



All Saints Academy

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Dear Parents,

As we are now in the season of inclement weather, I wanted to take the time to inform you of the policies and procedures All Saints Academy (ASA) and the Diocese of Grand Rapids (DOGR) have in place to keep your child safe. School day cancellation decisions, whether it be for snow accumulation or cold temperatures, are made by the Superintendent of Catholic Schools, Dave Faber. I myself cannot close ASA unless a situation occurs that is building specific. An example of this would be the loss of power or broken boiler. In the event that one campus closes for any of the reasons above, the other campus will close as well.

In the event of a school cancellation, I will receive a text from the DOGR immediately after the decision is made. This call may be the night before school or the in the morning the day of. Typically, a call will be made prior to 7:00 AM. DOGR will also automatically report all schools to the local media outlets. When I receive the alert, I will begin to notify all of you as quickly as possible through our own communication channels. To ensure effective and efficient communication, the following steps will take place:

- Send email blast through Infinite Campus.
- Send notification through the ASA App.
- Send text alert through the Remind App.
- Update school website and social media sites.

(You can find directions to the ASA and Remind apps on the attached pages.)

Child Care will be available at the Elementary Campus on snow days unless otherwise communicated.

Student safety remains our highest priority. If school is *not* delayed or canceled, or evening events continue as planned during inclement weather, please use your own judgement to make the best decision for your family. Your child will certainly not be penalized under these circumstances.

When school is closed, our policy is that any evening event will also be cancelled (sporting contests/practices, concerts, etc.)

Please pay close attention to your inboxes and school sites during these times of inclement weather.

God Bless,

Michael Debri, Executive Director/Principal

Mission Statement

All Saints Academy is a Catholic School inspired by the Holy Spirit and dedicated to teaching and living as Jesus did. Our mission is to serve and partner with our families, parishes and communities as we focus on the spiritual, intellectual, moral, social, and physical development of our children.

Mr. Debri would like you to join All Saints remind Academy!

To receive messages via text, text **@a59d92** to **81010**. You can opt-out of messages at anytime by replying, 'unsubscribe @a59d92'.

Trouble using 81010? Try texting **@a59d92** to **(616) 710-4021** instead.



*Standard text message rates apply.

Or to receive messages via email, send an email to **a59d92@mail.remind.com**. To unsubscribe, reply with 'unsubscribe' in the subject line.



WHAT IS REMIND AND WHY IS IT SAFE?

Remind is a free, safe, and simple messaging tool that helps teachers share important updates and reminders with students & parents. Subscribe by text, email or using the Remind app. All personal information is kept private. Teachers will never see your phone number, nor will you see theirs.

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June 7, 2017

Dear Parents and Guardians,

There is now an ASA mobile app, available through both the Google Play Store for Android devices, and App Store for Apple iOS devices. Simply search for All Saints Academy to find it in one of those stores. Our hope is that this app will put the school related information you need on a routine basis right at your fingertips on your mobile device. [Here is a video tour of the app](#), showing you all the features currently available. Feel free to send us your comments and suggestions about the app.

God bless,

Mr. Michael DeBri
Executive Director and Elementary Principal

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