

St. Genevieve Parish Schools NewsLetter

May 25, 2023



Senior students take a "farewell walk" through campus with all the students PK - 11th grade cheering them on! Seniors have a few more activities (including prom & grad nite) before their big graduation night!



Students in Grade 8 celebrated their promotion on Wednesday. We recognize this milestone as they transition from elementary students to high school students in the fall! We look forward to continuing to watch you grow.

Memorial Day

Reminder

No School Friday, May 26 &
Monday, May 29

In honor of all those who served this great country and have lost their lives while protecting the freedoms we all cherish.

While teachers will be talking about the holiday in the classroom, we ask for your partnership in reminding your sons and daughters of the great sacrifice many families have made along the way for our country.

Raffle Ticket DRAWING 5/15

Congratulations to our BIG winners!
Who.....will be drawn on Monday!

FIRST - \$3,000

Winner: Leni Williams

SECOND - \$2,000

Winner: Antonio Vargas

THIRD - \$1,000

Winner: Jeanie Barta

WARNING FROM THE SURGEON GENERAL:

The Surgeon General of the United States, this week, issued a warning that social media poses many risks to the developing brains of children.

Link to Education Week article attached.

[The U.S. Surgeon General's Warning About Social Media and What It Means for Schools \(edweek.org\)](https://www.edweek.org/schools/news/2022/05/03/surgeon-general-warns-social-media-poses-many-risks-to-the-developing-brains-of-children)

Mark Your Calendar

Kairos Retreat - May 22 - May 25

Was a great success. Close to 50 juniors who are moving up to be seniors challenged themselves to grow and be the best version of themselves this week as they transition into leadership roles as high school seniors!

Spring Concerts/Shows (Last one!)

May 30 Digital Video Production 2 - Short Film Screening in the Cafe

High School Finals - June 5 -8

Students must be present on these dates to receive full credit for their semester.
Good luck & study hard!

End of School Dates

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| June 7 | Last Day of School for Elementary |
| June 8 | Last Day of School for High School (Gr. 9-11) |
| June 9 | High School Graduation in the Church |

Prom: Friday, May 26, 2023

Baccalaureate Mass: Thursday, June 1, 2023

Spring Soccer Picnic: Friday, June 2, 2023

A whole lot of activity!



Mr. Lopez and Mrs. Morales dress up alongside their students and represent India. First graders perform a traditional Filipino dance.

Below: The day started with Mass, and each grade level wore a different colored shirt that represented one color in the flag of the country they were representing. After the dances - a big thank you to the parents who helped organize some games and fun in the yard. Thanks for attending and making this a fun and memorable day.



St. Genevieve students were invited for a special trip to the Chinese consulate. Students were able to experience traditional Chinese activities, eat authentic food and learn more about Chinese culture. As a bonus, each student received a stuffed panda as they left for the day.

Planning for 2023-2024 School Year

School Start Dates (HS)

Seniors: August 1
Juniors: August 2
Sophomores: August 3
Freshmen: August 4
All High School: August 7

School Start Dates (ES)

Supply Drop Off: August 11
First Day of Class: August 14
Back to School Night
Friday, August 18

Major Holiday Breaks

Thanksgiving: Nov. 20 - Nov. 24
Christmas: Dec. 18 -Jan 5
Faculty Retreat: Mar. 25 -29
Easter Break: Apr. 1 -5

Exciting Days

Welcome Mass: August 18
Hollywood Bowl: Sept 13 (Gr. 7-12)
Homecoming Mass: Oct 22
Homecoming Event: Oct. 26
Homecoming Game: Oct. 27
Halloween Carnival: Oct. 31 (ES)
SG Advent Mass: Dec 14
ES Christmas Program: Dec 15

Final Exam Dates (HS)

All students must be present for these days or they risk receiving a zero on final exams. An early vacation is not a valid reason for missing exams.

December 11 - 14
May 28-31

Other Days Off

Labor Day - Sept 1 & 4
Pupil Free Day - October 9
Post Homecoming - October 30

End of the Year Dates

High School: May 31
Elementary: June 7

Please help your student succeed by scheduling vacations, trips to Disneyland around school holidays. Your students should only be missing school if they are ill. Every day counts!