



Holy Spirit Catholic Elementary School

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Sunday, May 30th, 2021

Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s),

A reminder that this coming Monday, May, 31st, 2021 is a PA Day. There is no school for students. On Tuesday, June 1st, we look forward to our community participating in our food drive in support of the Aurora Food Pantry. Please see the highlights below for information on the upcoming week at Holy Spirit CES.

Virtue of the Month

The virtue of the month for June is integrity. This month, we remind students of the importance of being sincere, trustworthy, and truthful, even when it is difficult as well as standing up for what they believe to be good and right.

Holy Spirit Food Drive

This Tuesday, June 1st, 2021 we will be holding our Holy Spirit Nurturing Hope Food Drive. A detailed letter was sent to all families this week. Please see the letter for details. Boxes will be available in front of the school for dropped-off items between 8:30 am and 7:00 pm.

Items that are in need include but are not limited to canned fruits, canned vegetables, juice boxes, toilet paper, cereals, and pasta sauce. I would like to thank you in advance for your continued support and generosity.

Parent Survey

A reminder that in order to help prepare and plan for the upcoming school year, parents have the opportunity to complete a survey to indicate if their child will be learning remotely for the upcoming 2021-2022 school year. Survey responses are due no later than June 4, 2021, at midnight. Please know that if parents do not fill out the survey, their choice will be recorded as "in-person".

Parent Survey: <https://forms.gle/BDgABAP7kd7AsaPs5>

The survey asks for your child's OEN number (displayed on Provincial Report Card or in the Parent Portal) and the parent email address on file with our school. If your child is entering JK, they do not have an OEN number and the space can be filled with number 9's to complete the survey. Families needing assistance filling out the survey can request help by virtually visiting our Call Centre at <http://help.ycdsb.ca/vle>

Updating Student Passwords

In the interest of safety, please remind students that they should never give their YCDSB G-Suite password to their friends and should keep them in a safe place that is not easily accessible to others. It is advised that students only share their YCDSB G-Suite password with their parent(s)/guardian(s). Please strongly consider updating your child's password. This can be done by visiting <https://myid.ycdsb.ca/Change.aspx>.

Moving? Updated Address Information

Are you moving out of our school area? Please ensure that you notify our school office of your move. Due to the school closure, you can email the school at hst@ycdsb.ca to notify us of your move.

Attendance Reminder

Thank you to all of our families for continuing to use the Safe Arrival system to report absences. Our system will call families who have not reported their child's absence or late. If you do receive this call, you can verify your child's attendance by leaving a message on the school answering machine or emailing us directly at hst@ycdsb.ca. Both systems are checked regularly throughout the day. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Twitter & School Website

For information, including the parent weekly updates, please visit our website at this link: [Holy Spirit School Website](#). You can also follow us on Twitter: **@HST_YCDSB**

Yours in Catholic Education,

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