

Community Christian School

August 31, 2020



COMMUNITY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

SCHOOL DAY HOURS:

Doors Open 7:40 am, School Starts 8:00 am

School Dismisses at 3:00 pm

NO SCHOOL MONDAY, SEP 6th – LABOR DAY

WELCOME BACK: Welcome back to another school year!! Thank you to all CCS families. Your patience and extra effort made the first week go very smoothly. We have a lot fun things in the works and week 1 was GREAT!!

MASKS: We do not have a mask mandate at CCS. As parents, please use your best judgement regarding your child's safety & health. We will be strictly enforcing our sick symptoms policy, therefore it is your responsibility to keep your child home if they exhibit at of these symptoms: Fever, shortness of breath, cough, nasal congestions, runny nose, sore throat, nausea/vomiting or have been in contact with anyone who has or has had COVID recently. Please do not return your child(ren) to school until you are symptom/fever free for 24 hours..

MORNING DROP-OFF: In the mornings, students are to be dropped off at their assigned doors on the south side of the building. Doors will open at 7:40 am and close at 8:00 am.

Center Door: 3yr old, 4 yr old Preschool & Kindergarten

South Door: 1st – 8th grade

If your child plans to eat breakfast at school, please drop them off at a time that will allow them at least 10 minutes to eat

If you arrive after 8:00 am, please drop your student(s) off at the office so they can be recorded as tardy.

AM VISITORS: We ask that parents and visitors who need to visit the office on a school day still drop their children off at the south doors, then circle around and park in the parking lot on the north side of the building and use the entrance/intercom button to gain entrance to the office.

AFTERNOON PICK UP: Please pick up your student on the south side of the school building from the same door you dropped them off at in the morning. Please continue to move ahead as the line moves. Students will be dismissed at 3:00 pm to walk to vehicles. Parents, if you choose to park across the street, you **MUST** walk across the street and pick up your child(ren). NO STUDENT will be allowed to walk across the street without a parent!!

MATH CLUB/MAKER SPACE: Again this year, we will have Math Club for students in grades K – 5 (older siblings are welcome to stick around and help out) and new this year is Maker Space (a creativity camp that covers everything from STEM activities to arts/crafts). Math Club will be every Tuesday from 3 – 4:30, we are still trying to generate a schedule for Maker Space based on interest. Please complete and return he sign up form if your child(ren) are interested in either club.

MEDICATIONS: If your child requires a prescription medication that did not arrive during Open House or on the first day, they will need to be delivered by a parent. Please bring the medication in the original container (with your child's name and dosage/time marked on it) to the office and complete a parental consent form.

FOOD SERVICE REMINDER: Courtesy of the USDA, all meals will again be free this year. We will charge for extra milk, therefore you still may see a low account balance slip come home from time to time. Please pay these as soon as you receive them.

MENUS: September breakfast and lunch menus are attached (and available on our website – ccsfd.org)

AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM: The After School program is up and running and **we have OPENINGS**. They have some wonderful things planned for your students this year, as well as incorporating in homework time daily. We are not requesting a 'calendar of intended attendance' in advance this year. Instead our rates are \$5.00/hour. We do request that you inform the office, or your child's teacher, if you know they will be attending the after school program. This alleviates us pondering at pick-up as to where your child belongs. If a last minute need for the program arises, just call/e-mail the office. 515-573-3011 // ccsofficefd@gmail.com

CRUSADERS ATHLETICS: As of now, we play to have fall/winter sports back at CCS this year. We are looking for an Athletic Director, Boys & Girls basketball coach/assistant, Pep/Cheer squad coach and assistant. Email or call the office if you are interested in volunteering.

DATES TO REMEMBER:

Sep 6	No School – Labor Day
Sep 10	1 st Tuition payment due
Sep 13	CCS Booster Club Meeting – CCS Art Room 7 pm
Sep 14	Marketing & Development – Noon (Trolley Center common court area)
Sep 17	No 4 year old preschool (work day)
Sep 21	CCS P&F Meeting - 6:30 pm
Sep 22	3-8 th Midterms go home
Sep 27	CCS School Board Meeting – 6:30 pm
Sep 29	Fall School Pictures (information in next memo)

LOOKING AHEAD: (we will add this next memo 😊)

CHAPEL: Chapel will be conducted similar to last year, classrooms will take turns leading Chapel.

BIBLE MEMORY VERSE FOR THE WEEK: **Matthew 5:3** Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

ATTACHMENTS:

Webster County 4H
Fort Dodge Girls Scouts

School Breakfast/Lunch Menu
Math/Maker Space Sign Up

All future memos will be sent via email. This initial memo is being sent home due to all of the attachments needing to go home. If you would like a paper copy of any memo or hard copies of the breakfast/lunch menu going forward, please email the office.

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