3:00)



LIBRARY

ALL library books must be returned before we release summer packets and report cards.

OFFICE HOURS

Summer Office Hours

Monday - Thursday 8:30-3:00

Friday's 8:30-1:00

Closed: May 29, June 19, July 3 & 4



Yearbooks will be available for pickup in July. We wanted to make sure that all year-end activities were included.

Dear St. Mark's Families,

For next school year, the students' dress code for polos will change. Kindergarten through 6th Grade students will be required to wear **red polos** Monday through Thursday, and **white polos** on Fridays or special events (PreK & PreK4 will still wear red polos 5-days a week).

As many parents may have noticed, the white polo takes a visual beating during the school day, week, or year. Despite advancements in laundry detergent technology, a child's active day perseveres in ensuring whites do not look as bright after a couple of months.

As a private school, we always want our students to look their best. St. Mark's Academy feels the **red polo** gives our students the best opportunity to look sharp every day, while allowing the soon-to-be seldomly used **white polo** to cleanly make an appearance on Fridays and for special events.

All uniforms can be purchased online at Land's End or in town at Sir Walter. Now is a great time to order shirts for next year, so they are ready for your child in August. Parents should also invest in warm weather gear, such as sweatshirts, jackets, or long pants. Non-school uniform warm weather gear is not allowed to be worn by students.

If you have any questions, please reach out to me.

Thank you for supporting St. Mark's in keeping our students dressed for success every day.

-Justin L. Smith
Head of School

Approved Uniform Vendors

www.LandsEnd.com - Preferred School Number 900108440

Sir Walter Uniforms - 500 S. Plumosa St. Merritt Island (321) 459-0646
www.sirwaltersuniforms.com



ST. MARK'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL
JUNE 5-9, 2023

9AM - NOON EACH DAY

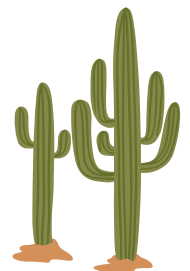
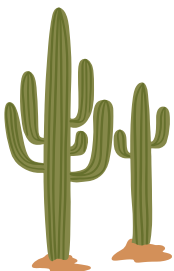
FEE: \$20.00 FOR THE WEEK

- Children in Grades Rising K-6 are invited
- St. Mark's graduates are also welcome to join the fun as helpers. (Community service points will be awarded.)
- Parents are always welcome to help with games, crafts, food, photography, and music.

WE CAN'T WAIT TO HEAR FROM YOU!

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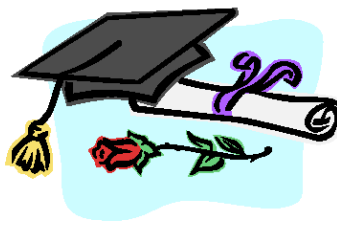
ST. MARK'S EPISCOPAL ACADEMY

AWARDS CHAPEL

May 17, 2023 | 8:00 AM
Chapel



2022/2023
Graduation and Crossover Ceremony
May 25, 2023
8:05 AM
St. Mark's Chapel



St. Mark's Graduation/Crossover Ceremony 2023

Notice to Parents

Dear Parents,

Please join us for our Final Chapel/Crossover/Graduation ceremony that will begin promptly at 8:05 a.m. in the Chapel on Thursday, May 25, 2023. **All students (including PK3) are to report to their classroom as usual by 7:50 a.m.**

In addition to special guests and speakers, you will witness the very moving crossover promotion of all grade levels. Most importantly, however, will be the special bond that will be celebrated between the Pre-K3 students and our graduates.

A reception for the sixth-grade students and their families will be held in Thursby Hall following the graduation ceremony. Students in Grades PK3 - Grade 5 will return to their classrooms.

Parents may check out their child(ren) after graduation, but must do so as usual in the school office. Otherwise, they will be dismissed in car line or as walkers at the **11:00 Dismissal. There will be no afternoon Children's Center.**

Dress Code for St. Mark's Students

PreK 3 and PreK 4

Best uniform (RED shirts)

Kindergarten - Grade 5

Best Uniform - WHITE Polo Shirts girls in plaid skirts, boys in long blue pants.

Grade 6

**6th Grade Graduates are expected to dress in their "Sunday Best."
Girls Graduation Dress Code -**

- **WHITE** Dressy Church Dress (no sun-dresses, shoulders must be covered in chapel)
- Dress shoes (low heeled pump or sandals with straps) NO high heels, open-backed shoes or flip flops or boots

Boys Graduation Dress Code

- **WHITE** Long-sleeved button down dress shirt (tie is optional)
- Dress Pants
- Dress shoes (no sneakers or boots)

LUNCH

May Menu

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
5/1 Cheese Quesadilla Yellow Rice and Matchstick Carrots Chicken Salad Wrap Popcorn and fruit	5/2 Fish Sticks and French Fries with Mixed Veggies Ham and Cheese Chips and Fruit	5/3 "Lunchables" with Diced Chicken, Pepperoni, Salami, Cheese Cubes Grapes and Apple Slices Turkey and Cheese Wrap Carrots and Ranch	5/4 Pulled Pork with Black Beans and Rice, Carrots Chicken Caesar Wrap fruit and chips	5/5 Cheese Burger with Fries Corn Italian Sub with fruit and popcorn
5/8	5/9	5/10	5/11	5/12
Diced Chicken with Yellow Rice and Peas Chicken Caesar wrap fruit and Chips	Spagetti with Meatsauce, Broccoli Roast Beef Wrap with Chips and Applesauce	Chicken Nuggets with Green Beans and Mac and Cheese Chicken Salad on White Bread Chips with fruit	Turkey and Cheese Sandwich with Chicken and Rice Soup Chef Salad with Egg, Ham, Turkey Cheese, Tomato and Ranch Dressing	Hot Dog with Fries Green Beans Chicken Caesar wrap fruit and Chips
5/15	5/16	5/17	5/18	5/19
Empanadas Blackbeans and Rice Roast Beef and Cheese Wrap Fruit and Chips	Baked Ziti with Meat Sauce Broccoli Chicken Caesar Wrap with Fruit and Chips	Mild Boneless Chicken Wings with Fries and Carrots and Celery Ham and Cheese on Roll with chips and applesauce	Chicken Alfredo Pasta with Broccoli Chicken Salad on roll Chips with fruit	Cheese Burger with Fries Corn Italian Sub with fruit and popcorn
5/22	5/23	5/24	5/25	
Cilantro Chicken diced with Rice with Maduros Classic Cuban Sandwich with Grapes and Chips	Cheese Ravioli with Meat Sauce Diced Carrots and Peas Turkey and Cheese Sandwich Chips and Fruit	Ham and Cheese Sandwich with with Chicken and noodle Soup Italian Sub with Fruit and Chips		

Fall Semester

Tuesday, August 1	Used Uniform Sale – 11:00AM-1:00PM
Wednesday, August 2	Teachers Return
Monday, August 7	New Parent Orientation – 6:00 PM
Tuesday, August 8	Meet & Greet 1:00 PM – 2:30 PM
Tuesday, August 8	Used Uniform Sale Thursby Hall – 1:00 PM – 2:30 PM
Wednesday, August 9	Students Return - 1st Day of School
Wednesday, August 16	New Parent Coffee - 8:30am – Thursby Hall
Wednesday, August 23	Yearbook Picture Day
Thursday, August 24	Parents Back-to-School Night – 5:15 PM – 7:30 PM
Monday, September 4	Labor Day - (Holiday for All - NO SCHOOL)
Monday, September 11	Q1 Interim Progress Reports
Tuesday, October 3	Blessing of the Animals – 2:30PM
Friday, October 6	End of Q1 - 1pm Dismissal for All – No Aftercare
Monday, October 9	Columbus Day - (Holiday for All - NO SCHOOL)
Monday, October 16	Q1 Report Cards Issued
Friday, October 20	Fall Festival
Friday, October 20	Parent/Teacher Conferences (No School for Students)
Friday, October 27	Spooky Science Day
Wednesday, November 1	All Saints' Day Chapel
Friday, November 3	Professional Development Day (No School for Students)
Monday, November 6	Q2 Interim Progress Reports
Monday, November 6	All School Photo @ 8:40 AM
Friday, November 10	Veterans Day Chapel
Monday – Thursday, November 13-16	Scholastic Book Fair
Tuesday, November 14	Books and Bingo 5:30-7:30
Friday, November 17	Storybook Dress Up Day - (1 PM Dismissal) No Children's Center
Monday – Friday, November 20-24	Thanksgiving Week - (Holiday for All - NO SCHOOL)
Thursday– Friday, December 7-8	Holiday Shop
Friday, December 15	End of Q2 & Advent in Song (1 PM Dismissal) No Children's Center
Monday, Dec. 18 –Tuesday, January 2	Christmas Break

Spring Semester

Tuesday, January 2	Teachers Return
Wednesday, January 3	Students Return
Friday, January 5	Q2 Report Cards
Monday, January 15	Martin Luther King Day -(Holiday for All - NO SCHOOL)
Thursday, January 25	Prospective Family Event
Thursday, February 1	Yearbook Photo Retake Day
Monday, February 5	Q3 Interim Progress Reports
Wednesday, February 14	Ash Wednesday
Friday, February 16	Grandparents' Day (11:00 Dismissal) – No Children's Center
Monday, February 19	Presidents' Day -(Holiday for All - NO SCHOOL)
Tuesday, February 20	Holiday for All - NO SCHOOL
Tuesday, March 5	Spring Photo Day
Thursday, March 7	Science & Innovation Night
Friday, March 8	End of Q3
Thursday, March 14	Q3 Report Cards Issued
Friday, March 15	Parent/Teacher Conferences - (No School for Students)
Friday, March 22	Field Day – Noon Dismissal -No Aftercare
Monday- Friday, March 25-29	Spring Break
Monday, April 1	Easter Monday - (Holiday for All - NO SCHOOL)
Saturday, April 20	Gala Night
Monday, April 22	Q4 Interim Progress Reports (Holiday for All – NO SCHOOL)
Friday, May 3	May Day
Tuesday, May 7	Books and Bingo Night 6 pm-8 pm
Monday-Thursday, May 6-9	BOGO Scholastic Book Fair
Wednesday, May 15	Morning Awards Chapel
Thursday, May 23	Final Chapel/Crossover/Graduation/Last Day of School (11:00 Dismissal)
Friday, May 24 and Tuesday, May 28	Post-planning for Faculty
Monday, June 3	Q4 Report Cards and Summer Packets Emailed