



## Important Dates

November 5th	Picture Day (NEW DATE)
November 12th	Progress Reports Sent Home Digitally
November 14th	Interview Evening—New Booking System
November 18th	Earth Rangers Presentation for Students
November 19th	Dental Screening Begins (JK/SK/Gr. 2 / 4 / 7)
November 22nd	PA Day (No school for students)
November 29th	Santa Visit / Milk and Cookies for students (permission forms will be sent home)
December 1st	First Sunday of Advent
December 2nd	Picture Re-Take Day
December 4th	Student Advent Mass at St. Dominic Parish
December 8th	Second Sunday of Advent
December 15th	Third Sunday of Advent
December 22nd	Fourth Sunday of Advent
Christmas Break	December 23rd 2024—January 3rd 2025
January 6th	First Day Back from Christmas Break

## Morning Arrival

School begins at 8:30 am. It is important that students arrive on time, to minimize disruptions to learning. Establishing morning routines are important skills in order to be prepared for the day! Late students come through the office.

## School Attendance

Using SafeArrival, Parents/Guardians are required to report their child's absence, late arrival or early departure using **one** of these three methods:

- **Toll Free # 1 (844) 435-3440**
- **SchoolMessenger** [go.schoolmessenger.ca](https://go.schoolmessenger.ca)
- **SchoolMessenger App** (blue icon) from the *Apple App Store* or the *Google Play Store*.

These options are available 24 hours/day, 7 days/week. Future absences can be reported at any time using this system. For more information on how to report an absence using SafeArrival, visit: <https://www.dpcdsb.org/parents/absence-reporting>

## Pick Up Arrangements and/or Daily Changes

If there are any changes to your child's pick up routine at the end of the day, please let your child know in the morning. We often have children not knowing how they're getting home. Please also communicate to your child's teacher either through note or agenda.

## Parents at School

A reminder to parents, if you drop off your child at the school please come into the office. Parents are not allowed to walk through the hallways. Any students that are late, please come to the office first to ensure that we have marked you present.



## Class Mass Rotations

Every Wednesday, one class from St. Dominic and Queen of Heaven School will participate in weekly mass at St. Dominic Parish. Classes from Grade 1 to Grade 8 will rotate on a weekly schedule. They will be waking to church. Students leave at approximately 8:50 am and will return approximately 10:30 am. Please make sure your child is on time for school. At this time, we will not need volunteers to walk with the students and all verification forms were filled out at the beginning of the year for all walking excursions.



## PAY YOUR SCHOOL FEES ALL ONLINE



School Cash Online allows parents and community members to pay school-related fees online safely, quickly, and easily. Parents can purchase items like spirit wear, lunches, and field trips - anytime, anywhere.

### How do I register?

Please refer to these [Registration Instructions](#) for step-by-step details on how to get signed-up for online payments.

To directly login or to register, visit [School Cash Online](#).

### What payment methods will be available?

Parent will be able to pay online using Visa, MasterCard and e-Cheque.

## Mississauga's School Walking Routes Family Travel Survey Winner

Congratulations to **Paul Stoklosa** who is the winner of a \$50 gift card for completing Mississauga's School Walking Routes Family Travel Survey. Thank you to the Region of Peel and Active Transportation for the support during our Walk and Roll Event earlier this year!

## Progress Reports and Communication of Learning

The Progress Report (Grades 1-8) and Communication of Learning (Kindergarten) will be sent home **electronically on Tuesday,**

**November 12, 2024.** This means that your child's Report Card/Communication of Learning will be sent directly to your child's registered DPCDSB student email account. For example: 123456789@educ.dpcdsb.org This is the same number that they use to log into their computers at school. Your child's teacher will ensure that they have their student numbers and passwords. You will be able to download the report card to have your own copy. The link that will be emailed and will be live for 7 days. Please be aware, that the Progress Reports and the Initial Observations are not a formal Report Card and students will not be receiving letter grades indicating achievement of overall expectations.

Interviews will be held on **Thursday, November 14, 2024.**

**New this year**, school interviews will be booked online using a new platform [www.studentinterviews.ca](http://www.studentinterviews.ca).

More information will be sent home soon!



## ECO TEAM NEWS

Thank you to our Eco Team for participating in the Battery Blitz Campaign! Thank you to all those that brought in your used batteries!



## SPORT NEWS

**Congratulations** to all the students that participated in our Fall Sport Teams!

**Cross Country:** Congratulations to all our Cross Country Runners and those who had great results at boards —Grace, Ryan, Tristan, Sophia, and Lucas.

**Our Junior Girls Volleyball Board Champions:** Karolina, Mia, Meliah, Anayis, Samantha, Cassandra, Sophia, Taylor, and Niaomi.

**Our Junior Boys Volleyball Team:** Marco, Tristan, Elio, Matteo, James, Ryan, Adam, Julian, Jonah, and Colin.

## St. Dominic Catholic School Council

**St. Dominic Catholic School Council for the  
2024—2025 School Year**

### Executive Council

**Co-Chairs** Natasha Kovar & Michelle Pellicori

**Treasurer** Brittany Janco

**Secretary** Gia D'souza

**OAPCE Rep** Cam Hyginus

**Parish Rep** Anastasia Lata

**Community Rep** Jessica Penim

**Parent Members**

Danielle Crnkovic	Tamara Parkes
Vicki Lefkaditis-Said	Shadia Bascom
Stephanie Pinto	Marlene Black
Hasdhy Maciel	Katarzyna Stoklosa

**Teacher Reps** Diana Frigo, Diane Paterson & Amanda Hewitt

**Non-Teacher Rep** Julia Kalynowsky

Our next Catholic School Council Meeting is on **Wednesday November 6th** at 6:30 pm. For those of you who are not able to join us in person, please join using the link below. **Join on your computer or mobile app.**

**Microsoft Teams** [Need help?](#)

[Join the meeting now](#)

Meeting ID: 284 176 082 74

Passcode: oYTL0Z

**WANT TO VOLUNTEER AT SCHOOL OR ON  
A SCHOOL TRIP?**

**GET YOUR**

**CRIMINAL REFERENCE CHECK**

In keeping with the Safe Schools Act, **ALL volunteers including those going on one day school trips MUST have a Criminal Reference Check.** The Criminal Reference Check for volunteers may take a few days to be processed. Please visit:

<https://www.peelpolice.ca/en/services/record-checks-and-suspensions-pardons.aspx>

**If you already have a Criminal Reference Check on file at the school, the office will be sending home the yearly Criminal Offence Declaration form for you to update. Please return upon completion.**





### STOPR Website and Twitter:

Be sure to follow us on twitter @STOPRinfo and check out the website [www.stopr.ca](http://www.stopr.ca) for the most up to date transportation information including:

- Delays and Cancellations
- First Time Rider Program Video and Resources
- School Bus Safety Videos and Resources
- Transportation Procedures and Forms
- Transportation and School Eligibility
- Walk and Roll Guide to School for Parents

If your child was a courtesy seat rider last, you need to re-apply this year. Please pick up a form in the office. Courtesy seats will not be issued until mid-October.

You can also register with STOPR to get up to date information. Those students that have signed up for courtesy seats, we will let you know WHEN they have been approved. If your child is assigned to a bus and is NOT taking the bus, please let us know.

## ST. DOMINICS PARISH



### CHRISTMAS FAIR



SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7TH, 2024

10:00 AM-4:30 PM

SOUP & SANDWICH \$15  
COFFEE OR TEA DESSERT

\$5 KIDS CRAFT CORNER  
DECORATE GINGERBREAD

BAKE SALE & VENDOR MARKET

POINSETTIA FOR SALE,  
PHOTOS WITH SANTA



## ST. PAUL CATHOLIC SECONDARY SCHOOL



### GRADE 7 & 8 OPEN HOUSE & INFORMATION NIGHT



WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 13th, 2024

5:30pm to 6:30pm — Student Showcase

6:30pm to 7:00pm — Information Session

7:00pm to 7:30pm — IB Information Session

### WELCOME TO PARENTS/GUARDIANS & FUTURE WOLVERINES

- ♦ Meet our wonderful St. Paul CSS faculty and staff
- ♦ Learn about transitioning to Grade 9, our programs and course offerings
- ♦ Take a tour of our beautiful school and experience department showcases
- ♦ Learn about Wolverine Athletics and STP School Clubs
- ♦ Connect with STP Student Leadership and Student Voice representatives
- ♦ Hear Testimonials from STP students and alumni
- ♦ Learn about our Regional International Baccalaureate Program and application process
- ♦ Learn about our SHSM Health and Wellness Program
- ♦ Send questions to: [St.PaulInfo@dpedsb.org](mailto:St.PaulInfo@dpedsb.org)

*"Everything With Heart"*



ST. MARTIN CATHOLIC  
SECONDARY SCHOOL



### GRADE 8 OPEN HOUSE & REGIONAL SPORT PROGRAM INFO

Wednesday, November 6, 2024

5:45pm - Meet & Greet and School Tours  
6:30pm - Presentation for all Grade 8 families  
7:30pm - Regional Sport Program Information



Join us to learn more about our programs, meet some of our teachers & coaches, and tour our school building!



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# ST. DOMINIC SCHOOL

## Cookies for Sale

*Terra Cotta*  
**COOKIE CO.**

### Chocolate Chip Delite Ingredients

Enriched wheat flour, sugars (brown sugar, sugar), semi-sweet chocolate chips (sugar, unsweetened chocolate, cocoa butter, dextrose, soy lecithin, vanilla extract), liquid whole egg, soybean and modified palm oil margarine, unsweetened applesauce (apples, ascorbic acid), soluble vegetable fiber (corn), baking soda. All cookies are individually wrapped!



### Funfetti Vanilla Cookie Ingredients

Enriched wheat flour, sugars (brown sugar, sugar), rainbow sprinkles (icing sugar, fractionated palm kernel oil, corn starch, glucose, soy lecithin, artificial colours (allura red, sunset yellow fcf, tartrazine, erythrosine, brilliant blue fcf), gum arabic, carnauba wax), liquid whole egg, soybean and modified palm oil margarine, unsweetened applesauce (apples, ascorbic acid), soluble vegetable fiber (corn), baking soda. All cookies are individually wrapped!



### WE WILL BE SELLING

## VANILLA AND CHOCOLATE CHIP COOKIES FOR \$2.00

October 30<sup>th</sup> / November 6<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup> / December 4<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup>

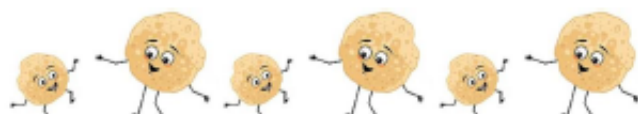
Order your cookies through Cash Online!

<https://dpcdsb.schoolcashonline.com/>

Extra cookies will be sold in the main office for \$2.00.

Cookie sales will support School Initiative Projects

celebrations & retreats / guest speakers & school wide presentations / athletics



# Halloween Fun

Thank you to  
our Catholic  
School Council  
for a fun day!

The students  
had lots of fun  
with our  
pumpkin  
decorating  
contest.

