



Holy Spirit Catholic Elementary School

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December 15th, 2023

Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s),

Thank you to our Catholic School Council, volunteers, and vendors for making our Milk & Cookie Evening such a fantastic success. We would also like to thank the following businesses and individuals for their donations:

The Real Canadian Superstore (Bayview)
Tim Hortons (Bayview)
Starbucks (Bayview)
Countrywide Homes
Rising Stars Soccer Academy
Louise Chow and Family
A&W
Tree Valley Garden Centre

Lastly, we'd also like to thank everyone who was able to donate new Christmas accessories or make donations to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul. Please note that our last day of school before the Christmas break will be Friday, December 22nd, 2023. I would like to wish all of our students, families, and staff a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. I look forward to seeing everyone back when our school reopens on Monday, January 8th, 204.

Please see the information below for important details on our upcoming week at Holy Spirit.

Luke 4:18 Christmas Spirit Week

HOLY SPIRIT CHRISTMAS SPIRIT WEEK!



<u>Mon. Dec 18th</u>	<u>TUES Dec 19th</u>	<u>WED Dec 20th</u>	<u>THURS Dec 21st</u>	<u>FRI Dec 22nd</u>
Christmas Sock Day	Christmas Accessories Day! Get Festive!	Red, White & Green Day!	Christmas Sweater Day!	Pajama Day!
				

Primary Christmas Concert

Our Kindergarten to Grade 3 students will be performing in our Primary Christmas Concert on Wednesday, December 20th, 2023. Thank you to our students and teachers for their efforts and we look forward to their performance. Thank you to all families who have RSVP'd. Doors will open at 12:45 pm. All students will have an opportunity to watch the dress rehearsal on Tuesday.

Raffle Ticket Unclaimed Prizes

We had three unclaimed raffle items. Please see the numbers below. If you have the winning ticket please have your child come to the office with the ticket to claim the prize.

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Virtual Early Facilitation Parent Information Evening

On January 25, 2024, our student services department will once again be hosting a Virtual Information Session for Parents of Children with Exceptional Needs registering for Kindergarten Year 1 (Junior Kindergarten) in September 2024. Parents are invited to attend the virtual session to learn about our Special Education Programs and Services. **To register click on:** <https://forms.gle/oRsiDpN8GUWyPssd6> The deadline to register is January 23rd, 2024.



York Catholic District School Board



Student Services will be hosting an
**Information Session For:
Parents of Children with Exceptional Needs
Registering for Year 1/Junior Kindergarten
Entering School September 2024**



**YOU ARE INVITED TO ATTEND OUR VIRTUAL PARENT INFORMATION SESSION TO
LEARN ABOUT OUR SPECIAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS AND SERVICES**

VIRTUAL PARENT INFORMATION SESSION

THURSDAY, JANUARY 25, 2024

7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

Please click on the link below to register.
Upon registration, a link to the virtual session will be provided.

To register click on:

<https://forms.gle/8jCqN8GLVyyP5ad6>

Deadline for Registration:

January 23, 2024

<p>Mission Statement</p> <p>Guided by Gospel values and Catholic Values, in partnership with home and Church, we educate and inspire all students to reach their full potential in a safe and caring environment.</p>	<p>Vision Statement</p> <p>Our students will become creative and critical thinkers who integrate Catholic Values into their daily lives, as socially responsible global citizens.</p>	<p>Core Values</p> <p>Collaborate, Equity, Integrity, Creativity, Respect, Responsibility, Service</p>	<p>Strategic Commitments</p> <p>Foundation of the Curriculum, Leadership Development, Professional Learning, Student Well-being, Digital Literacy, Student Engagement</p>
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Yours in Catholic Education,

Mr. A. Modica

Principal

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Monday, Dec. 18th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hot Lunch: Delicious Greek
Wednesday, Dec. 20th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pizza Nova Hot Lunch Primary Christmas Concert (1:00 pm – 2:00 pm)
Thursday, Dec. 21st	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Zucca's Ristorante Hot Lunch
Friday, Dec. 22nd	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A & W Hot Lunch Last Day of School
Monday, Dec. 25 th , 2023 – Friday, January 5 th , 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Christmas Break (School Closed) Merry Christmas and Happy New Year

Monday, January 8 th , 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• School Reopens