

HOLY FAMILY SCHOOL
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*Holy Family School, as part of Holy Family Parish community,
educates and inspires students to grow in faith,
to demonstrate academic excellence, and to model Christian citizenship.*

November 14, 2018

Dear Parents,

October Bible Verse

PSALM 145 v. 10
All your works give you thanks, Lord, and your faithful bless you.

Giving thanks for our blessings in my November goal. This is a big thank you to all staff and their hard work preparing for our accreditation visit. Every teacher served on two committees and wrote their assigned chapters. Each staff member typed a section, contributed data, and shared ideas how to center the classroom around understanding student targets and Student Learning Expectations. All staff shared ideas for each chapter and offered great input during as we reviewed and edited sections. Thank you for the extra work above and beyond the demands of being a teacher and staff member.

Accreditation Update:

Our one day pre-visit will be Thursday, December 13. The three day visit is January 14, 15, and 16. Parents and parish members will have opportunities to see the document and participate in the visit.

MAP Fall Scores MAP stands for **Measures of Academic Progress.**

MAP is a three-part test that measures student knowledge in reading, language usage, and mathematics. All students in grades 2nd– 8th will be taking the **MAP** every year in the fall, winter, and spring. Map uses scores to measure growth in each of the three academic areas tested, language arts, reading, and math. Scores depend on two things: how many questions are answered correctly and the difficulty of each question. When you, your child, and your child's teacher look at MAP results, it may become apparent that certain goal areas need more attention than others. At conferences the teacher will reference the goal for your child.

How did we do?

Here is some of the data regarding our students MAP test winter scores this year. All students are improving in many areas. Our students were tested in Reading, Math, and Language Arts. We are proud of all our students and how are dedicated learners. We receive data on how our students perform compared to all the students who took the MAP test this fall and what percentile range each class ranked in. We are across the board in the upper 40% in all tested subjects. The data results from the fall testing are on the next page.

CLASS GRADE & SIZE	Less than 41%	41-60%	Greater than 61%
8TH (14) math Reading Language Arts	0% 7% 0%	21% 21% 7%	79% 72% 93%
7TH (14) math Reading Language Arts	14% 7% 8%	21% 21% 38%	65% 72% 54%
6TH (17) math Reading Language Arts	11% 6% 0%	24% 29% 35%	65% 55% 65%
5TH (12) math Reading Language Arts	24% 8% 17%	17% 25% 0%	59% 66% 83%
4TH (18) math Reading Language Arts	22% 17% 22%	22% 22% 0%	56% 66% 83%
3RD (17) math Reading Language Arts	0% 0% 0%	12% 24% 12%	58% 77% 88%
2ND (19) math Reading Language Arts	5% 10% 10%	28% 32% 16%	69% 58% 74%

May God bless you and your family,
Michele Corey
Principal Holy Family School