

SAINT BERNADETTE SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

If you are trying to get in a little summer vacation before school starts, please be aware of our governor's most recent guidance for schools: **If a family is travelling to a hot spot, they must quarantine for 14 days before coming to campus.**



We are serious about this. As you have hopefully read in our COVID-19 Handbook, the **ONLY** way we will be able to keep our doors open for in-person instruction is if we keep the illness rates way down. The only way to do that is for **all** our families to avoid travel to hot spots, wear masks, socially distance, avoid touching the mouth, nose, and eyes, use hand sanitizer thoroughly and wash hands with soap and water for 20 seconds or more, frequently. And yes, avoid social gatherings or large events (super-spreaders). This is especially important if you hope to attend a family gathering where people from a variety of states will be in attendance. This virus travels when people do.

If you are traveling to a hot spot now, or intend to soon, be aware of your "home by" dates in order to start school on time. (See calendar below). If you are not going to make it home by those important dates, please notify me. I will work with you and with your child's teacher to arrange for temporary distance learning.

Please do your part to keep us all as healthy as possible.

Not sure where the hot spots are? Check for any red or purple counties *in Ohio* [here](#). This tool is updated on Thursdays.

Up-to-date trends in USA is a wonderful service from Johns Hopkins that can give you daily trends for the nation, and let you see county data from all over the US.

The CDC has compiled **Travel tips during the pandemic** that give the most realistic measures you need to take while away from home. International data is also found here.

Lastly, if you know of someone in our school community who intends to travel to a hot spot or a super-spreader event, please invite/remind them to check out this email. We're relying on the cooperation of everyone for the good of everyone.

Blessings,

Lizanne G. Ingram

In tomorrow's newsletter:

Sign-up link for In-Person classroom walk-throughs on August 24.

List of sign-ups and table stops for August 24.

Student first-day-of-school official dates (listed by homeroom).

Travelling to a place with a high rate of infection or to an event that could be a super-spreader? Make sure you quarantine for 14 days and then join us on campus. Contact Mrs. Ingram for help arranging temporary home instruction.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
August 9 Home by this date? OK to Meet Teachers 8/24	August 10	August 11	August 12	August 13 Home by this date? OK to start on 8/26.	August 14 Home by this date? OK to start on 8/27.	August 15
August 16 Home by this date? OK to start 8/31	August 17	August 18	August 19	August 20	August 21	August 22
August 23	August 24 5-8 p.m. Meet the Teacher walk-throughs.	August 25	August 26 8-11:30 Day 1 for half of our students	August 27 8-11:30 Day 1 for the other half of our students	August 28 All students learn from home on this day.	August 29
August 30	August 31: First full day of school for all students	September 1	September 2	September 3	September 4	September 5

