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SAINT FOR A DAY INFORMATION

Thank you for your interest in Concordia Preparatory School! Our students, faculty, and staff are excited to welcome your student as a **"Saint for a Day."** Additional information about your student's campus visit, including frequently asked questions, are noted below.

Important Information

1. **Required Emergency Contact Form**
   Prior to arrival, families are required to complete an emergency form. Parents or guardians of each "Saint for a Day" guest should complete this form in advance of their scheduled campus visit.

   ➢ **Complete Required Emergency Form**

2. Personal Electronic Devices
   Students may bring cell phones to their campus visit; however, phones must remain turned off, securely stored, and not be used without faculty or staff permission throughout the school day. Additionally, iPads and similar tablet devices are not permitted per School policy.

3. Campus Visit Times and Instructions
   - Arrival Time: 9:00 a.m.
     - Families should park their in either a visitor spot in the circle drive in the front of the school or in the lower parking lot. No parking permit is needed.
     - Families and students should enter the main entrance of Hofmeister Hall under the gazebo. Please ring the doorbell at the front doors. A member of our team will greet you.
   - Departure Time: 1:30 p.m.
     - Families should follow the arrival instructions when "Saint for a Day" visits conclude. Students will meet their families by the Front Office.

4. School Closings or Delays
   The safety of the Saints (and future Saints) community is a high priority for the School. The School will communicate any closures or delays via its website, social media accounts, and email as well as local news. If Concordia Prep is closed or on a two-hour delay, "Saint for a Day" visits will be rescheduled.

Frequently Asked Questions

Q: What is "Saint for a Day"?

A. "Saint for a Day" is a program that allows prospective students to experience a typical day at Concordia Preparatory School. The visit begins with a welcome from our Admissions Team and current Saints, followed by the opportunity to attend classes and enjoy lunch alongside a student host. We do our best to match guests with a requested host or a student who shares similar interests. While we recommend that students stay for the full day, accommodations can be made if a shorter visit is necessary.

Q: What is the schedule for my "Saint for a Day" visit?

A: Guests should arrive on campus by **9:00 a.m.** and will be welcomed by our Admissions Team. The visit begins with a short welcome for prospective students and parents. Following this, students will be paired with their host and spend the day attending five (5) classes and enjoying lunch on campus with current Saints. The "Saint for a Day" experience concludes at 1:30 p.m., and all prospective students should be picked up at that time. Throughout the day, visiting students will complete a short questionnaire and may ask any final questions before departure.

Q: What should students wear when visiting as a "Saint for a Day"?

A: When spending the day at Concordia Preparatory School, students should wear neat, clean, and modest clothing. A current school uniform is also acceptable. Please follow the guidelines below:

- **Boys:** Dress pants or khakis with a collared shirt (button-down or polo). Dress shoes are required—please no sandals, boots, or athletic shoes.
- **Girls:** Dress pants or a skort with a blouse or polo shirt. Shoulders must be covered.

****The following items are not permitted:** Denim/Jeans of any kind, hats, or clothing with inappropriate graphics, sandals, flip-flops, pajama-style pants, T-shirts, tank tops, halter tops, spandex, stretch pants, yoga pants, or leggings.

Q: Where do I go when I arrive on campus for my visit?

A: Upon arrival, you may park in the circle drive in a designated visitor spot or along the brick curb. You may also park in the lower parking lot and walk up to the main entrance located under the Gazebo. At the glass doors, please ring the doorbell and a member of our team will be ready to greet you upon your arrival.

Q: Who will be my host/hostess for the day?

A: Prospective students may request a Saint Ambassador to serve as their host; however, specific pairings cannot be guaranteed. In most cases, visiting students will be paired with a current student from the grade they are expected to enter the following school year. Whenever possible, we make every effort to match students with hosts who share similar interests or have a connection through a previous school.

Q: Is my student permitted to use their cell phone during the visit?

A: Guests visiting our Middle or Upper Schools may carry a cell phone with them; however, it must remain silent and out of sight while inside the school building.

Q: What books or classroom materials should my student bring during the visit?

A: In the rare event that the host student has a test or quiz during one of the class periods, your student is welcome to bring homework from their current school, a book to read, or a notebook to use for journaling or taking notes throughout the day. Please note that outside computers are not permitted and backpacks are NOT allowed to be carried throughout the day.

Q: Does my student need to bring a lunch?

A: No, a lunch voucher will be provided for your student to enjoy a meal in the Saints Café. Middle School students will also have a snack break at 10:20 a.m. If your student prefers to bring their own lunch or snacks, they are welcome to do so.

Q: Is it appropriate for my student to participate in class?

A: Yes! While we cannot guarantee what will be covered in each class, students are welcome to participate in discussions if they feel comfortable. If your student prefers to observe quietly, that is perfectly fine as well. Our teachers and students are excited to welcome your student to Concordia Preparatory School.

Additional Questions?

Please contact the Admissions Office with any additional questions or needed assistance.

Admissions Office

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