



# OUR LADY OF FATIMA



NIAGARA CATHOLIC  
DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD

February, 2025  
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## PRINCIPALS CORNER

The month of February will be highlighted by a few significant events and activities including the celebration of "Kids Helping Kids" week, the hosting of our annual full day Kindergarten Open House and the promotion of anti-bullying programs by wearing pink coloured clothing to promote awareness. During the middle of the month, First Term Report Cards will be made available through the school portal and you will have an opportunity to converse with your child's teacher to review their progress and share your thoughts. We would like to take this opportunity to wish all of our families that comprise Our Lady of Fatima's learning community a wonderful family day weekend. As always, we encourage you to access our school calendar online at [niagaracatholic.ca](http://niagaracatholic.ca) under the schools tab to keep informed of events/activities that are taking

place during the month of February.



## KIDS HELPING KIDS WEEK

Niagara Catholic's 27th Annual Kids Helping Kids fundraiser will take place from February 10-21, 2025. This year's event will jointly support the Niagara Children's Centre, as well as the Niagara Foundation for Catholic Education. Kids Helping Kids is a fun, informal fundraiser, which supports these causes through paid participation in events such as Jersey Day, Hat Day and Creative Hair Day. Donations to the Kids Helping Kids fundraiser can be made in School Cash Online. For further information about the Niagara Foundation for Catholic Education, please contact Jim Marino, at 905.735.0240 ext. 210 or [jim.marino@nfce.org](mailto:jim.marino@nfce.org). To find more about the Niagara Children's Centre, please visit their website: [niagarachildrenscentre.com](http://niagarachildrenscentre.com)

## FOOD DAYS



Pita day is Thursday  
February 6<sup>th</sup>.



Sub day is Thursday,  
February 13<sup>th</sup>.



Antipasto day is  
Thursday, February 20<sup>th</sup>.



Pizza day will be  
Thursday, February 27<sup>th</sup>.



## CANDYGRAMS

Our Grade 8 classes will be hosting a Valentine's Day fundraiser. Forms will be sent home on Friday, January 31<sup>st</sup> and the option to purchase online



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will be made available on Schoolcash.

If your child would like to participate, they can purchase a candygram (Teddybear ring pop) and it will be delivered to a friend.

Please fill out the form that is being sent home and return to the school no later than Wednesday, February 12<sup>th</sup>.



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## FOLLOW US ON INSTAGRAM

We have recently created an Instagram account to keep you updated on school events.



## SPIRIT WEAR

It's the perfect time of year to order those spirit wear hoodies with the cooler weather coming. All orders can be purchased directly through <https://www.bigbearspiritwear.com/>

At the top of the page click on Schools, Elementary Schools, then select Our Lady of Fatima.

They offer a variety of options to purchase and deliver directly to the school.

## BINGO VOLUNTEERS

Our Bingo volunteers help our school to receive contributions raised from Delta Bingo. The funds received are used for so many things that benefit our students including technology, school trips, Christmas events, treats and special days.

We are looking for more dedicated volunteers who are

able to donate their time for our Bingo program. Please call the school for more information.

## SAFE ARRIVAL

We kindly ask that you continue to report your child's absence through the Safe Arrival program. You can do so by using (1) website

<https://go.schoolmessenger.ca>

(2) using the mobile app SchoolMsg

(3) by calling 1-844-287-6287