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Weekly Newsletter

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“We Walk By Faith, Not By Sight” 2 Cor 5:7

PRINCIPAL'S NOTE

The first week of academics went pretty smoothly! Please help us by having students ready to go. If you are contacted by the teacher or office to pick up resources, please come to the office between 7:15 AM and 5 PM. Also, set up a good academic space for your students. If you need an internet hotspot or desk for your student, please send an email to info@srthea.org.

VIRTUAL THURSDAY ENVELOPE

Each Thursday, you should receive a VIRTUAL Thursday envelope, like this, with important information through Option C. Please read the enclosed information and send any questions to info@srthea.org, or call the office.

ARRIVAL AND SIGN -ON

In-person students: arrive from 7:15 – 7:35 for breakfast; 7:50 if not eating breakfast; remote students log in by 7:55.

MIINEHEALTH

All parents/guardians should update to the new MIINEHEALTH app to record student health. Call office for questions.

ATTENDANCE:

Attendance, including Tardy Counts, have started. If a student has an issue, the parent/guardian should send the teacher a message and contact the office.

UNIFORM

In-person students must follow student handbook uniform rules. Remote students must wear a uniform shirt or Sister Thea Sweatshirt.

REDUCED/FREE MEAL APPLICATION

Don't forget to complete the application for free/reduced meals and return it as soon as possible. The deadline for the application is **Tuesday, September 1**. **This is required for all students, so we can continue to receive Federal \$\$.**

FACTS for TUITION

All families must be enrolled in FACTS by now. Students will not be allowed in class if this is not done. For questions, contact the office or go to: <https://online.factsmgt.com/signin/42LK1> .

NO SCHOOL

There will be NO SCHOOL on Labor Day, Monday, Sep. 7. School will resume on Tuesday, Sept. 8.

HOME STORAGE SYSTEM

We received a generous donation of milk crates, and we bought some liners, so each student should have one for school supplies. Decorate the crates and send a picture to info@srthea.org , and you may win a prize!!!

ZOOM ETIQUETTE : Please review these important rules with your students!!!

TEACHER OFFICE HOURS

Each Homeroom teacher will host an evening Office Hours weekly, so parents/guardians can ask questions, seek help, or just discuss information with the teacher. Please be sure to attend to keep communication open!

(SEE OTHER SIDE)

Calendar

September

- 1 Free / Reduced Lunch Worksheet Due
- 7 Labor Day. No School
- 11 Mass 2:00 PM (Staff Leads)
- 18 First Quarter Mid-Term; Pinwheels for Peace Project; Mass 2:00 PM (Staff Leads)
- 25 Mass 2:00 PM (Staff Leads)
- 30 Iowa Assessment Begins

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