



Our Lady of Grace

Catholic School

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**IOWA Testing Dates
for grades 3-8:
March 6, 8, 9, 13, 15**

**CogAT Testing Dates
for grades 2 & 5:
March 7, 8, 9, 14
(March 14th is 2nd
grade only)**

Weekly Bulletin ~ March 1, 2017

IOWA Testing

IOWA testing begins next week at OLG. Students in grades 3-8 will take various tests over the course of the next 2 weeks. Students in 2nd and 5th grade will also take the Cognitive Abilities Test (CogAT).

The Iowa Assessment assesses where each child is performing academically. We use the data to help guide our instruction. It also highlights the strengths and weaknesses of a child's learning level. Testing results will be sent home to each family.

Other forms of assessment are used at OLG, however, the Iowa Assessment will show how your child is performing nationally compared to students at the same grade/age level. These are mandated tests by the Archdiocese of Cincinnati.

How can you help?

- Have your child in bed early every night.
- Make sure your child has a good breakfast. Protein/healthy based meals are preferable. Good choices would be: Peanut butter, eggs, nuts, bacon, blueberries, bananas and grapes.
- Make sure your child gets to school on time. Testing will begin almost immediately following the morning announcements.
- Share with your child the importance of trying his/her best on the test.
- Reinforce having a good attitude.



Larosa's Buddy Cards are available for ONLY \$10 in the main office! You get a year from the card activation date to receive 14 FREE pizzas! Half of all proceeds will go back to the OLGAA to help support our athletic teams. Please consider these for Christmas gifts for family, teachers, and friends!



YEARBOOK ORDER

Order your school yearbook online at ybpay.lifetouch.com

School CODE= 10504417

See packages online.



Turn in those Box Tops this **FRIDAY, MARCH 3**
Thank you!

Important Reminder...

Re-enrollment will end next Monday, March 6th! To complete your re-enrollment, all tuition and fees must be current, and your \$50.00 registration deposit must be paid by the March 6th deadline.



Help us pick the food trucks for this year's carnival on May 5!

Pick one truck from the list below that you'd like to see at the event: <https://goo.gl/forms/wRaHfhXbRW249Jz42> (It really works this time!!)

We'll update everyone once it's selected. Also, be sure to check out the Facebook event coming soon!

Food Truck Options

1. Pizza Tower Truck – Rob 513-683-8400
2. Patriot Concessions – Chris 513-276-3876
3. BG's Grill – Brian 513-808-2440
"www.bgsgrill.com"
4. U-Lucky Dawg – Steve 513-404-9090
5. Auntie Anne's – Jason 513-265-9544
6. Power Blendz Mobile – 513-237-9415
7. U Look Hungry – Matt 513-240-0908

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The Our Lady of Grace Fish Fry will be held March 3, March 10, March 17, March 24, March 31 and April 7, 5:00 p.m.-7:30 p.m. at Little Flower Church Cafeteria (5560 Kirby Ave, 45239). We offer dine in, carry out and a drive-thru. New this year, we will be accepting credit card payments.



Boys Basketball: Uniforms will be collected this season after your final game! Please make sure you turn in your uniform to your head coach by the designated date!

Our Lady of Grace Athletic Association

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The OLGAA has been hard at work with restructuring the Board positions and responsibilities. This is a volunteer organization and we need your support in order to run a successful program. If interested in helping out in any way, please contact President Jim Schreyer: presidentolgaa@gmail.com or Athletic Director Ellen Hughes: olgeaglesad@gmail.com.

LAST DAY FOR TRACK AND FIELD SIGN UPS!!!!!!

Track and Field registration ends today, *K YXb YgXUnzA UfW %ghVi hnci 'ghj` \ Uj Y hja Y°*" Come join us on the track for this fun sport.

Grade level coaching is still needed - Please contact olgtrackandfield@gmail.com if you are VIRTUS trained and interested.

Follow this link to the OLG Blue Sombrero account to register today!
<http://leagues.bluesombrero.com/Default.aspx?tabid=759168>

Our Lady of Grace Track & Field



OPEN to students in Kindergarten through 8th grade

- * No previous track experience necessary.
- * We take all kids who want to have fun and who strive to do their best.
- * Learn self-discipline, build endurance and develop your internal drive.



Practices are on Mondays and Wednesdays beginning the week of March 6th at Mt. Healthy High School track. Meets begin March 24th and are on Friday nights/ Saturday days.

Sprints - Long Distance - Relays - Long Jump - High Jump

Softball Throw - Discus Throw - Shot Put

Don't forget the Ice Cream Run! It's one of the season highlights every year!!

Registration is through Blue Sombrero found in 'ATHLETICS' under the 'CURRENT FAMILIES' or 'STUDENT' drop down button.

Registration **OPENS WEDNESDAY FEB 1st** and **CLOSES Friday Feb 24th**. Don't wait to sign up for this great activity!

Contact Kate Romanello Jones 513-746-9920 or olgtrackandfield@gmail.com

Fish Fry

5560 Kirby Ave., Cincinnati, Ohio

Our Lady of Grace Athletic Association
at St Therese Little Flower cafeteria in Mt Airy

***NO CHILDREN SHOULD BE DROPPED OFF AND UNATTENDED! ALL CHILDREN ATTENDING THE FISH FRY MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT! ***

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WANT TO VOLUNTEER AT THE FISH FRY THIS YEAR?

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Open House begins the re-enrollment process at Our Lady of Grace for the 2017-2018 school year. We are looking forward to working with you to continue our mission of helping the students at OLG become the best versions of themselves. We are so excited to be offering online re-enrollment through Ascend this year. This will replace the re-enrollment packets you have received in past years.

For your assistance with the re-enrollment process, the directions to re-enroll your child(ren) are located on the next page of the Weekly Bulletin. If at any time you need assistance with this, please contact Ms. Waltner at mwaltner@olgcs.org. To begin this process, you will need your Ascend login. Please contact the school office at 513-931-3070 if you need help retrieving this information. This change from paper to electronic re-enrollment does not affect the EdChoice scholarship application process. If you have questions about this, please contact Darlene at dcytraus@olgcs.org.

In order to re-enroll your child, this online form must be completed and the \$50.00 enrollment fee paid before admission for the 2017-2018 school year may be finalized. This fee can be paid in the office by check or cash. Please place any checks sent in with your child in an envelope marked "Re-enrollment Fee" and your child's first and last name.

Please keep in mind open enrollment will begin on March 6, 2017. All priorities will be removed during open enrollment. At this point students who meet the school's admission criteria will be admitted in the order in which their completed registrations are received. Class lists will be limited based on our student-teacher ratios; We are committed to maintaining this important quality of our school as we move forward. **To ensure your child's re-enrollment, it is important that you submit your re-enrollment form and fees by the deadline.**

Online Registration for Returning Students

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www.olgcs.org

1. Go to your school's AscendSMS page and login to your account. <https://olgcs.ascendsms.com>
2. Click **RE-ENROLL** in the blue menu bar.



3. Select if your child will be returning or not.
NOTE: You will see all of your children listed here if you have your accounts combined.
4. Choose the **Grade Level** your child will be entering next year.
5. Answer any other questions your school may include on the Re-Enrollment Form.
6. Your name will be auto-filled for your electronic signature.
7. Look for notes your school may add to the form!
8. Fill in the security code and click **SAVE** to submit your application.

Thank you for choosing our school!

Bradford, Jorgia

Last Name* First Name* Returning to RF Demo* Yes No Upcoming Grade Level*

I have read the student handbook.*

Parent/Guardian Signature: Date:

Remember to send in all medical forms by February 28th.

Please Enter Text shown in above image:

9. You will see the following message and receive an email to verify your application was received.

Re-enrollment form has been submitted successfully.

- *** Remember to fill out and turn in any forms and fees associated with your school's registration process.
- *** You will need to fill out a New Student Registration for any children that will be new to the school.

