



St. Gregory School

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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 17

Family Day
No School



Tuesday February 18

Last day of Book Fair
Valentine's Dance



Wednesday February 19

Jr. Girls Basketball Pod

Thursday February 20

Friday February 21

****Thank you for your flexibility in rescheduling interviews. If you have not had an interview time yet, more information will follow shortly.****

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.

DPCDSB Pilgrims of Hope Bulletin February

WE EXCEL

On Monday, Mrs. Salame's class read the story and introduced new vocabulary through interactive games like word searches and charades, helping students unpack and understand the language. Throughout the week, we reinvested in the book by having students write a procedural paragraph about their own hair care routine, emphasizing the use of new vocabulary, present tense, and transitional words.

To extend their engagement, students created hair zentangle art inspired by Lorna Simpson using the main character as inspiration and played a blocket online game. Finally, they are applying their learning through a paired role-playing activity, taking on the roles of a client and a hairdresser to practice using the vocabulary in conversation.

This week, we will continue to dive into a new book, *Sulwe* by Lupita Nyong and complete micrography portraits to honour and celebrate Black History Month!

WE RESPECT

Each morning on our announcements, students from Grade 5 highlight Black saints and why they were canonized in the Catholic Church. Such saints include St. Martin de Porres (1579-1639) who is perhaps the best-known black Catholic from the Western Hemisphere. His father was a Spanish nobleman, his mother a black former slave. De Porres worked on behalf of the poor throughout his life. He was canonized in 1962 during the height of the Civil Rights Movement. Also, St. Augustine of Hippo (354-430) was a bishop of modern-day Algeria in northern Africa. He was known as a defender of Christianity who worked throughout his life to convert others to his faith. He was also a writer who lived a mostly monastic life.

WE THRIVE

Congratulations to our Dance Team that won the Fun with Feeling award at their Showcase last week!

St. Gregory is excited to offer intramural badminton for students in grade 7 and 8! Students that are interested will be divided into teams and will play several friendly badminton matches at last recess beginning March 17th. A schedule will be posted when teams are set. Students must be dressed in proper gym attire in order to participate. Permission forms will be sent home for students who wish to participate, and more information will follow. Go Grizzlies!

WE TRUST

Daily attendance and punctuality are important. If your child will be absent, please enter their absence through school messenger. For information on how to register or enter the absence, please see the handouts attached to the September 10th email.

Lates will be recorded but parents will no longer be allowed to enter the school to sign in. Your child will need to enter through the front doors if you arrive after 9:00 am. Lates will be recorded by the homeroom teachers.