








St. Joseph Catholic Elementary School WEEK at a GLANCE – October 9th – 15th

During the month of October, we will be learning and praying about the Fruits of the Holy Spirit called – “Charity”

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Monday 9	Tuesday 10	Wednesday 11	Thursday 12	Friday 13
<p style="text-align: center; color: red; font-weight: bold;">Happy Thanksgiving!</p> 	<p style="color: blue; font-weight: bold;">Team Meeting at 8:45</p>  <p style="color: blue; font-weight: bold;">Hot lunch orders on sale in cash online (Hot dogs and pizza)</p>	<p style="font-weight: bold;">Fire Department Visits Mr. Mellon's Grade 3 Class</p> <p style="font-weight: bold;">ARC Working Meeting at Notre Dame</p> 	<p style="font-weight: bold;">Board Level Cross Country Meet – Mrs. Kendrick attending.</p> <p style="font-weight: bold;">Fire Drill</p> 	<p style="font-weight: bold;">Alternate Date for Board Level Cross Country</p> <p style="font-weight: bold;">Dairy Educator Visits</p> 

Principal's Message:

Hello Everyone!

Thank you for all of your help and purchases to our Fresh from the Farm Fundraiser!!! If you forgot to order and can get your order in at the beginning of the day on Monday, we would be happy to submit your order for you! Unfortunately, after that date, we are unable to accept orders. Fruits and Vegetable Orders will be delivered to the school in November and we will communicate that date for pick-ups to you, once it is confirmed!

On behalf of myself and the Staff at St. Joseph CES, I would like to wish you all a Blessed and restful Thanksgiving Weekend!
Blessings, Mrs. Brodie

Safety Reminder

As part of our Safe Schools Procedures, all Visitors must report to the office and not go directly to classrooms. If you are picking up your child or dropping off items for them, please report to the office and we will call your child down to see you. If you wish to talk to your child's teacher, please write a note in the agenda or call the school to set up an appointment. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Cash On-Line Update: To Receive Emails Regarding Purchases

Parents are asked to please:

- Login
- Go to “Manage Email Notifications”
- Click “I want to receive email”

****Then you will receive automatic emails regarding purchases and reminders!*****

Looking Ahead...

- **October 17th – Catholic School Council Meeting – 11:30, lockdown drill, Term 1 IEPs sent home, hot lunch orders due on cash online**
- **October 18th – Junior Soccer Tournament, Vision Screening for JK/SK/1**
- **October 20th – Alt. for Jr. and Int. Soccer**
- **October 19th – Intermediate Soccer Tournament**
- **October 23rd – Hot Lunch Day (Hot dogs)**
- **October 24th – Bus Evacuation Training**
- **October 27th – PA Day – No School for Students**
- **October 31st – Halloween Dance for students, 1st installment of Ottawa trip money due**
- **November 3rd – Picture re-take day, School mass at the school**
- **November 6th – Pizza lunch**
- **November 13 – 17 – Book Fair Week**
- **November 14th – Progress Reports go home**
- **November 16th – Parent/Teacher Conferences**
- **November 22nd – Vaccines for grade 7 & 8 students**
- **November 30th – 2nd Installment for Ottawa trip due**

Math Moment...



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The benefits of reading stories to our children at nighttime have been shared countless times over, and for good reason. Reading improves literacy skills. Why is it that we don't do math with our children before bed? This is a question that Jon Orr, an Ontario Math teacher asked himself and then proceeded to put together a resource that contains a collection of prompts that can inspire mathematical discussions that you and your children can have before bed, at dinner, or anytime. Sometimes there is one right answer and sometimes there are many right answers. The purpose of each question is to generate a discussion about HOW you determined an answer. To access the resource, visit:

<https://mathbeforebed.com/>



For older students, Homework Help is a free online math help resource. It provides free, live one-on-one tutoring from Ontario teachers Sunday to Thursday from 5:30pm – 9:30pm ET for students in grades 7 – 10. The program is funded by the Ontario government and administered by TVO's Independent Learning Centre. To log in, students will need to register with their Ontario Education Number (OEN), found at the top of their report card near their name. (Your child's OEN never changes so any of their Ontario report cards will have it.) <https://homeworkhelp.ilc.org/>