



## **I.J. Paderewski Polish Language School**

August 22, 2017

Dear Student/Parent/Guardian:

I hope that you and your family have enjoyed the summer break. I also hope that you are ready to start this year's Polish language classes, as we look forward to providing excellent learning opportunities for you/your children. Nothing is more important to us than helping our students develop an understanding and appreciation for the Polish language and culture.

To our new students, WITAMY (welcome)! We are very glad that you have chosen I.J. Paderewski Polish Language School and are very excited to provide you/your children with a fun environment to learn more about the Polish language and culture.

To our returning students, thank you for continuing your studies with us! We can't wait to see all of your smiling faces and embark on another year of learning.

Last year was one of our best years as a school and we are excited to build off of its success with yet another fun-filled and educational year.

Included in this letter is some information to help prepare you for the **start of classes on September 23, 2017.**

### **KEY DATES:**

- **September 23, 2017: First Day of Classes**
- November 11, 2017: Polish Independence Day
- November 25, 2017: Thanksgiving Holiday (No School)
- December 9, 2017: 'Mikolajki' Holiday Celebration
- December 16, 2017 - January 6, 2018 : Winter Break (No School)
- January 13, 2018: End of Fall Semester

### **REGISTRATION REMINDER:**

To keep our records up to date and accurate, all students (returning and new) are asked to please [fill out the 2017 Student Registration Form](#)

### **TUITION REMINDER:**

In order to best serve the students and maintain the excellent standards of our school, please **try to bring tuition payments to the first day of classes.** (Payment Plans Available)

Children: \$250 for full year for first child in family, \$200 for each child after the first.  
Adults: \$200 per semester.

**Checks Payable to:** I.J. Paderewski Polish School. **Cash Accepted. No Credit Cards.**

## KEY SCHOOL INFORMATION:

### **Location:**

St. Stanislaus School Building  
6615 Forman Ave, Cleveland, OH 44105

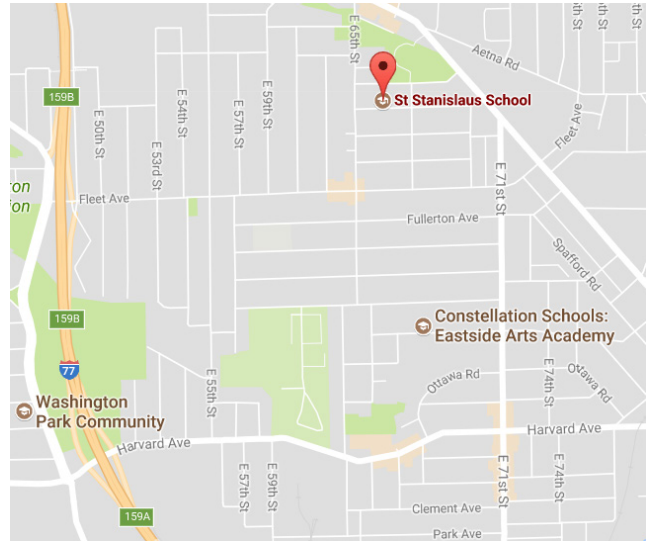
[ [GOOGLE MAPS LINK](#) ]

### **Class Times:**

Saturdays at 10:00 AM - 12:50 PM

### **Materials Needed:**

- Snack (Kids receive a snack break)
- Pen/Pencil (provided)
- Folder/Paper (provided)
- Books/Materials (available for purchase)



### **Absence Notifications:**

If you are unable to make a class session please e-mail [contact@paderewskischool.com](mailto:contact@paderewskischool.com) so that we can keep you informed on what may have happened that day.

### **School Closing Hotline:**

While it is uncommon for the school to be closed, we do live in an area where inclement weather may create unsafe travel conditions, especially during winter months.

For up-to-date notices, please see <http://www.paderewskischool.com/calendar.html>

### **Emergency Contacts:**

Grazyna Buczek - Director

Cell: 216-316-6165

Email: [grazkabuczek@gmail.com](mailto:grazkabuczek@gmail.com)

Agnieszka Augustyniak - Teacher (Children)

Cell: 216-502-1845

Gosia Oleksy - Teacher (Adults)

Cell: 440-623-3874

### **Other Contact Info:**

Questions, concerns, comments - [contact@paderewskischool.com](mailto:contact@paderewskischool.com)

Website questions, concerns, comments - [webmaster@paderewskischool.com](mailto:webmaster@paderewskischool.com)

Social Media questions, concerns, comments - [social@paderewskischool.com](mailto:social@paderewskischool.com)

## OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS:

### 2016 T-Shirts Still Available:



Sizes Available: Child S, Child M, Child L, Adult S, Adult M, Adult L

Cost: \$10, two for \$15

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### 2017 WEBSITE REMODEL

Starting in September our website, <http://www.paderewskischool.com>, will be undergoing a complete redesign that should help us function better in today's digital environment of mobile browsing and touch screen devices.

This new site will provide additional resources for students of the Polish language and culture, as well as create a channel to better share the many things that happen in association with our school and the Polish community of Cleveland as a whole.

If anyone has any suggestions and/or comments regarding the website, please email them to [webmaster@paderewskischool.com](mailto:webmaster@paderewskischool.com) so that we can create the best possible product for our wonderful school.

**PHOTO RELEASE REQUEST**

Due to the fun environment of our school, there are several occasions where we look to document our classes, activities, events, etc.

With this in mind, we request that each student (or their parent/guardian) reviews and completes this form ASAP. One form per family is okay, as long as each students' names are printed in the space provided.

Copies (as needed) will be available with your teacher during classroom sessions.

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**PHOTO RELEASE FORM FOR I.J. Paderewski Polish Language School.**

I.J. Paderewski Polish Language School  
6615 Forman Avenue  
Cleveland, OH 44105

Subject: Polish School and Related Activities

I grant to I.J. Paderewski Polish Language School, its representatives and employees the right to take photographs, video recordings, and/or audio recordings of me and my property in connection with the above-identified subject. I authorize I.J. Paderewski Polish Language School, its assigns and transferees to copyright, use and publish the same in print and/or electronically.

I agree that I.J. Paderewski Polish Language School may use such photographs, video recording, and/or audio recordings of me with or without my name and for any lawful purpose, including for example such purposes as publicity, illustration, advertising, and web/social content.

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PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE:

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