

San Lorenzo Ruiz Elementary School

FAMILY UPDATE: 2024-2025

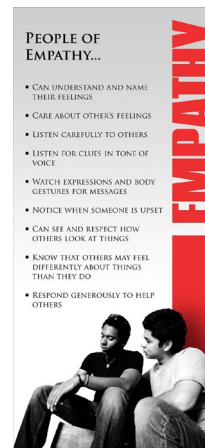


October 21 – 25, 2024

Virtue of the Month: Empathy

In October, we celebrate the virtue of empathy. God wants us to care about everyone's feelings.

Let us pray... for the grace and strength to be people of empathy – people who can really identify with and feel the concerns of those around us. Amen.



THIS WEEK ...		"Community Growing in Faith"
Monday	21	<p>Please continue to screen for illness before coming to school and remain home if unwell.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Please note that students are expected to enter the school directly when they arrive to school in the morning between 8 AM and 8:15 AM – teacher supervision begins INSIDE the school at 8 AM, and this allows students to be prepared for learning when classes begin.
Tuesday St. John Paul II	22	<p>Please continue to screen for illness before coming to school and remain home if unwell.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pizza Fun Lunch Orders – place orders through School Cash Online by Friday
Wednesday St. John of Capistrano	23	<p>Please continue to screen for illness before coming to school and remain home if unwell.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •
Thursday St. Anthony Mary Claret	24	<p>Please continue to screen for illness before coming to school and remain home if unwell.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rosary Apostolate Visit
Friday	25	<p>Please continue to screen for illness before coming to school and remain home if unwell.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DEADLINE FOR PIZZA FUN LUNCH ORDERS ON SCHOOL CASH ONLINE • Spirit Week begins: Comfy Day (wear your favourite comfy clothes or pyjamas) • Virtue Presentation
NEXT WEEK...		"Community Growing in Faith"
Monday St. Simon and St. Jude	28	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Spirit Week: Tacky Day (From bed head to mismatched socks/clothes, etc.) • CCAT Testing (Grade 4) • Grade 7 and 8 Immunization Clinic (9AM to 11AM)
Tuesday	29	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Spirit Week: Orange and Black Day (wear Halloween colours) • CCAT Testing (Grade 4)
Wednesday	30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Spirit Week: Twin Day (twin with a friend) • CCAT Testing (Grade 4)
Thursday	31	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Spirit Week: Halloween Day and Dance • Please see community letter regarding Halloween observances and costumes • Halloween Dance
Friday All Saints	1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All Saints/All Souls Liturgy at 12:30 PM • Halloween Candy Drive for Dr. Simone's charity, Canadian Food for Children: As part of Dr. Simone's charitable work in other countries, candies are provided to people who are suffering from hunger because the candies help to produce saliva which aids in breaking down and swallowing food.

UPCOMING IMPORTANT DATES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • November 6 – St. Francis Xavier Secondary Grade 8 Open House at 5 PM • December 17 – SLR Christmas Concert at 1 PM • February 26 – Grade 8 Graduation Photos • April 17 – Dental Screening Clinic (JK, SK, 2, 4, 7)
CHEERS, CONGRATULATIONS, AND THANKS TO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Congratulations to our Cross Country Team on their performance at the meet • Thank you for your support of our Annual Thanksgiving Food Drive

Health & Safety

Kiss and Ride/Driveway/Parking Lot Safety – For everyone's safety, please drive carefully and always observe the speed limit on school property and please follow the directions of staff on duty.

Please do not leave cars unattended in the Kiss and Ride. Parked vehicles cause lineups of vehicles into the street, blocking school buses and other vehicles from entering and forcing unnecessary lane changes. If you wish to accompany your child at drop-off, please park your vehicle in the parking lot or on the street and walk with them to the doors. Thank you for your cooperation.

Thank you for respecting the rule regarding no private vehicles in the Bus Lane. Please drive ONLY in the Drop-off/Pick-up Lane and the through lane – DO NOT drive in the Bus Lane at any time as this is a safety risk for students exiting/entering vehicles in the Drop-off/Pick-up Lane. Thank you for your cooperation.

Student Supervision - Please be reminded that student supervision begins at 8:00 a.m. on any day including rainy and inclement weather days. For your child's safety, do not drop off students or have them arrive at school before this.

Attachments

1. Reminder: Pizza Fun Lunch Orders – deadline for orders is October 25 (through School Cash Online)
2. Halloween Spirit Week – beginning Friday, October 25
3. Halloween Letter to SLR Community – Costumes and Observances
4. Annual Letter to Community re Occupational Therapy (OT) School Support 2024-2025

Late or Cancelled

Bus Information

Updated and posted on

<http://www.stopr.ca>

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