Principal’s Message

Summer Vacation

I hope that your summer vacation is coming along well. Many excited things are happening here on campus, such as: New construction on the ball fields, new gym flooring (waxing and sanding), painting the metal fascia around the top portion of the school, new plumbing fixtures in the bathrooms, and regular deep cleaning of the AA building.

I hope that your summer continues to be great. If you have any questions about this up-coming school year, please feel free to contact the school office, Monday-Thursday 9-4.

Mr. O

Summer
Dear Parents & Students:

We have exciting news for you! After much prayer and thoughtful discussion, the Andrews Academy staff has unanimously voted to upgrade the dress code for next school year (2012-2013). This decision was made to encourage and enhance the principles of modesty and professionalism that we know our students, their parents, and we, as a staff, endorse.

How will the dress code be different from last school year? All AA students will be required to wear shirts embroidered with the Andrews Academy logo/seal. Several styles of shirts will be available for purchase from a specific uniform provider.

In the near future (around the 10th of July), the school will send out more information on the various styles of shirts as well as provide details on how to purchase them. While all specifics have not yet been finalized with the uniform provider, we are contacting you in advance, as we wanted to get this initial information out to you early in the summer before anyone begins purchasing clothing for next school year. We are researching various uniform providers to obtain the best prices and quality of shirts. We will not be using the most costly providers, but rather, are seeking to find the highest quality product for the most affordable price.

While we realize that the issue of school uniforms can create strong reactions, both positive and negative, we trust that you will seek to understand and come to support this decision. We have discovered, through research and personal experiences, that other schools that have modified their dress codes in a similar way, have seen positive changes in the modesty and general appearance of students. Additionally, after initial investments, families report that over the course of the school careers of students, school clothing costs are much more affordable for this type of dress code.

As soon as final details are available we will send another update to you. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Mr. O
Registration Fee

There is a registration fee for ALL students-registering next year. It was supposed be turned in WITH the application. We have entered the schedules of all the returning students, however if you did not pay the fee, it needs to be paid BEFORE or ON the 1st day of school. If you are one of the many who turned in the application/schedule without the fee. PLEASE come in and pay the $100 fee as soon as you can. Thank you!

The Office Hours this summer are as follows:

Monday– Thursday 9am –4pm.
Friday-Sunday CLOSED

Closed:
July 2-5 Independence Day
Aug 6-9 Teacher’s Convention in Nashville, TN

Pre-registration day for new Students is:
July 10 10-am7pm

Call for an appointment if you have NOT scheduled your pre-registration yet. 269-471-3138

Tuition Payments:

If you need to make a payment on your student’s tuition, you can always do it by credit card on our AA Website under Student Web, or go to the Administration Building on AU campus & make it at the Cashiers Department in the Lower Level.
Contact Information

During the summer, the teacher’s schedules are not consistent and the school office is not necessarily aware of the details. Between taking Continuing Ed courses, Professional Conferences and just taking a well deserved rest, they are still BUSY. If you are needing to get ahold of them, here are their office numbers and emails for your convenience.

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