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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 19, 2020

Lord Jesus, I ask for Your help as I begin this new school year. Allow me to experience Your presence in the many blessings You put before me. Open my eyes to the new challenges and exciting opportunities that this new school year brings. Open my heart and mind to new friends and new teachers. Give me a generous spirit to be enthusiastic with my studies and courage to accept new opportunities. Help me to be attentive to my teachers and let me experience Your presence in my new friends. Jesus, inspire me to do my best this year! Amen



## DAILY PROCEDURES FOR STUDENTS

**Before Leaving Home:** Students and staff are expected to perform a self- health assessment daily before arriving on campus. This is how we will all stay safe, healthy and in school.

**Temperature:** "Have you had any signs or symptoms of a fever in the past 24 hours such as chills, sweats, felt 'feverish' or had a temperature of greater than or equal to 100.0 degrees?"

**Symptoms:** "Do you have any of the following symptoms: Cough, shortness of breath, headache, sore throat, chills, body aches, body shakes, new loss of taste or smell, or vomiting / diarrhea?"

**Exposure:** "Have you had any contact with someone who has a confirmed COVID-19 diagnosis in the last 14 days?"

**If the student or staff answers yes to any of these questions they should stay home!** If student/parent is unsure of whether to stay home, they should not come to school until they speak with the school nurse or administration. If a student becomes ill at school or presents with symptoms of illness, they will be assessed in a nearby separation area. From there it will be determined whether the student should stay at school or go home. While in the separation area the student will be monitored, made comfortable, and kept safe and apart from other students

**The building will be open for students to enter at 7:45 am and will be locked at 3:15 pm** Students who arrive early are to remain safely in their car or use the benches by the main office entrance to wait to enter. Social distancing must be practiced as the students wait to enter and/or exit the building.

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PLEASE BE SURE TO THOROUGHLY READ THE PARENT-STUDENT HANDBOOK ALONG WITH THE ACCOMPANYING ADDENDUMS WHEN SIGNING OFF IN FINAL FORMS. YOU MAY ALSO ACCESS IT HERE: [PARENT-STUDENT HANDBOOK](#)

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## LUNCH INFORMATION

A **Brown Bag Lunch** will be provided in lieu of a hot lunch line until we resume to normal. The cost of a brown bag lunch is \$3.00. The lunch will include: Wrap/Sandwich/Sub, or choice of PBJ Sandwich (PBJ Sandwiches will not be available thru snack bar at this time); Chips; Fruit Cup; Fresh Vegetable; Bottled Water (milk will not be milk available).

The **Snack Bar** will be open with limited selections including the option of two different fresh salads, and a variety other snacks and fresh fruit.

Students who choose to **bring their own lunch** will be asked to place their lunch bag, clearly marked with their name, at an assigned area in the hallway.

**Daily lunch orders will be taken in 1st period via Google Forms.**

### Student Lunch Account

A detailed letter will be provided to incoming freshman parents with instructions for managing your student's account. We urge parents to update their account to receive email alerts when balances are low. In addition to the online payment method, we accept cash or personal check at the register or in the school office to be deposited into your student's account. For example, sending in a \$40.00 cash/check payment (made payable to Newark Catholic High School) will eliminate

## WARM WEATHER DRESS CODE

Girls & Boys Warm Weather Dress Code, May 1 until September 30

- Khaki (brown tone) colored dress shorts are not to be ripped, torn, slit, or vented at the hem
- No cargo style pant is permitted
- Shirts - see above description
- Athletic shoes w/ socks visible at the ankle are permitted with shorts, excluding sandals or extreme styles

**Newark Catholic's Dress Code** (see [here](#), page 13) is designed to reflect the seriousness of purpose, which each student should bring to his/her studies. Furthermore, Newark Catholic believes that parents are primarily responsible for working with a student to make dress and grooming choices appropriate to this code.

The administration of Newark Catholic reserves the right to make discretionary decisions concerning this code and individual cases. The teacher will report violations of this dress code to the principal for disciplinary action. At the principal's discretion, students out of dress code may be sent home to change after parents are called. It is the student's responsibility to approach the subject teachers for assignments, tests or quizzes that were missed with the understanding it is for study

the \$2.00 online fee.

### Free & Reduced Lunches

If your family qualified for free or reduced lunch in the past, or your household income has changed, please contact Valerie Koch, Cafeteria Manager for more information. A form will be provided to you to determine your eligibility for a reduced lunch price.

Please contact Valerie Koch, [vkoch@laca.org](mailto:vkoch@laca.org), with any questions.

### CAFETERIA VOLUNTEER SIGN UP

Volunteer hours for this year may be served through working in the cafeteria, auction and/or bingo once it is permitted. We will be in communication with you if there is a change in this requirement due to COVID restrictions.

**Water Bottles:** Students are encouraged to bring their own water from home. The water fountains have been shut down at this time. Students will be permitted to drink water in class and during the school day. Bottled water will be available to purchase during lunch periods.

**Medication:** Details found in the Parent-Student Handbook. Students may NOT obtain aspirin or other over-the-counter medication from employees of Newark Catholic.

**Lockers** will not be available due to the current pandemic. School locks will be issued to freshmen once locker use is permitted.

**Backpacks** are to be used daily. Please be sure the backpack can fit under the student's desk to ensure safety of movement in the classroom.

purposes only. Credit will not be given for the work. Time missed from classes is considered unexcused.

**Dress Code Violations:** If a student accumulates five (5) dress code violation detentions s/he will forfeit the privileges of Jeans Days and Warm Weather Dress code for the remainder of the school year.



## School Closet & School Days

### PURCHASE UNIFORMS

**STUDENT SCHEDULES** Students should have received an email last week containing information about their schedules for school year. If YOU HAVE NOT RECEIVED YOUR STUDENTS SCHEDULE, PLEASE CONTACT Mrs. Welch at [dwelch@newarkcatholic.org](mailto:dwelch@newarkcatholic.org)

**TRANSPORTATION** Please contact your local district's bus garage for information. When picking up your student(s) after school, please move into a marked parking space to wait for them in order for the pick-up lane to move efficiently.

**RAFFLE TICKETS** NC Raffle Tickets will be sent home on orientation day with each student. Remember your \$300 for the raffle tickets was added to your tuition. Therefore, you keep the money for the tickets and return the completed stub to us for the drawing. Every family participates in this fundraiser in the amount of \$300.00 in sales. The cost per ticket is \$25.00. Please return purchased stubs to the school office on or before **September 29, 2020**. The first drawing is **Tuesday, October 6<sup>th</sup>**. Winning tickets are returned to the hopper for the next drawing the following month. There are 46 chances to win.

**Interim Progress Reports and Grade Cards** are available via available via [Progress Book](#).

## ALL STUDENTS & VISITORS MUST WEAR FACE MASKS IN THE BUILDING AT ALL TIMES

**Registration of Visitors:** In order to ensure the safety of our students and to help maintain the security of our building, we ask that **all** visitors to NC register in the school office, where they will receive a badge, before going to any part of the building. Visitors must display the school "visitor" badge at all times. **DO NOT** enter the building through the cafeteria service door. Lobby doors are locked from 8:15 AM - 2:50 PM daily so any

visitor must use the entrance by the front office during this time.

### ORIENTATION DATES

**Monday, August 24**

Freshmen 8 AM –11:30 AM

**Tuesday, August 25**

Sophomores 8 AM –11:30 AM

**Wednesday, August 26**

Juniors 8 AM –11 AM

Seniors NOON –3:00 PM

### FRESHMEN & NEW FAMILY PARENT ORIENTATION

(Limited to one family member)

**Monday, August 24 6 - 7 PM**

Last name begins with A - M

**Monday, August 24, 7:15 - 8:15 PM**

Last name begins with N - Z



Student Emergency Forms, other required academic documents, and Athletic Forms are to be completed on-line through Final Forms. You can start completing the forms on-line starting today. If all forms are completed properly and submitted on-line by August 28, by 3pm, your student will receive a FREE jeans day on Friday, September 4. If you have any questions about this or Final Forms, please call Mrs. Julie Snider in the office.

## FROM THE ATHLETIC DEPARTMENT

The Newark Catholic Athletic Association would like to thank the local businesses who support our athletes throughout the year.

Please stop by the following businesses to say

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING NEWARK  
CATHOLIC SCHOOL AND SPORTS!

July 26 – Aug 1 Raising Canes, KFC

Aug 2 – Aug 8 Chipotle, Lee's Famous Recipe

Aug 9 – Aug 15 Dickey's, Longhorn's

Aug 16 – Aug 22 Donato's, Moe's BBQ

Aug 23 – Aug 29 Don & Sue's, Pappy's

Aug 30 – Sep 5 Rooster's, White Castle

Sep 6 – Sep 12 Shade's



### VIRTUAL OHSAA PRE-SEASON FALL SPORTS PARENT MEETING

Thursday, August 20

7:30 - 8:30 PM

JOIN ZOOM MEETING [HERE](#)

Meeting ID: 719 3061 9088

Passcode: Dw8nWL

### SPORTS PHYSICALS

All students planning to participate in athletics at Newark Catholic must have a valid sports physical on file. Please check your physical date in Final Forms to ensure that you are up to date. If you have any questions concerning your physical date please reach out to Coach Pickering, Athletic Director.

ATHLETIC FORMS may be found [here](#).



We will Sportscope Live to stream Volleyball and Football events this Fall, along with other upcoming athletic events. Subscriptions will be available. More information on how to sign up will follow. FIND US [HERE](#)

### ATHLETIC BANNERS & SIGNS

Advisors, parents, and enthusiastic NC backers are asked to contact Coach Pickering, Athletic Director for approval before they construct and hang any banners or decorations in the

Team Meetings, Dinners, and Snacks. Please be sure your coach is aware of these types of events. If the meeting or meal is at Newark Catholic, you must first get approval from the athletic department to verify the availability of the building. Clean up, as always is your

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