

St. Stanislaus Kostka School

"We can do hard things."

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Dear St. Stanislaus Kostka Families,

It is hard to believe that our second marking period ends tomorrow! Comments and grades for the second marking period will be available next Thursday on PowerSchool.

Morning drop-off has been going well, but there are a few parents who have been passing other cars on the left after dropping off. I originally had cones in place to avoid this from happening, but since this rule is not being completely followed I have returned the cones. I also ask the following to help speed-up the process:

- Pull-up to the front entrance of the building to help alleviate a back-up of cars on MacArthur Ave.
- Please make sure your child is ready to exit the vehicle, from the passenger side
- Parents/guardians should not be getting out of the car
- Only preschool parents should be utilizing the side parking lot on Jacobson Street, this is a fairness issue to those waiting in line patiently

These guidelines are in place to keep the students, and those taking temperatures safe.

Please continue to take the proper precautions if your children are experiencing possible COVID symptoms, or they have been in close contact with someone who has tested positive. If you are unsure about our COVID procedures, please refer to the plan which is posted on our website or contact the school office. We need to keep communication open to help keep our school safe.

Next week begins Catholic Schools week. A list of events is going home today, and unfortunately we had to make some changes due to the pandemic. There will not be an opportunity for parents to come into the building, but we are hopeful that the events we have scheduled will be enjoyed by all of the students! We end the week with a 11:50 AM dismissal on January 29.

Finally, midterms for grades 5-8 will be February 2-4. I know that the teachers have been working hard preparing the students.

Stay safe everyone, and as always you are in my prayers.

Regards, Lori Hodder, Principal