

ST. PAUL SCHOOL

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Dear St. Paul School Families,

We are now at the end of another great year St. St. Paul School.

St. Paul Staff and Education Committee wish you all a restful and happy summer break. Following is some important information you will need to begin the 2022-2023 school year.

SCHOOL UNIFORM

Please pay strict attention to the following paragraph about uniforms.

It is very important that every item that you send with your child is clearly labeled with their name.

This will help everyone keep track of clothing etc. Please include lunch kits, sweaters, shoes, shirts, and all small items such as pencils, felt pens, etc. Commercially purchased labels and permanent pens for labeling clothing are recommended as common pen markings regularly fade.

SCHEDULE FOR NEXT YEAR

The school day will begin at 8:45 a.m. (with doors opening at 8:30am to receive students every day) and end at 3:00 p.m. on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. Wednesday is a weekly early dismissal staff meeting day. The children will be dismissed at 2:00 p.m. every Wednesday. This schedule allows an afternoon for you to arrange doctors' and dentists' appointments, piano lessons, etc. and allows teachers much needed planning/meeting time.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 06, 2022 - School Hours 8:45am - 12:00 noon (Door open for students at 8:30am)

School will open on Tuesday, Sept. 8th, at 8:45a.m. All children should arrive at school in full uniform on this day. **School will be dismissed at 12:00 noon on this day.**

Our Spiritual Theme for this 2022-2023

"Seeking Truth, Healing, and Reconciliation."

• The dates for school masses will be posted on our online calendar on the school website. We hope you will all make a special effort to come to our liturgies throughout the year.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 07, 2022 - School Hours (8:45 am. - 2:00 pm.)

• The beginning of our weekly 2 pm dismissal each Wednesday.

THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 08, 2022 - (8:45 am - 3:00 pm)

Regular school schedule begins.

LOCKERS AND BACKPACKS

All students in Grade 1 to 7 have a personal locker for their belongings. It is very important to realize that these Lockers are not able to accommodate suitcases with wheels that act as backpacks. The lockers are hinged but will not survive the force that is constantly used to try to close a very over-filled space. The lockers need to hold a reasonably sized backpack, a lunch container, a jacket or coat and a pair of runners. Please see that your child's/children's school bag meets these essential requirements. If your child is not able to carry his/her own belongings there are too many things in his/her bag.

Wishing your family a wonderful summer followed by a fruitful new school year in September.

Yours in Faith, Movedon.

Maureen Moorehead

Principal



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IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

To help you plan your holidays **AT SCHOOL BREAK TIMES**, here are significant dates for the school year 2022-2023. **Please avoid taking vacations during the school year.** The children need to be in school for the entire school year. **These dates are also on the online calendar**.

| September | 6 th | School Opens 8:45 am -12 noon dismissal | |
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| 2022 | 7 th | Walk-a-thon Assembly | |
| | 12 th | Student Photo Day | |
| | 13^{th} to 16^{th} | Grade 7 Outdoor Education | |
| | 20 th | AGM - Meet the Teacher Night – 7:00 pm | |
| | 29 th | Walk-a-thon - Dismissal 12:15pm | |
| | 30 th | National Day of Truth and Reconciliation – No School | |
| October | 5 th | CISVA Cross Country Meet | |
| | 7 th | Garry Point Fun Run | |
| | 10 th | Thanksgiving Day - Holiday - No School | |
| | 18 th | Photo Re-take Day | |
| | 20 th | Parent/Teacher Conference Day 1:00 pm (12 noon Dismissal) | |
| | 21st | Parent/Teacher Conference Day (No regular classes) | |
| | 31 st | Halloween Dress Down Day | |
| November | 4 th | Interim Report Home | |
| | 11 th | Remembrance Day - Holiday - No School | |
| | 14 th | Pro-D Day - No School | |
| | 25 th | Pro-D Day - No School | |
| December | 13 th | Christmas Concert - 1:30 pm and 7:00 pm | |
| | 16 th | Last Day before Winter break – Dismissal 12:00pm | |
| | 19 th to | Winter Break – No School | |
| January | 2 nd | Willer Break - No School | |
| 2023 | 3 rd | School Re-opens after Winter Break | |
| | 20 th | Pro-D Day - No School | |
| | 25 th | Feast of St. Paul – Dismissal 3:00pm | |
| | 31 st | New Parent Information Evening – 7:00 pm | |
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| February | 3 rd | CSL Reports Home |
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| 2023 | 16 th & 17 th | Catholic Educators' Conference - No School |
| | 20 th | Family Day - Holiday - No School |
| | 21 st | Pink Shirt Dress Down Day |
| | 22 nd | Ash Wednesday School Mass |
| | 23 rd | Daily Lenten Masses Begin |
| March | 10 th | Class & Team Photo Day |
| | | Last day before Spring break - Dismissal 3:00pm |
| | 13 th to 24 th | Spring Break – No School |
| | 27 th | School Re-opens after Spring Break |
| April | 7 th | Good Friday – No School |
| | 10 th | Easter Monday – No Schoo l |
| | 21 st | Student Led Conferences (No regular classes) |
| May | 19 th | Pro-D Day - No School |
| | 22 nd | Victoria Day - Holiday - No School |
| June | 2 ^{rnd} | Pro-D Day - No School |
| | 20 th | Grade 7 Mass & Farewell |
| | 23 rd | Appreciation Breakfast & Fun Day - Dismissal 12:30pm |
| | 28 th | Last day of school for students - Dismissal 12:00pm |
| | | CSL Report Home |
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STUDENT SCHOOL UNIFORM 2022-2023

| St. Paul Girls' Uniform | St. Paul Boys' Uniform |
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| Golf Shirt (white, crested, short or long sleeve) | Golf Shirt (white, crested, short or long sleeve) |
| Tunic (girls, grades K-3, St. Paul tartan) | Boys dress pants (navy blue) |
| Kilt (girls, grades 4-7, St. Paul tartan) | Dress shorts (navy blue, optional) **not permitted between Thanksgiving and Spring Break.** |
| Girls dress pants (navy blue, optional) **only permitted between Thanksgiving and Spring Break.** | |
| Gym strip | Gym strip |
| * T-shirt (white, crested) | * T-shirt (white, crested) |
| *Shorts (navy blue) | *Shorts (navy blue) |
| * Running shoes with non-marking soles. | * Running shoes with non-marking |
| (Preferably white). | soles. |
| | (Preferably white). |
| Sweater (royal blue, crested) style optional: | Sweater (royal blue) style optional: |
| *Buttoning Cardigan | *Buttoning Cardigan |
| *V-neck | *V-neck |
| Socks: Dark Blue in colour. Over the calf (just below the | Socks: Dark Blue in colour. Dress or crew socks |
| knee) or tights. | (No ankle or no-show socks permitted.) |

Shoes: All black shoes with good support. No sandals, no heels, no boots or ankle boots.

Accessories: Please keep accessories simple and discreet. No jewellery except small studs for pierced ears. Hair accessories should match the uniform. No make up or nail polish.

KINDERGARTEN: Same as above. For gym class, all Kindergarten children will wear their regular school uniform with running shoes. For the sake of modesty, girls should wear shorts or leotards underneath their tunics.

St. Paul School Uniform Supplier

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