

Most Precious Blood School

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October 11, 2018 Family Folder Newsletter

Dear School Family:

On Wednesday, October 3rd we will be visited by an Internal Diocesan Accreditation Review Team. The team will be conducting interviews with our students, teachers, parents, church staff and other school and parish stakeholders. All stakeholders are invited to the post accreditation visit meeting. This meeting will take place tonight at 6:00 P.M. in Mohr Hall. The meeting should last less than an hour.

Post Accreditation Visit Agenda

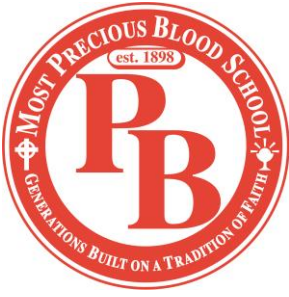
1. Watch the last 13 minutes of the accreditation visit video.
2. Explain of the highlights/strengths and improvement goals from the visit.
3. Overview of items we are going to implement for our goal. Initial thoughts from our teachers after the exit interview.
4. Question and answer for our school leadership team.

I am hopeful many parents will be able to attend tonight's meeting. Please watch this video to learn more about our school - https://drive.google.com/file/d/1-8qN661r0w113sIak6f0u_hC2SZu6es8/view?ts=5bb7bae8 .

This past Tuesday was the last Spanish class for the school year. Mrs. Reyes is retiring from teaching children. The staff and students made her last day very special. We are going to be evaluating our Spanish program for the future.

It is hard to believe tomorrow is the end of the first quarter and that next week is fall conferences. In your Family Folder there is information on the Book Fair. The Book Fair supports our library and classroom libraries.

Blessings,
Mr. Stanley Liponoga
Principal



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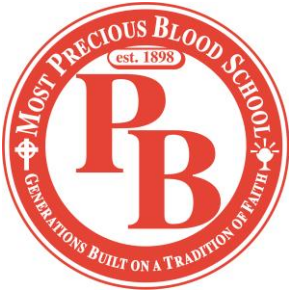
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Help Needed!!

The Book Fair is next week and we have cashier spots that NEED to be filled. Running the cash register is not hard to do and you can be train very easily. Please, if anyone is willing and able to help out we would be so grateful. The days and times that are needed are: Thursday the 18th from 5pm-8pm and Friday the 19th from 8/9am-12pm. These times are during conferences and can get busy, so we need to have someone there. Even if you can only help out an hour or two please contact me at arader@preciousblood.org, and let me know as soon as possible.

Also, we are going to be doing a contest this year. Up by the register we will have collection “toadstools” for donations to help the library get new copies of old books. The class with the most money will win a spirit wear day, per Mr. Liponoga! (*Since Preschool doesn’t wear uniforms they will get a special treat instead.)



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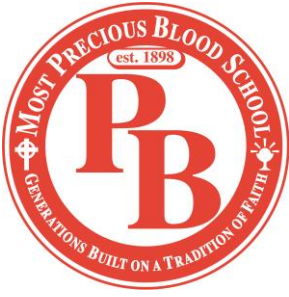


ATTENTION:

Any boys ages 6 thru 10 (grades 1st thru 5th) interested in Cub Scouts there will be an informational meeting Wednesday October 17th at Queen of Angels Social Hall (basement of Church) at 6:30. Please plan to have an adult with the boy.

ATTENTION:

All boys ages 11-18 years old interested in Boy Scouts we meet every Monday @7:00 at Queen of Angels Activities Center upstairs meeting room. If interested contact Rich Luley rwluley@yahoo.com or (260) 426-3276



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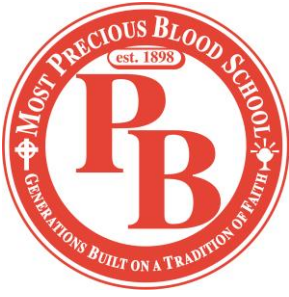
Job Opening

Most Precious Blood school is looking for a PreK teacher assistant. This position is Monday through Friday 7:30-11:30. We have two full-day preschool classrooms. A three-year-old classroom and a four-year-old classroom. The majority of this position would be working with the four-year-old classroom.

Interested candidates should contact Mr. Stanley Liponoga, sliponoga@preciousblood.org.

Does your child need a new Winter Coat?

The Christ Child Association will provide winter coats, gloves, hats, and a gift card for boots to children in need. The age range is Preschool through eighth grade. Please contact the school office if you would like information on the program.



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ATTN: 7th and 8th Grade Students & Parents

21ST CENTURY SCHOLARS

Have you been wondering what the 21st Century Scholars program is exactly? Well, it is a program that was established in 1990 to increase students' aspirations for and access to higher education. The Scholars program provides income-eligible students the opportunity to earn a scholarship that covers up to four years of tuition and regularly assessed fees.

The 21st Century Scholars program supports students and their families by providing them with the tools they need to prepare for college, graduate on time and start toward a successful career path.

The scholarship is awarded on an annual basis. It does not cover the cost of books and supplies or room and board. Scholars are provided resources and support to help them learn how to pay for additional college expenses.

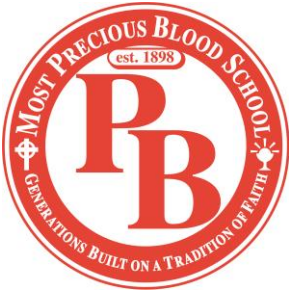
You can visit Scholars.IN.gov/eligiblecolleges for a list of approved colleges.

Are you wondering what Scholars are expected to do? The students who enroll in the 21st Century Scholars program must fulfill the Scholar Pledge to earn their scholarship.

The Scholar Pledge is as follows:

- I will graduate with a minimum of a Core 40 diploma from a state-accredited Indiana high school.
- I will complete the Scholar Success Program that helps me stay on track for college and career success.
- I will achieve a cumulative high school GPA of at least 2.5 on a 4.0 scale.
- I will not use illegal drugs or alcohol or commit a crime or delinquent act.
- I will apply for admission to an eligible Indiana college my senior year of high school.
- I will file the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) by April 15 as a high school senior and each year thereafter until college graduation.
- I will complete at least 30 credit hours each year in college to stay on track to earn my degree on time.
- I will maintain satisfactory academic progress (SAP) standards established by my college.

Students take the Scholar Pledge as part of the online enrollment process at Scholars.IN.gov/enroll.



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Are you wondering who can enroll as a Scholar? To be eligible for the 21st Century Scholars program, students must:

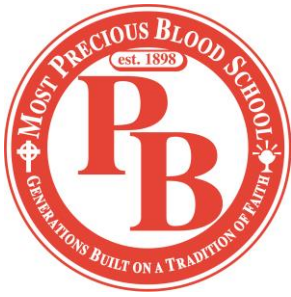
- Be Indiana residents.
- Be U.S. citizens or eligible non-citizens.
- Be enrolled in the 7th or 8th grade at an Indiana school recognized by the Indiana Department of Education.
- Meet income eligibility requirements.
- Take the 21st Century Scholar Pledge.

Eligible students must enroll online before June 30th of their 8th-grade year at Scholars.IN.gov/enroll. If you would like more information or need assistance applying, please contact Kim Bentley, School Social Worker, at (260) 424-4832 x122.

Fall Fundraiser Pizza Pickup Today

Pizza Kit Pickup in Gym 2:15 PM - 3:15 PM

October 18 at DWP announcing the top school wide sellers
and attempt to duct tape Mr. Liponoga to the wall



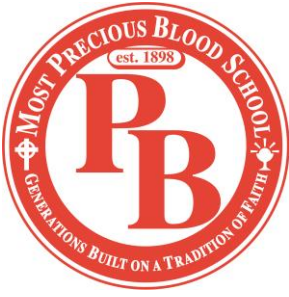
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From Christmas Workshop

Every year at P.B. the Home and School Association sponsors Christmas Workshop. With some purchased and donated items, we open Christmas Workshop in Mohr Hall so that the students may come and purchase Christmas gifts for family and friends. The gifts are priced from .05 cents to \$4.00. We are in need of a few supplies: Giftbags (all sizes), Candy Canes, Candy, Chocolate, M&M's plain and peanut, Bite-size candy bars, tootsie rolls, gift tags, scotch tape, brown & white lunch bags, hot chocolate, tissue paper, candles, votive candles, jewelry sized boxes, batteries, men and women's toiletries. We also appreciate any kind of donations, new or "very gently used. If you are able to help us out please send them to the office marked "Christmas Workshop." Thank you. If you have any questions please call Mrs. Angie Gernhardt at 424-4832.





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School Rules

- 1.** Respect Yourself and Others as a Child of God
- 2.** Contribute to the Learning Environment
- 3.** Follow Classroom Procedures

Mission Statement

Most Precious Blood School is a Catholic community dedicated to promoting education in Christian values, academic standards, and character development.

