



HELMICH SNIJDERS HILLSIDE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

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BULLETIN

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BACK TO SCHOOL

We are excited to welcome back our students, parents, teachers, and staff to school! Blessings for a safe and productive school year.

We also welcome our new students and their families.

Parental Contributions

Please, be reminded of the importance your contribution plays in your child's educational experience. Kindly ensure that your contribution is made in a timely manner.

Please remember the fees for students attending Early Childhood must be paid by the 5th of each month.

Community School Program (Mon., Tue., Thur. & Fri.)

Children attending the program must dress appropriately: no strapless tops or short tops; no tights for the girls.

The program begins with a warm meal that we encourage the students to partake of. Lunch varies daily and consists of: rice, meat, chicken, salad, soup, noodles etc.

After lunch, students work on completing their homework.

Extra-curricular activities such as swimming, music, and gym will begin in September. Particular projects like gardening, drama and baking will continue this year.

The program ends at 5 p.m. A late fee charge of \$5 will be applied to your bill if your child is picked up after 5:00 p.m.

SCHOOL THEME 2025-2026



Character Education

The **virtue** of the **month** of **September** is: **Harmony** - When things or people get along well together and everything feels balanced and peaceful.

The scripture verse:

1 Peter 3:8

Dress Code

Please keep our students shining as they did on the first week of school. Remember only black shoes can be worn at all times. Students are not allowed to come to school in jean pants unless management has given permission to do so. Keep our boys hair groomed neatly

In-School Waste Management Project

Recycling of plastic collected in the various classrooms and offices continues. Parents please speak to your child/en about the importance of recycling!



Please take note of the following:

Back-To-School Parent Evening

Parent evenings are an important part of the school year. They provide a valuable opportunity to build a positive, open, and strong relationship between parents and teachers. Teamwork and communication between home and school are key to your child's success.

Group 5, 6, 7

Date: Tue, September 9th

Time: 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

Group 0, 1, 2, 3, 4

Date: Thu, September 11th

Time: 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

Music & English classes:

Began the week of Sep 1

Gym Classes

Started the week of Sep 8



Baseball & Softball



It is that time of the year when the various schools are busy putting their teams together.

If you wish to register your child/ren for either baseball or softball, please contact Coach Julisa, via the school's office number, for further information.

Thank you

Thank you to the Rotary Club of St. Martin Sunrise and the Sint Maarten Red Cross Foundation for their donations of school bags.



Rotary
Club St. Martin Sunrise



Birthday Greetings

August

Ms. Barbij, Coach Julisa, Mr. Alphonso, Juf Peggy, Mr. Joel & Mrs. Stevens (our Founder)

September

Juf Dayen, Juf Pearl, Juf Graciela & Mr. St. Vil

Congratulations to all our boys and girls. May the Lord grant you many more years of life.



Facebook Page/ Website

Check out our Facebook page and website for upcoming activities and also pictures of our students.



Facebook Page

www.facebook.com/helmichsnijdershcs/

Website

www.helmichsnijderscampus.net

Vacation Schedule 2025 – 2026

Mid-Term Break I: Oct. 6 - Oct. 10

Constitution Day: Oct. 13

St. Maarten Day: Nov. 11

Christmas Break: Dec. 22 - Jan 2

Mid-Term Break II: Feb 16 - 17

Easter Break: Apr. 2 - Apr 6

Carnival/King's Birthday/Labor

Day Break: Apr. 27 - May 1

Ascension Day: May 14 - 15

Emancipation Day: July 1st

Last Day of school year 2025 – 2026

July 3, 2026

Hurricane Season

The hurricane season started on June 1st, 2025 and will end on November 30th, 2025.

Please speak to your child/children about this and involve them with the preparations. Do not underestimate mother nature.

Tune in to 107.9 FM, the Government's radio station, for updates.

Check link below for hurricane shelter information:

<http://www.sintmaartengov.org/special-campaigns/Pages/Hurricane-Shelters.aspx>

BE PREPARED!



Mon - Fri

7:45 AM - 2:45 PM

Ms. Charles - Secretary

Helmich Snijders

Canteen Menu



| MONDAYS | TUESDAYS | WEDNESDAYS | THURSDAYS | FRIDAYS |
|------------------------------|---|------------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Hotdog \$1.50 | Chicken Soup Sm \$1.- Lg: \$2.- | PIZZA (PER SLICE) \$1.25 | Hamburger: \$2.00 | Hotdog \$1.50 |
| Sandwiches: \$1.50 | Sandwiches: \$1.50 | Sandwich: \$1. | Cheeseburger: \$2.25 | Sandwiches: \$1.50 |
| Chicken | Tuna | Peanut Butter and Jelly | Sandwich: \$1.50 | Tuna |
| Egg | Nutella | | Ham / Cheese | Ham / Cheese |
| Ham / Cheese | | | | |

Specials – Cycle 1

1st Friday - Nuggets & Fries \$2.00

4th Friday - Johnny Cake with Ham/Cheese/Tuna \$1.50

Beverages

Water \$0.50/\$1.-

Caprisun \$0.50

Welch \$1.25

Specials – Cycle 2

2nd Friday - Chicken & Fries \$2.00

4th Friday - Johnny Cake with Ham/Cheese/Tuna \$1.50