



# February, 2025



## St. Edward

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In the month of February, we reflect on how we are called to “do justice”, what it looks like and what it means as a school community. We continue to recognize the kind gestures our students demonstrate each day towards one another and the ways in which they help make our school a better place shows that we are doing the work of Jesus. We are the eyes, hands and feet of Jesus when we join together to support one another and care for our community in all of the good that we see at St. Edward. Our promise is that we will continue to find ways to keep our commitment to “doing justice” and being faithful to our beliefs

### *“Doing Justice & Creating Hope”*

God of hope and justice, We pray today for your loving guidance. Help us to live as the joyful disciples you call us to be. Open our eyes so that we may recognize Christ in every person. Fill our hearts so that we may continue to spread your love in word and action. Sustain us as we work to build your kingdom here on earth. We ask this through Christ our Lord.  
Amen. +

### Fundraiser Updates

Thanks to our amazing St. Edward family for all the support of our Calendar Fundraiser, we raised a remarkable \$4600 which has already been partially utilized to purchase new tech for some of our again Chrome Books. We have also been able to purchase two Robotics Kits as well

Our next major fundraiser is coming up in the month of March with Krispy Kreme doughnuts. We will be releasing this to School Cash Online near the end of February.

Thanks

### Niagara Ice Dogs Hockey Game

Please join our school on Saturday February 16th at 2pm for a Niagara Ice Dogs Hockey Game. At this game our choir may be singing if we sell 75 tickets. In addition, all schools attending this game will have their names announced on the scoreboard throughout the game. Please access tickets on School Cash Online for a great afternoon of hockey



### *~~~~ Mission Statement ~~~~*

*“The Niagara Catholic District School Board, through the charisms of faith, social justice, support and leadership, nurtures an enriching Catholic learning community for all to reach their full potential and become living witnesses of Christ”*

## Term 1 Report Cards and IEP's

Report Cards and the Individual Education Plans for Term 1 will be available online the week of **February 10th**. Accessing the report cards will take place through the portal. Details on how to access the portal will be sent once again through messenger.

**A reminder that Friday February 14th is a PA day. There is no school for students that day.**

## Family Day

Our NCDSB **schools** and the **Catholic Education Centre** will be closed on **Monday, February 17th**, to observe the statutory holiday known as **Family Day**. The purpose of this day is to emphasize and celebrate the importance of families taking time to be together. Please take a mini-vacation, day trip or enjoy a great book together!

The dawn of social media brought with it a whole new way to interact, communicate, and even bully. But in this digital world where filtered photos and crafted messages can be posted in an instant, it often takes more time and effort to say something mean than it does to say something nice. Kindness requires no manipulation, no focusing on the negatives, and no filtering of yourself. It's simply, truly nice. For social media users, we want them to **THINK** before the post. We want them to ask themselves if it is: **True, Helpful, Inspiring, Necessary and KIND.**

St. Edward Catholic elementary continue to demonstrate a commitment to bullying prevention and intervention in our school, our community, and online through our participation in **Pink Shirt Day on Wednesday, February 26th, 2025** focusing on cyberbullying and cyber-safety, sending the message about thinking before posting a negative message on social media, and using social media in a positive way.



## BT Corner

We at Blessed Trinity hope all of our Family of Schools had a very enjoyable and restful Christmas break. At Blessed Trinity, January marks the last 2 weeks of our Semester 1 and final exams for our students. The focus for January will be wrapping up the semester and preparing for those exams.

For the grade 8's at our Family of Schools it will mean getting to actually choose the s they will be taking next year in Grade 9 at Blessed Trinity. The process began back in December and in the first two weeks of January, with an information presentation to all grade 8 students on the compulsory and elective courses they will be choosing from.

On January 16th, that process continued with our Grade 8 Open House at Blessed Trinity. We would like to thank all parents and students who attended. It was a very exciting evening that saw one of our largest turnouts ever. The last step in the process will have a representative from Blessed Trinity visit Grade 8 classrooms to help students actually choose and submit their courses through My BluePrint from January 22nd to February 9th. The deadline for selecting courses, submitting registration form, and payment of Grade 9 Registration Fee of \$55 is **FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 14TH.**

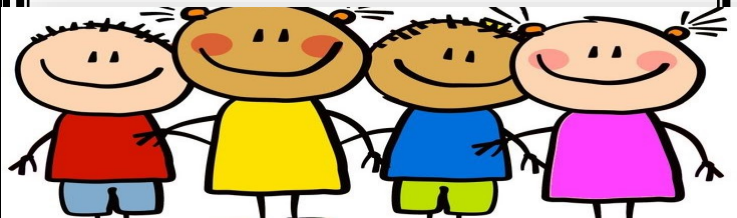


## Kindergarten Open House and Registration.

Please join us on Thursday February 6th from 9am-6pm for our Kindergarten Open House and Registration Day.

**Parent can register at any time online through our website. If you require any assistance or have questions please call us at 905-562-5531**

**We look forward to meeting our future Kings and having them join our amazing school community.**



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