

Immaculate Conception † St. Joseph School Newsletter

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With support from families, we respect and encourage students to reach their potential **Spiritually** by developing a strong relationship with Jesus and knowledge of His church, **Academically** by igniting learning, leadership and life skills, **Physically** by learning about and living healthy habits and **Socially** by becoming active members of the community who serve others as stewards of the Gospel so they are the light of Christ in the world.

MAY Habit of the Month: **SHARPEN THE SAW**

- ★ Remember to attend Mass and grab a **bulletin/children's bulletin!** (Have your child write his or her name on it and turn it in tomorrow.)
- ★ Remember that balance feels best! We will be hearing about the four dimensions (body, mind, heart, spirit) and overcoming obstacles.
- ★ How is your child living Habit 7: "Sharpen the Saw" at home based on some of the key concepts we have been learning about this month?

May Lunch Menu

Next week's lunch menu will be updated daily with the main entree listed. Fruits and vegetables will be served each day.

<https://www.boscocatholic.org/vimages/shared/vnews/stories/5e694ed96a621/May%20Menu%202022.pdf>

Yearbooks

If you ordered an IC†SJ 2021-2022 yearbook, it will be sent home today. The yearbook front cover is by Bode Schaefer. Yearbooks will be sent home with 4th and 5th grade students tomorrow due to today's field trip.

Supply List

The 2022-2023 PK-8 Supply List is in this newsletter and on the website. <https://www.boscocatholic.org/vimages/shared/vnews/stories/573f59c3bd965/Supply%20List22%3A23.pdf>

Adventureland 8th Grade Trip

The 8th grade class will take a field trip to Adventureland on Monday, May 23. They will travel to Des Moines, leaving IC at 7:45am and returning around 8:45pm. We hope they have good weather.

Please make sure tuition and lunch balances are paid in full.

ABC News

The last day for ABC will be Wednesday, May 25. Please inform the ABC staff as soon as possible if your student will be attending ABC on Wednesday, May 25. Please be prepared to pay your balance in full on or before May 25.

Forms to be Returned

Tuition Agreements, BCSS Directory forms, and STO notices, Signature Cards (if needed) are being mailed out tomorrow. Please review, complete and return all forms to one of the BCSS offices by Wednesday, May 25.

Report cards will be mailed out the first week of June.

Last Day of School

The last day of school for our preschoolers will be May 24. Regular dismissal time.

The last day of school for K-8 will be Wednesday, May 25, with dismissal at 12:15. ABC will be available. There will be busing.

There will be a K-8 school Mass beginning at 7:45am, this will also be the Mass for the 8th grade promotion.

The last day of school will be a regular uniform day for all students except 8th grade.



Please send all newsletter items to icsjnewsletter@boscocatholic.org by 1:00 on Tuesday, May 24.



2022-2023 Registration

Information to register online in PowerSchool for the 2022-2023 school year will be emailed out in June.

From Mrs. Olson...

I can not believe that when you read this there will only be 3½ days of school left! Kindergarten has been counting down since we returned from Easter Break! We started an ABC Countdown that will take us through our last full day of school. It has been so much fun doing activities each day related to a letter of the alphabet... A was for Applesauce and stuffed Animals, our adventure will end with Z for Zingers snack cakes and Zooming off to First Grade! This time of year is also full of assessments, it has been a BLAST seeing how much growth there has been since winter!

Don't forget, no matter what grade your student is in, set aside time each day to review the skills learned during the school year. Some ideas include: play [Would You Rather](#); get outside and explore; practice Fluency whether is letters, words, sentences, or even chapters; take time to write and color; try an outdoor [Science Project](#) or two; review your math skills; do a puzzle; READ... studies show that reading six books (together as a family or individually) over the summer can help prevent the summer slide.



Kindergarten Crew in training for First Grade!

Nurse's Notes

May is Healthy Vision Month. The CDC reports that only one in seven preschoolers get a vision exam. Having a vision exam early can help detect problems. Early eye exams can identify lazy eyes along with vision acuity problems. As we age it can identify cataracts, diabetic retinopathy, glaucoma and macular degeneration. The CDC recommends you protect your vision with regular dilated examinations, know your family history, eat dark leafy greens and fish high in omega 3-fatty acids. Maintain a healthy weight. Wear protective eyewear especially during sports. Wear sunglasses. Taking care of your eyes can benefit your overall health.

Marianne Hickey RN

Catholic order of Foresters News

On Sunday, May 22, the COF Youth Group can have one and a half hours of gym time for \$3.00 between 1:30pm & 4:00pm at Ninja U gym at 5911 University Ave., Cedar Falls (Black Hawk Village). Friends may join for \$8. Everyone will need to have signed permission slip (the permission form may be found on-line to save time). See Donna Delagardelle at the main entrance for tickets.

Cheerleading Coach Needed

Don Bosco High School is looking for a Cheerleading Coach for the 2022-23 school year. If you have questions or would like to setup an interview please contact Tom Hogan, Activities Director. Please send your resume by June 15, 2022 to thogan@boscocatholic.org or call 319-296-1692 ext. 1106.

A detailed Job Description and Qualifications may be found at: <https://www.boscocatholic.org/vnews/display.v/ART/6283dc701d83e>

Purchase Scrip!

If you purchase gift cards, please purchase them through our Scrip program. It's a win, win!

Information on our Scrip program may be found at: https://www.boscocatholic.org/vnews/display.v/ART/4bcde9539be16?in_archive=1

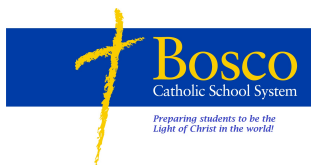
Amazon Smiles

Another easy Win Win! AmazonSmile is a website operated by Amazon with the same products, prices, and shopping features as Amazon.com. The difference is that when you shop on AmazonSmile, the Amazon Foundation will donate 0.5% of the purchase price of eligible products to the charitable organization of your choice.

Shop Amazon Smile instead of Amazon and designate Bosco Catholic School System as your charitable organization. Use your same user sign in and password as you presently used but sign in to www.smile.amazon.com instead of amazon.com. Once you sign in, you can select your charitable organization (Bosco Catholic School System) and then every quarter 0.5% of your purchase is given to our school.

Gilbertville Daze Prince and Princess Contest

Please join us for the Gilbertville Daze Prince and Princess Contest on July 15 at 6:00pm. Winners will ride in Gilbertville Daze Parade on Saturday, July 16 at 10:00am. See entry form below. Please submit all entries to gilbertvilledaze@gmail.com or drop them off at the Gilbertville City Hall.



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IMMACULATE CONCEPTION-ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL SUPPLY LIST FOR 2022-2023

All students are expected to have the appropriate school supplies for their grade with them in all classes throughout the school year. The starred (*) items must be purchased at Back to School Business Day, August 16, 2022.

PRESCHOOL 3 & 4 year old

- * **Student Agenda** - (\$4.50)
 - pocket folder** - 1
 - markers** - 1 box Crayola washable
 - backpack** - school size
 - antibacterial wipes** - 5 70 count or more (Not Clorox or Lysol)
 - blanket** - small or a towel (all day students)

KINDERGARTEN

- * **Student Agenda** - (\$4.50)
 - pencil box** - hard-sided 5X8 inches
 - pencils** - 18 #2 wooden pencils w/ erasers
 - scissors** - 1 pair - Fiskar blunt tip
 - crayons** - 1 box of 8 and 1 box of 24 regular size Crayola
 - pocket folders** - 3 plastic (1 red, 1 yellow, 1 sturdy, No prongs)
 - binder** - 1 inch, with view pocket
 - glue** - 1 Elmer's white school glue, 6 Elmer's glue sticks
 - dry erase markers** - 2 black
 - markers** - 1 box Crayola washable classic colors - wide
 - headphones** (preferably not earbuds)
 - book bag or backpack**
 - Ziploc bags** - quart or gallon size
 - tissues** - 2 large boxes
 - wet wipes** - 2 packages (80 or more count)
 - disinfectant wipes** - 1 package (such as Clorox or Lysol)
 - mat** or rug for resting

GRADE 1

- * **Student Agenda** - (\$4.50)
 - large pencil case or box**
 - pencils** with erasers - 20 - #2
 - scissors** - 1 pair - Fiskar brand required
 - crayons** - 1 box of 8 jumbo, 1 box of 24 regular size Crayola
 - pocket folders** - 3 (1 red, 1 blue, 1 sturdy folder)
 - spiral notebook** - 1 wide line single subject
 - glue** - 6 glue sticks
 - dry erase markers** - 2 black
 - old sock** for a dry eraser
 - colored pencils** - 1 set 24 count
 - pencil sharpener with holding cup**
 - headphones**
 - book bag or backpack**
 - Ziploc bags** - quart size
 - tissues** - 2 large boxes
 - disinfectant wipes** - 2 packages (such as Clorox or Lysol)
- * **flash cards** - addition, subtraction (\$1.00/set)

Items in good condition do not need to be repurchased each year.

GRADE 2

- * **Student Agenda** - (\$4.50)
 - large pencil box**
 - pencils** with erasers - 20 - #2
 - scissors** - 1 pair - Fiskar brand required
 - crayons** - 1 box 24 regular size Crayola brand
 - spiral notebook** - 1 wide line single subject
 - composition notebook** - 1 wide line
 - colored pencils** - 1 set 24 count
 - pencil sharpener with holding cup**
 - glue** - 1 Elmer's white school glue, 4 glue sticks
 - pocket folders** - 4 (1 red, 1 green, 1 yellow, 1 sturdy folder)
 - markers** - 1 set water base classic colors - wide
 - dry erase markers** - 4 - black
 - old sock** for an eraser
 - yellow highlighters** - 2
 - pencil eraser** - (No White Out)
 - headphones**
 - book bag or backpack**
 - gym shoes** - clean, non-marking tennis shoes for gym only
 - tissues** - 2 large boxes
 - Ziploc bags** - any size
 - wet wipes** - 2 packages (80 or more count)
 - disinfectant wipes** - 1 package (such as Clorox or Lysol)
 - flash cards** - addition, subtraction (\$1.00/set)

GRADE 3

- * **Student Agenda** - (\$4.50)
 - pencil box** - 1 large (11 x 7 x 2 1/2)
 - pencils** - 12 #2 wooden pencils w/ erasers (bring 6 to start)
 - scissors** - 1 pair - Fiskar brand
 - crayons** - 1 regular size Crayola 48 count
 - colored pencils** - 1 set Crayola 24 count
 - glue** - 1 Elmer's white school glue, 4 glue sticks
 - pencil sharpener with holding cup**
 - markers** - 1 set water base classic Crayola colors - wide
 - dry erase markers** - 2 - black
 - yellow highlighter** - 1
 - pencil eraser** - Magic Rub brand
 - red pen** - 1
 - spiral notebooks** - wide line 1 red, 1 yellow, 1 blue
 - binder** - 1 inch, with view pocket
 - pocket folders** - plastic 1 red, 1 yellow, 1 blue
 - composition notebook** - 1 wide line
 - headphones**
 - book bag or backpack**
 - Ziploc bags** - quart or gallon size
 - gym shoes** - clean, non-marking tennis shoes for gym only
 - tissues** - 3 large boxes
 - wet wipes** - 2 packages (80 or more count)
 - disinfectant wipes** - 1 container (such as Clorox or Lysol)
 - Rosary** - to be kept at school
- * **flash cards** - addition, subtraction, multiplication, division (\$1.00/set) Can be used from previous years

GRADE 4

- * **Student Agenda** - (\$4.50)
 - pencil box** - 1 (11 x 7 x 2 1/2)
 - dry erase markers** - thick 1 each - black, red, green, blue
 - dry erase markers** - thin 1 each - black, red, green, blue
 - spiral notebook** - 1 wide line
 - loose-leaf paper** - 1 package wide line
 - pencils with erasers** - 12 - #2 Triconeroga brand recommended (bring 6 to start)
 - scissors** - 1 pair - Fiskar brand
 - crayons** - 1 regular size Crayola 48 count
 - colored pencils** - 1 set Crayola 24 count
 - glue** - 1 Elmer's white school glue
 - pencil sharpener with holding cup**
 - markers** - 1 set each water base classic colors - wide & thin
 - pencil eraser** - (**No** White Out)
 - red pens** - 2
 - pocket folders** - 6
 - binder** - 1 inch, 3 ring, sturdy with pockets
 - headphones**
 - book bag or backpack**
 - gym shoes** - clean, non-marking tennis shoes for gym only
 - tissues** - 3 large boxes
 - wet wipes** - 1 packages (80 or more count)
 - disinfectant wipes** - 1 package (such as Clorox or Lysol)
 - Rosary** - to be kept at school

GRADE 5

- * **Student Agenda** - (\$4.50)
 - large pencil case**
 - dry erase marker** - 1 each - black, red, green, blue
 - old sock** for a dry eraser
 - loose-leaf paper** - 1 package wide line
 - binder** - 1 inch, with view pocket
 - pencils with erasers** - 12 - #2 (bring 6 to start)
 - scissors** - 1 pair - Fiskar brand
 - crayons** - 1 regular size Crayola 48 count
 - colored pencils** - 1 set Crayola 24 count
 - glue** - 1 Elmer's white school glue, 1 glue stick
 - pencil sharpener with holding cup**
 - markers** - 1 set water base classic Crayola colors - wide
 - highlighter** - 1
 - pencil eraser** - Magic Rub brand
 - red pens** - 4 (bring 2 to start)
 - spiral notebook** - 5 wide line single subject
 - pocket folders** - 6
 - ruler** - 12 inch and metric
 - headphones**
 - book bag or backpack**
 - gym shoes** - clean, non-marking tennis shoes for gym only
 - notecard** - 1 package 3x5
 - Rosary** - to be kept at school

GRADES 6 - 7 - 8

- * **Student Agenda** - (\$4.50)
 - Binder/accordion organizer** (Trapper Keeper type)
https://www.amazon.com/AmazonBasics-3-Ring-Zipper-Binder-Ring/dp/B07D8RPWRG/ref=sr_1_4?dchild=1&keywords=trapper+keeper+binder&qid=1589994847&sr=8-4
 - marker** - 1 black fine tip permanent Sharpie
 - dry erase markers** - 4 thin
 - Highlighters** - 2
 - spiral notebook** - 1
 - pocket folder** - 1
 - loose-leaf paper** - 3 packages wide line
 - graphing notebook** - 1
 - binder** - 1 inch, black (*6th grade only*)
 - pencils with erasers** - 12 - #2
 - pencil eraser** - 1
 - scissors** - 1 pair
 - glue** - small, Elmer's white school glue
 - pens** - 6 blue or black, 4 red, 1 green - Ball point
 - colored pencils** - 1 set Crayola 24 count
 - sharpener with holding cup**
 - scientific calculator** - Texas Instruments TI 34
 - ear buds**
 - book bag or backpack**
 - gym shoes** - clean, non-marking tennis shoes for gym only
 - tissues** - 2 large boxes



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**Teachers may request additional supplies specific to a class.
Supplies may need to be replenished throughout the school year.
*PLEASE LABEL all of your child's personal school supplies including
lunch boxes, sweatshirts, coats, hats, gloves, etc.***



We are beginning to prepare for the 2022-2023 school year!

It's time to **RESERVE** your child's **spot** in our
3 year old, 4 year old, or kindergarten program.

If you know of someone who has a 3 year old, 4 year old, or kindergartner,
please let us know or share this form with them!

Our after school program (ABC) will be available for all 3 and 4 year olds enrolled in our full day
classes. ABC is open to PK-5 students.

Grade in 2022-2023: (circle one)

Kindergarten

Preschool 4 yr old

Preschool 3 yr old

Please circle the 4 year old option you are interested in:

M-F 7:30-2:15

M-W-F 7:30-2:15

M-F 7:30-10:30

Please circle the 3 year old option you are interested in:

M-F 7:30-2:15

M-W-F 7:30-2:15

M-F 7:30-10:30

M-W-F 7:30-10:30

Child's Name: _____ Male Female (circle one)

Child's Date of Birth: _____

Parent Names: _____

Street Address, PO Box: _____

City, Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email Address: _____

Catholic Non-Catholic (circle one) Parish registered: _____

Gilbertville Daze Prince & Princess Contest

Friday, July 15, 2022 6:00pm

Rules:

- If your child is Ages 3-8 by (July 15, 2022) he or she is eligible.
- No Entry Fee required
- Must be willing to appear in the Gilbertville Daze Parade Saturday, July 16 at 10:00am
- Pick up your entry form by July 8 at the Gilbertville City Hall or email gilbertvilledaze@gmail.com

ENTRY FORM

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____

EMAIL: _____

PARENT OR GUARDIAN: _____

DATE OF BIRTH: _____ **AGE:** _____

Please complete and deliver entry form to the Gilbertville City Hall or email Natalie Hershberger - gilbertvilledaze@gmail.com no later than July 8, 2022.

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE: _____