



NIAGARA CATHOLIC DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD

2026-2027 School Year Calendar & Meeting Dates

SEPTEMBER 2026						
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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DECEMBER 2026						
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MARCH 2027						
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APRIL 2027						
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JULY 2027						
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AUGUST 2027						
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REGULAR SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS

Committee of the Whole Meeting
Supervised Alternative Learning Meeting
Board Meeting
Annual Organizational Meeting of the Board
Special Education Advisory Committee Meeting
Niagara Catholic Parent Involvement Committee Meeting
Audit Committee Meetings

6:30 p.m.
2:00 p.m.
6:30 p.m.
6:00 p.m.
6:30 p.m.
6:30 p.m.
10:00 a.m.

2nd Tuesday of each month or as Noted
3rd Wednesday of each month or as Noted
4th Tuesday of each month or as Noted
4th Tuesday of November
1st Wednesday of each month or as Noted
1st Thursday bi-monthly or as Noted
As Noted

CW
SAL
BD
ORG
SEAC
NCPIC
AC

Elementary P.A. Day
Secondary P.A. Day
Elementary & Secondary P.A. Day

Statutory/Other
School Holidays
Secondary Exams

* Elementary First Day of School September 8, 2026 & Last Day of School June 30, 2027



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SCHOOL	PRINCIPAL	PHONE
Fort Erie		
Our Lady of Victory	Mark Venzon	905.871.3092
St. George	Ken Lococo	905.894.3670
St. Joseph	Susy Walsh	905.382.3822
St. Philomena	Amanda Cybula	905.871.1842
Grimsby		
Our Lady of Fatima	Lisa Incaviglia	905.945.5500
St. Joseph	Brian Palujanskas	905.945.4955
Lincoln & West Lincoln		
St. Edward	Jeff Moccia	905.562.5531
St. John	Rosie Araujo	905.945.5331
St. Mark	Marylee Kelly	905.563.9191
St. Martin	Maria Kish	905.957.3032
Niagara Falls		
Father Hennepin	Yvonne Benyo	905.354.4469
Loretto Catholic	Loredana Spadafora	905.356.4175
Mary Ward	Paolo Sirianni	905.354.9221
Notre Dame	Anthony Cardamone	905.358.3861
Our Lady of Mount Carmel	Jay Lennox	905.354.2523
Sacred Heart	Tim Atkinson	905.295.3732
St. Gabriel Lalemant	Carlo Arghittu	905.354.5422
St. John Henry Newman	Christopher Spagnol	905.354.9033
St. Mary	Maria Solomon	905.354.7744
St. Patrick	Maria Romano	905.354.6631
St. Vincent de Paul	John Romano	905.356.7505
Niagara-on-the-Lake		
St. Michael	Emma Fera-Massi	905.684.1051
Pelham		
St. Alexander	Jennifer DeCoff	905.892.3841
St. Ann	Steve Ward	905.892.3942
Port Colborne		
St. John Bosco	Rosanne Sandel	905.835.1930
St. Patrick	Emmanuel Rouso	905.835.1091
St. Thérèse	Theo Dagenais	905.835.8082
St. Catharines		
Assumption	Diane Pizale	905.935.5281
Canadian Martyrs	Maria Ruggi Dietsch	905.934.9972
Our Lady of Fatima	Melissa Turcotte	905.935.4343
St. Alfred	Rian Bishop	905.934.9922
St. Ann	Chris Zanuttini	905.934.1755
St. Anthony	Anthony Sacco	905.685.8859
St. Christopher	Dwane Smolders	905.684.3963
St. Denis	Victoria Wegelin	905.682.4156
St. James	Joseph Tolomeo	905.934.3112
St. Nicholas	Jacqueline Watson	905.685.7764
St. Peter	Kevin Lamb	905.984.3040
St. Teresa of Calcutta	Greg Morawek	905.682.6862
St. Theresa	Dan Trainor	905.682.0244

WHAT TO DO IF YOU HAVE A CONCERN OR COMPLAINT (Complaint Resolution Policy AOP 800.3 - as may be amended from time to time)

To facilitate the resolution of complaints the following complaint process will be followed to focus on the issues with the individuals most directly involved with the origin of the issue. Every effort will be made to meet with both parties.

COMPLAINANT AND EMPLOYEE CONCERNED

The complainant is to contact the employee involved to discuss the concern and attempt to resolve the matter. If not satisfactorily resolved, then;

COMPLAINANT AND THE EMPLOYEE'S IMMEDIATE SUPERVISOR

The complainant will be referred to the employee's immediate supervisor to discuss the concern and attempt to resolve the matter. If not satisfactorily resolved, then;

COMPLAINANT AND SUPERINTENDENT/CONTROLLER OF FACILITIES SERVICES/EXECUTIVE OFFICER OF HUMAN RESOURCES

The complainant will be referred to the appropriate Superintendent, Controller of Facilities Services, or Executive Officer of Human Resources to discuss the concern and attempt to resolve the matter. If not satisfactorily resolved, then;

COMPLAINANT AND DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION

The complainant will be referred to the Director of Education for consideration of the complaint and the decisions made by supervisory staff of the Board. If not satisfactorily resolved, then;

APPEAL TO THE BOARD

A written complaint may be submitted to the Chair of the Board to delegate to the In-Camera Meeting of the Board by the complainant if not satisfied with the decision of the Director of Education. This request shall be made in writing. The delegation request will follow Board By-Law (100.1) Section 16 subsection B through J. The complainant will be advised in writing, unless otherwise advised by Board legal counsel, of any decisions taken by the In-Camera Meeting of the Board in relation to the complaint.

SCHOOL	PRINCIPAL	PHONE
Thorold		
Our Lady of the Holy Rosary	Gus Marchio	905.227.4910
Wainfleet		
St. Elizabeth	Cindy Pozzobon	905.899.3041
Welland		
Alexander Kuska	Joe Romeo	905.735.4471
Holy Name	Scott Root	905.732.4992
St. Andrew	David Forte	905.732.5663
St. Augustine	Francesca Carrera Wood	905.734.4659
St. Kevin	Joseph Tornabuono	905.734.7709
St. Mary	Chris Boyer	905.734.7326
SECONDARY SCHOOLS		
Grimsby		
Blessed Trinity	Krista Moscato	905.945.6706
Niagara Falls		
Saint Michael	Lou Stranges	905.356.5155
Saint Paul	Kelly Majka	905.356.4313
Port Colborne		
Lakeshore Catholic	Christopher McLean	905.835.2451
Lakeshore Catholic Toll Free		905.382.3846
St. Catharines		
Denis Morris	Kevin Timmins	905.684.8731
Holy Cross	Deanna Williams	905.937.6446
Saint Francis	Fraser Hebert	905.646.2002
Welland		
Notre Dame College	Monique Mastroianni	905.788.3060
CONTINUING EDUCATION LEARNING CENTRES		
Fort Erie		
St. John Centre	Marla Rapattoni	905.991-8951
Niagara Falls		
St. Ann Centre	Marla Rapattoni	905.354.3531
St. Catharines		
St. John Centre	Marla Rapattoni	905.682.3360
Welland		
Father Fogarty Centre	Marla Rapattoni	905.734.4495
ALTERNATIVE PROGRAMS/eLEARNING		
Welland		
Pope Francis Centre	Roxanne Rees	905.735.8668
Thorold		
Saint Kateri Tekakwitha Centre	Roxanne Rees	905.354.3531

TRUSTEES

	Phone
Natalia Benoit	647.768.9653
Joe Bruzzese	905.658.7327
Rhianon Burkholder	905.227.1994
Danny Di Lorenzo	289.241.1746
Larry Huibers	289.969.5797
Doug Joyner	905.327.3004
Jim Marino	905.328.9248
Paul Turner	905.734.8203
Mason Pasma	
Alan Sony	
St. Catharines/Niagara-on-the-Lake	
Niagara Falls	
Thorold/Merriton	
Fort Erie/Port Colborne/Wainfleet	
St. Catharines/Niagara-on-the-Lake	
Grimsby/Lincoln/West Lincoln	
Niagara Falls	
Welland/Pelham	
Student Trustee	
Student Trustee	

SENIOR ADMINISTRATION

	Extension
Giancarlo Vetrone	220
Kimberly Kinney	227
Lee Ann Forsyth Sells	229
Domenic Massi	231
Gino Pizzoferrato	228
Joseph Zaroda	230
Chief Executive Officer	
Chief Education Officer	
Superintendent of Education	
Superintendent of Education	
Superintendent of Education	
Superintendent of Education	