# Mid Year Important Information For Parents – *Please Read*

# Dear Parents,

Here Are A Few Important Reminders. Please Read and Refresh on our Covid Quarantine, Closure and Tuition Guidelines as we return after the holidays. As I mentioned at the beginning of the school year, this year requires Flexibility and Working Together. Usan thankful that the first half of our school year wasn't really affected by Covid and I am praying the same for the next 5 months.

Please Read Important Information Below so that you will be aware of the guidelines and policies through the school year.

#### Closures

We will follow SISD closures related to Covid-19 that are in the best interest for the health and safety of the children and staff. Please watch the school *Facebook Page* for news of closures or quarantines.

There may be times we are required to temporarily close due to staff staying home with their quarantining school age children. Last month we had 4 staff members out in one day due to their SISD children being under quarantine. Thankfully we had ladies to help us during that time but that isn't always the case. Subs are hard to find. We will contact you if this happens so you can make plans to keep your child home.

□ All God's Children MDO Preschool will continue to follow Smithville Texas Independent School District school calendar for inclement weather closures as well.

## Quarantine

□ If COVID-19 is confirmed in a child or staff member we will follow the procedures as set forth by CDC. The class group affected will be under a 14 day quarantine. Please let us know as soon as possible if your child was exposed to Covid or has Covid. Please keep your child home if anyone in your household has Covid and please notify us. Thank you.

#### Sickness

Please do not send your child to school sick. If they have a continuous cough or runny nose please keep them home. If a sickness is going through your household please keep your child home to keep from passing it to others.

#### Masks

Parents please remember to wear your masks during drop off and pick up. Thank you

# Tuition

Temporary Closures, Permanent Closure & Temporary Quarantine All God's Children MDO tuition is due the first Tuesday or Thursday of each month.

Late fee will apply if late. Please do not be late or you will be charged an extra \$25.00.

No refunds will be given for tuition.

Will only take tuition payment for the current month.

No advance payments.

Tuition for one child is \$175.00 each month

Tuition for two children is \$315.00 each month.

# Temporary Closures & Temporary Quarantine

In the event we have temporary closures/temporary quarantine up to a week & more and then return to school, tuition will not change and it will remain the same. We will provide learning packets for the temporary absence of a week or more. You will be able to pick up the packets at the school. Regular tuition payments will be due.

#### **Permanent Closure**

Tuition amount will only change in the event if the governor or the county closes schools down on a permanent basis for the school year.

At that time we will prepare 5 day week Curriculum Packets for Distance Learning according to age of your child for you to pick up. Tuition amount will then be half price with complete closure of school year only. You can pay when you pick up your child's Weekly packets. These will be issued either every 2 weeks or monthly.

In the event of complete school year closure if you decide not to continue with the packet option for distance learning you can notify me at that time and your child will be removed from enrollment.

For the complete Covid Guidelines you received at the beginning of the school, you can visit our website.

Thank you, Vonda Bearden