

## **October Newsletter**

### **MONTHLY VIRTUE**



Keep the faith! The most amazing things in life tend to happen right at the moment you are about to give up hope.

#### **INSTRUCTIONAL FOCUS**



In Language Arts, we are focusing on Recount moving into Procedural reading and writing. In Mathematics, we are finishing Number Sense and Numeration starting on Geometry and Spatial Sense. The students are also working very hard on critical thinking and showing what they know.

#### HAPPY THANSGIVING



Monday, October 14 is Thanksgiving Day. Enjoy your long weekend with your families!

### **PICTURE DAY**



Please note that picture day is on **Thursday, October 17.** Just a friendly reminder that
School Uniforms are mandatory. Thank you!

## **PURPLE SHIRT DAY**



On Thursday, October 24 we will be wearing purple shirts to break the silence and show our commitment to children's rights to safety and well-being. On Dress Purple Day, we acknowledge that it takes a village to keep children safe.

#### **HALLOWEEN**



On Halloween Day, we will be dressing in Halloween theme. Students are permitted to wear Halloween t-shirts, dress in black and orange, earrings, necklace, Halloween pajamas, etc. However, costumes, masks, swords, guns etc. are not permitted. We would not want a student to break their costume and/or forget parts of their costume at school before the big night!

### **PA DAY**



Just a friendly reminder that Friday,

November 1 is a PA Day.

### **DOWN DAYS**



Just a friendly reminder that students are expected to wear proper school uniform from Monday through Thursday with every Friday being Dress Down Day. Proper school uniform consists of school uniform top and BLACK bottoms.

#### **CELL PHONES AND ELECTRONICS**



NOT permitted to have cell phones and electronics on them at school. They are welcome to bring them if they need them for after school events. However, they need to be handed into the office in the morning and picked up at the end of the day. We are not responsible for missing items that are not stored safely in the main office. Your support in this regard would be greatly appreciated. If they are not required, then they should be left at home during the school day. Thank you in advance!

#### **FRIENDLY REMINDERS**



- Please check your child's communication folder daily.
- Supervision on the school yard only begins at 8:30 am.
- Proper school uniform is required Monday through Thursday.
- Regular attendance is very important to success in all regards.
- Continue to inform the school if there is a change to your child's regular routine.
- We are a peanut free environment.
   If you send peanut alternatives,
   please ensure that they are labelled as such.
- Just a friendly reminder to return student update forms to the office as soon as possible.

As always, please do not hesitate to contact the school if you have any questions and/or concerns. Your support and understanding is always greatly appreciated.

Yours in Catholic Education,

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Principal

