

St. Stanislaus Kostka School

"Do not walk through time without leaving worthy evidence of your passage." Saint John XXIII

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"Have patience. All things are difficult before they become easy."

November 1, 2018

Dear St. Stans' Families:

We live in a time where our children are instantly gratified by anything from video games to binge watching TV shows to computer programs that provide results to games and tasks immediately. It has left us with students who start giving up immediately after trying and lose sight of the fact that patience and perseverance are very important components to learning a skill and retaining it.

As we enter November and we are upon the end of the first marking period (November 9th) I strongly encourage that you are certain you have access to your child's Power School account. We will begin phasing out hard copies of report cards. This year you will receive a hard copy the first and last marking period; during the 2019-2020 school year we will not print any report cards. If you need sign on information please contact the office.

I would like to invite all our St. Stan's families to join us on November 8th at 9am to celebrate our Veteran of the Year Ms. Rita Salgado!

In my last letter I inadvertently gave you the incorrect times for our conferences this year. Conferences will be held on Thursday November 15th from 1:00pm to 3:00pm and then again from 4:45pm to 7:00pm. On Friday, November 16th conferences will be held from 1:00pm to 3:00pm. Both of these days are early dismissals. Also please note November 7th is an early dismissal with aftercare and November 21st there is an early dismissal with NO aftercare.

As always, my door is always open to all families with questions or concerns.

In His Peace.

Elena Malinconico

Principal