



# NEWS LETTER

Oct. 19th- Oct. 25th

## ONLINE ENROLLMENT 2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR IS OPEN

Please enroll now for next year as a returning family before we open enrollment up for others to join Holy Family. Enrollment is on a first come first serve basis.



Scan the QR Code and take a few quick minutes to re enroll.

## School Attendance and Tardies

As part of Iowa's truancy law, students are required to attend school consistently, with no more than 10% of school days missed. This includes tardies, as each minute a student is late accumulates and can add up to a full day of absence. To stay compliant with this law and ensure your student's success, we ask for your continued cooperation in adhering to our school attendance policy.

Please ensure that any absences or tardies are documented with appropriate notes from a doctor, dentist, or similar provider. Regular and timely attendance is crucial for your child's academic success, as they miss valuable learning time when they are not in school. Making up work or tests is not a substitute for in-class instruction, and frequent absences or tardies can impact your child's progress.

School starts promptly at 8:00 a.m., and arrival after this time is considered tardy. Let's work together to help your student succeed by ensuring they are at school, on time, every day.

Thank you for your cooperation.

## DEADLINE FOR TRANSPORTATION REIMBURSEMENT DEC. 1, 2024

Attention to all parents who live over 2 miles from Holy Family School and reside in the Des Moines School District: Attached is a link that you MUST complete to receive transportation reimbursement. To qualify for this reimbursement, you must live over 2 miles from the school.

[https://dmschools.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\\_0xEiWYLDUiyfbGC](https://dmschools.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_0xEiWYLDUiyfbGC)

**CHECK US OUT:**  
<https://hfcsdm.org/>

# Upcoming Events at Holy Family

Oct. 21st NO School

Oct. 22nd School Resumes

Oct. 22nd School Board  
Mtg 6 pm - Library

Oct. 24th Math Night

Oct. 25th \$1 Jeans Day

Oct. 25th Picture Retakes

Oct. 31st Halloween  
Parties

Nov. 1st All Saints Mass

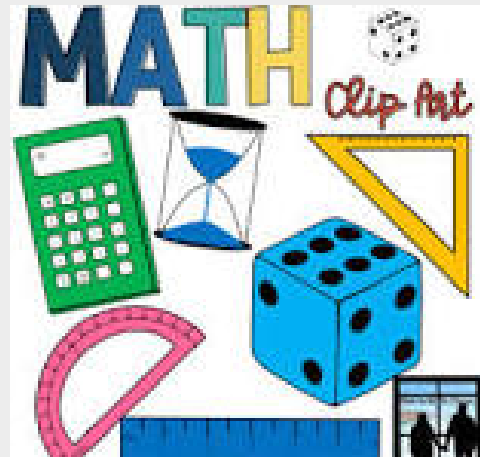
Check out what's happening at Holy  
Family

Website

<https://hfcSDM.org/>

Facebook page

<https://www.facebook.com/holyfamilycatholicschooldsm>



## Join us at Holy Family Math Night!

October 24th from 6-  
7:30pm

Pizza will be provided  
from 6-6:45pm

Bear Hunt activity to  
follow!

**"Education is the key that  
unlocks the golden door to  
freedom." —George  
Washington Carver**