WELCOME TO THE 2011-12 SCHOOL YEAR

Mark your calendars! First day of classes for SAISD students is Monday, Aug. 22. Whether you're a returning student or new to the District, here's everything you need to know to help get the new school year off to a great start.

REGISTRATION

All students are required to enroll at the school they will attend on Aug. 9–12, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. daily, or until 7 p.m. on Wednesday, Aug. 10 only.

NEW STUDENTS

Parents or guardians will need their child's:
• Birth certificate, or other proof of identity
• Social Security number
• Recent academic records
• Proof of residence in SAISD
• Up-to-date immunization records*

RETURNING STUDENTS

Parents or guardians will need their child's:
• Proof of residence in SAISD
• Up-to-date immunization records*
** For immunization information call the San Antonio Metropolitan Health District, 207-8894*

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SCHOOL TIMES

• Early Childhood Education Center campuses - 7:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.
• Elementary – 8:10 a.m. to 3:10 p.m.
• Middle school – 8:45 a.m. to 3:45 p.m.
• High school – 8:45 a.m. to 4:15 p.m.

AGE QUALIFICATIONS

On or before Sept. 1 a child must be:
• 6 for 1st grade
• 5 for kindergarten
• 4 for pre-kindergarten*
• 3 or 4 for Head Start*
** Qualifications for these programs are also based upon need.*

WHAT TO WEAR

All District students must be attired in a uniform of khaki pants, shorts, skirts, capris or jumper and a white top or alternate school-approved shirts with collars in school colors.
See flyer with details: **Uniform Flyer 2011**
For more information, including uniform assistance, call **224-2270**.

MEAL APPLICATIONS

As part of the registration process, parents or guardians are encouraged to submit free and reduced-priced meal applications verifying their child's eligibility.
SAISD's participation is offered in conjunction with the federal Child Nutrition Program, administered by the U.S. Department of Agriculture.
NEW SAISD students must have lunch money on the first day of school and every day until a free and reduced-price school meal application has been received and processed by the Food & Child Nutrition Services Application Office.
Lunch prices: pre-kinder – 5th grade..... **$1.80**
6th – 12th grade..... **$2.05**
Breakfast is served free of charge to students.

DON'T KNOW WHICH SCHOOL?

Call SAISD's Parent, Community & Business Partnerships, **554-2210**.

AFTER-SCHOOL CHALLENGE PROGRAM

This after-school learning opportunity for select elementary and middle school students is available at 63 campuses. Entry fee is on a sliding scale. Districtwide registration will be:
• Aug. 18, 3 to 7 p.m., at the Alamo Convocation Center, 110 Tuleta St.
For more information contact the providers:
• Boys & Girls Club of San Antonio – **977-1480**
• Greater San Antonio After-School All Stars – **229-7827**
• YMCA – **924-2277**
• YWCA – **433-9922**

2011-12 **CALENDAR HIGHLIGHTS**

Aug. 22..... *First day of school*
Sept. 5.....*Labor Day*
Oct. 21..... *End of first nine weeks*
Oct. 24..... *Student holiday/staff development*
Nov. 11.....*Veterans Day holiday*
Nov. 21-25.....*Thanksgiving holiday*
Dec. 19- Jan. 2.....*Winter break*
Jan. 16.....*Martin Luther King Day*
Jan. 20.....*End second nine weeks*
Jan. 23..... *Student holiday/staff development*
Feb. 20..... *Student holiday/staff development*
March 12-16.....*Spring break*
March 30..... *End third nine weeks*
April 2..... *Student holiday/staff development*
April 6.....*Good Friday*
April 27..... *Battle of Flowers Day*
May 28.....*Memorial Day*
June 6..... *Last school day*