



St. Gregory School

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SCHOOL

INFORMATION

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SCHOOL HOURS

Start: 9:00

Recess: 11:06-11:21

Lunch: 12:01-1:01

Recess: 2:24-2:39

Dismissal: 3:30

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PARISH

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Pastor: Fr. Paul Dobson

UPCOMING DATES

Monday February 24

Tuesday February 25

Virtue Assembly

K- Grade 3 - 1:20pm (Gr. 1 hosting)

Grades 4-8 - 2:40 Gr. 7/8 hosting)

Parents welcome!

**Junior Boys Basketball family
tournament**

Wednesday February 26

Pink Shirt Day

Rosary Apostolate visit

Thursday February 27

Friday February 28

We are excited to announce our Cookie Campaign to raise funds for
St. Gregory Student Experiences!

Cookies will be delivered to students' classrooms on the dates listed
below.

Friday, April 4 - Funfetti Delite

Friday, April 11 - Chocolate Chip Delite

Thursday, April 17 - Vanilla Butterfly

Friday, April 25 - Fudge Chip Delite

COST \$8 - CASH ONLINE ONLY

PLEASE NOTE: The purchase covers all four dates and will be available
on School Cash only from March 7th to 19th.

NO COOKIE ORDERS WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER THIS DATE

WE BELIEVE - The Virtue of the Month is Respect.

As respectful stewards of creation, our Kindergarten class is participating in the Kindergarten Bioblitz initiative. Students will be engaging in a week of initiatives to engage and appreciate our changing seasons.

- Monday: "I predict..."
- Tuesday: "I notice ..."
- Wednesday: "I wonder ..."
- Thursday: "This reminds me of ..."
- Friday: Sharing the Journey

Participate at home with your child each day by getting outside, appreciating God's gift of the seasons with our prompts each day.

WE EXCEL

In Mrs. Hendy's and Mrs. Burke's Grade 8 class, the students are using digital technology to create Instagram pages highlighting remarkable black people. Accompanying their Instagram page is an explanation of why they chose this person and where they researched their information. This assignment falls under the Composition strand of the Language curriculum.

WE RESPECT

National Pink Shirt Day is a day for Canadians to raise awareness about bullying prevention, and to uplift kindness and inclusion. Pink Shirt Day is celebrated on the last Wednesday of February each year. The origin of Pink Shirt Day was established in 2007 to recognize the experience of a student in Nova Scotia who was bullied for wearing a pink shirt. This day commemorates the pursuit to combat bullying and all other forms of oppression. The Catholic Social Teaching of Solidarity, and Dignity of the Human Person requires that we learn from, and about the lived experiences of those within our community. At St. Gregory, students are making announcements to raise awareness around Pink Shirt Day and encouraging students to wear anything pink on February 26, 2025.

WE THRIVE

Our Primary Intramural program is coming to an end this week. Thank you to all of our teachers who provided extra supervision so that these games could take place. Congratulations to our Junior Girls Basketball players who played with heart and represented St. Gregory well at their tournament.

WE TRUST

Although we welcome all seasons as Canadians, the snow does sometimes present challenges we need to overcome. Please be patient with the parking situation as many of our spots are taken up with the excess snow. We acknowledge it can be difficult to maneuver around in our parking lot and on the road.

Also, although we encourage the students to enjoy, build and have fun in the snow, they do have to be dressed appropriately in order to go on the field. Snowpants and a change of shoes is necessary to keep students dry, warm and safe when going in and out for recess throughout the day.

In addition, some snow structures could become unstable as the weather changes so, for the student's safety, we sometimes have to discourage tunnels or deep holes.