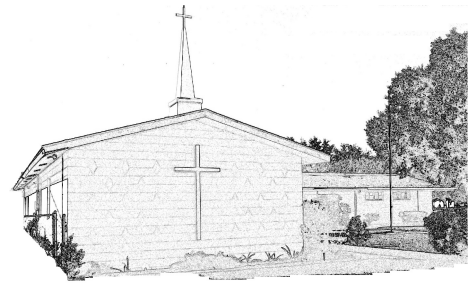


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“But Jesus said, ‘Let the little children come to Me,  
and do not forbid them; for of such is the kingdom of heaven.’”  
- Matthew 19:14

July 16, 2016

Dear Parents,

I pray the Lord has blessed your summer thus far and that He will bless us as we prepare for another school year. Mrs. Goodwin and I look forward to teaching your children the soul saving message of Jesus Christ and Him crucified. School begins Monday, August 15, at 8:15 a.m. The first day of school will only be a half day and will end at 11:30 a.m. There will be no lunch on this day. Here is some information for the 2016-2017 school year at Immanuel.

### Immunizations

Make sure your child’s shot records have been updated and that they have the age appropriate shots. Click the following link to view the immunization requirements and schedule which shows what shots your child should have depending on the grade level of your child.

[http://www.polk-fl.net/parents/generalinformation/documents/16-17\\_ImmunizationReqPoster.pdf](http://www.polk-fl.net/parents/generalinformation/documents/16-17_ImmunizationReqPoster.pdf)

Please note the preschool, kindergarten, and 7<sup>th</sup> grade requirements.

### Payment

Payment of the book fee and registration fee will be **due before or on the first day of school, August 15**. The registration fee is \$25 which covers activities and field trips. The book fee is \$200 which covers the cost of books. The total comes to \$225. Checks should be made out to Immanuel Lutheran Church. The first tuition payment will be due Friday, August 26. The tuition rate did increase to \$295. If you are unsure of your tuition rate, please contact Mr. Bernthal.

### Back-to-School Party and Open House

We will again combine the back-to-school party and Open House into one night on Friday, August 12, at 6:00 p.m. Bring a few dollars for pizza and a snack or drink. The parents will be meeting for the Open House while they eat. This is a **must attend meeting even if you have sent your child here for the past couple of years.** We will talk about the upcoming school year, the attendance policy, parties, field trips, discipline, homework, parent involvement, and school activities.

### August Calendar

Attached is the August calendar with important school dates and times. A calendar will be handed out each month. Keep it in a spot where you can refer to it often for school information.

### Immanuel Lutheran School Calendar 2016-2017

Attached is the school year calendar for 2016-2017. This has all the vacation days along with the Family Fun and Game Night dates. Please keep this for reference throughout the year. **Notice that we do not follow the public school schedule. Check the calendar or call Mr. Bernthal to be sure of the school days.**

## School Supplies

Look at the chart (on the following sheet) for the supplies your child needs. **Please do not buy the 5 subject notebooks.** One notebook for each class. It may be a good idea to stock up with a few extra of these items now while the back-to-school sales are going. This may save time and money later when your child runs out of an item during the middle of the year. **Please make sure your child has all the supplies they need.** If you have any questions, please call your teacher. Your child may have some supplies left from last year.

## Vacation Bible School

We will be having Vacation Bible School July 18-22 from 9:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. If you are planning to send your child, please let Mr. Bernthal know. Thank you.

## First Day of School

School begins Monday, August 15, at 8:15 a.m. The first day of school will only be a half day and will end at 11:30 a.m. There will be no lunch on this day.

## Education Sunday

Education Sunday will be Sunday, August 21, at 10:15 a.m. Your children will be singing in church to start the new school year. Please bring your children by 10:00 a.m. so we can practice. Let us lift praises to our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ for the blessings of Christian Education. There will be a meal to follow the service.

Yours in Christ,

Mr. Neil Bernthal

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Mrs. Megan Goodwin

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## Up Coming Events

**-Vacation Bible School: Monday, July 18 - Friday, July 22 9:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.**

**-Back-to-School Party and Open House: Friday, August 12, 6:00 p.m. Bring snack and pizza money**

**-School Starts: Monday, August 15, 8:15 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.**

**-Education Sunday: Sunday, August 21, 10:15 a.m. - Children sing in church**

# Immanuel Lutheran School

## School Supply Chart

### 2016-2017

Grade	Crayons K-2nd 24 ct. only	Washable markers (broad tip)	Pencils #2 lead (packages)	Thin markers	Colored pencils	School box for pencils	glue stick	glue bottle	scissors	spiral notebooks (wide rule)	pocket folder	ruler	book bag	loose-leaf paper 150 pack	eraser tops (package)	Kleenex boxes	Small pencil sharpener	Hand sanitizer or soap
PreK-K	1	2	1	1	1	2	4	1	1	1	8	1	1	1	1	2	1	1
1 <sup>st</sup>	1	2	3	1	1	2	4	2	1	8	4	1	1	1	1	2	1	1
2 <sup>nd</sup>	1	2	3	1	1	2	4	2	1	8	4	1	1	1	1	2	1	1
3 <sup>rd</sup> - 8 <sup>th</sup> *	1	1	4	1	1	1	4	2	1	10	3	1	1	1	2	2	1	1

**\*6<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> will need a scientific calculator, protractor, and compass (to make arcs and circles) for math class this year. Make sure the compass is able to be tightened down, or it will not work.**

**\*3<sup>rd</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> will need an assignment book or planner to write assignments into throughout the year.**

**Note:**

-The off brands of markers, crayons, and colored pencils tend to break and run out very quickly. Even though they are cheaper at times, they may not always be the best deal.

-Make sure you buy a big enough size of scissors for your child.

**-Make sure your child has each of the supplies listed above.**