

# March

Dear Families:

Along with all of the classroom curriculum learning that will be happening in our building this month, we have a number of exciting events to deepen our learning.

Here is a brief overview of this month's upcoming highlights:

## **Back to the Beach Spirit Day**

March 13 will be a spirit day at HT and all students are invited to dress in their beach wear (keeping in mind our dress code and the cold weather).



## **Cans for Clothes -**



From March 24-March 27, staff have initiated a special clothing drive at Holy Trinity. Staff and their extended families and friends have donated/gathered gently used higher end/brand name clothing to be exchanged for a canned good. During this week, all students will be able to peruse the clothing that will be on display and will be able to "purchase" an item in exchange for a can. Bring a can, get an item of clothing!



## **Holy Trinity EDSBY / Facebook Page**



Please join our Facebook page Holy Trinity Catholic School Sarnia. EDSBY has been chosen by St. Clair Catholic District School Board to provide a modern way for parents and guardians to follow their child's progress at school, receive school updates and much more! We will be posting all newsletters and communication to families on these pages.

## **OECTA Labour Relations**

Please continue to visit our Board website at <https://www.st-clair.net/> for up to date information on our labour relations.

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## **Pick Up Information**



The end of the day can be very busy at the school as we prepare to send the students home safely each night. Late in the day, sudden changes to the end of the day routine either by a phone call or a person popping in to pick up can lead to unnecessary disruption. This being the case, we kindly ask that you notify the school well in advance if you plan to change the end of the day routine.



## Inclement Weather Policy

Our school bus zone is ZONE 2.

Inclement weather may occasionally result in a cancellation of transportation services or the early dismissal or closure of schools.

If buses are cancelled due to snow or inclement weather, the buses will be cancelled all day.

If your child is a bus student and is absent we would appreciate if you call the school to report your child's absence. You can leave a voice message. Parents of bus students will not be contacted by the school.

If your child is not a bus student, you still have to contact the school to give a reason as to why he/she is not here. You can leave a voice message. This can be a very lengthy process for our secretary, so please be sure to make this phone call. Thank you!

All students that come to school on inclement weather days need to have arrangements made to be picked up at the school by 3:20pm.

**If they are cancelled due to fog, it will be for the morning run only. The buses will run in the afternoon on fog days.**

## Kindergarten Registration



# Kindergarten Registration for Classes Beginning September 2020

**If you missed our kinderSTART event ... don't worry! You still have plenty of time to register. Parents and guardians can now submit the Kindergarten registration form directly online!**

It's another option for you – choose the option that best suits you!

- Visit the Board website at <https://kreg.sccdsb.net/> to complete then submit the registration form online. You will be contacted by the school to confirm your registration.
- Or, you can download and print the registration form, fill it out and bring it to the school.
- Or, make an appointment or drop by the school and pick up a registration package.

**We look forward to welcoming your child to Kindergarten next September!**

Sincerely,

Daniella Mancusi  
Principal



# When is my child too sick for school?



## Send me to school if...

- I have a runny nose or a mild cough, but no other symptoms and can participate in school activities.
- No fever is present for 24 hours and no medication taken to reduce symptoms during those 24 hours.
- No throwing up or diarrhea for 24 hours and no medication taken to reduce symptoms during those 24 hours.



## Keep me at home if I have...

- A temperature higher than 37.7° C (99.9. ° F)
- Been throwing up or had diarrhea in the last 24 hours.
- Painful red eyes with discharge that keeps coming back during the day.
- Body aches, headaches and feel fatigued.
- A sore throat with a fever.
- A harsh cough and don't feel able to participate in school activities.
- An undiagnosed rash.



## Follow up with my Health-Care Provider if I have...

- A fever for more than 2 days.
- A sore throat and fever for several days.
- Been throwing up or had diarrhea for more than two days.
- A cough for more than a week and it isn't getting better.
- A fever and now have a rash.
- Any urgent medical concerns.

For more information contact our infectious disease prevention and control team at 519-383-8331 or 1-800-667-1839. Resource adapted and revised with permission from Chatham-Kent Public Health.



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