



St. Dominic Catholic School

“Weekly News” –Sept. 7-11, 2020



Principal’s Message

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Welcome to our second week of school. You should have received our Welcome Back Newsletter. We will be using this method for all communication that will be sent on our Swift messaging system.

Our staggered entry was very successful, and it was wonderful getting to meet our students in person. We finish off our staggered entry for our 100 Voices and Kindergarten students on Tuesday.

Our Online teachers will be reaching out to our parents on Tuesday and Wednesday, expect an email today from your child’s teacher and/or a call on Tuesday or Wednesday. Thank you to Mrs. Gouveia, Mrs. Rice, Mrs. Vares, Mrs. Letourneau and Miss Babington for taking on our 100 Voices, Kindergarten, Grade 1, 2 and Grade 4 students from St. Dominic. Our online learners for grades 3,5 and 6 will be connecting with their teacher from Genesis Online learning next week as well.

There will be no changes from the learning stance you have chosen until the 2nd Quarter.

Online learners, please make sure you have a dedicated device – computer, iPad, tablet, Chromebook for each child to prepare for their daily lessons with their teachers. They will need Google Classroom and Microsoft Teams installed (these are just app’s available on the internet).

Safety, emotional wellbeing and finally curriculum are at the forefront of our return to school. Thank you for your patience as we build in these important rocks in our daily learning. Our teachers are building relationships, getting to know your children and working with their colleagues across the division to set curricular pacing for each grade level so we have smooth transitions at our quarterly system.

We appreciate your feedback and questions as we are all learning what’s working best in this situation.

Parent Reminders and Information!

New St. Dominic School website: St. Dominic Website – click [HERE](#)

How To Talk To Kids About Drugs – Click [HERE](#)

If you have not already done so, please have a look at our Instagram page? Follow us at “st.dominic_ecsd” or follow our Instagram feed via our main website link [HERE](#).

Children and Mental Health - Crisis? Northgate Centre - Click [HERE](#)?

Covid-19 AHS Information – Click [HERE](#)

Curriculum – Grade-at-a-Glance - Click [HERE](#)

Chief Superintendent’s Monthly Message – Click [HERE](#)

School/Student Handbook – Click [HERE](#)

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‘Parent Resources’ Click [HERE](#)

Parking Concerns and FAQ’s - Click [HERE](#)

AHS Children, Youth and Families - Addiction and Mental Health Website and Newsletter – Click [HERE](#)

Mark Sylvestre
Principal



Nicole Rolph-DeVicque
Assistant Principal



Week-at-a-Glance

- **O Canada and Prayer Week** – Admin
- **Staffroom:** Mrs. Gouveia and Miss Maclean

Monday - 7

- Labour Day. No school for students

Tuesday -8

- 2nd day of Staggered Entry for 100 voices and Kindergarten
- Full Day for all Grade 1-6 Students

Wednesday – 9

- Treaty 6 Acknowledgement - Mrs. Rolph-DeVicque Reading – The “Treaty 6 Acknowledgement” - Click [HERE](#)

Thursday – 10

- No Kindergarten or 100 voices classes on Thursday’s.

Friday – 11

- School Opening Celebration broadcast to classrooms today for Morning Announcements
- Mrs. Gascoigne’s Birthday is on Saturday Happy Birthday!

“Other Important Notes”

- Please ensure that if you have any address or personal information changes that you communicate those changes to the school right away

“Other Important Links”

School Links
St. Dominic School Re-Entry Plan is HERE
School Calendar - Upcoming Events HERE
School Council Information HERE
St. Dominic Savio Parish HERE
Novel Coronavirus Info HERE

Division Links
CoVID-19 Info is HERE
District Website Main Page HERE
Environment Canada Weather HERE
CoVID-19 Info is HERE