San Lorenzo Ruiz Elementary School FAMILY UPDATE: 2024-2025



October 7 - 11, 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 Our Lady of the Rosary	7	 Please continue to screen for illness before coming to school and remain home if unwell. School Bus Safety Presentations (JK – Grade 8)
		SLR Annual Thanksgiving Food Drive begins (to Tuesday, October 15)
Tuesday	8	 Please continue to screen for illness before coming to school and remain home if unwell. 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.
Wednesday St. Denis and Companions	9	 Please continue to screen for illness before coming to school and remain home if unwell. Catholic School Council Meeting at 6:30 PM
Thursday	10	Please continue to screen for illness before coming to school and remain home if unwell. •
Friday	11	Please continue to screen for illness before coming to school and remain home if unwell.
PA DAY		 P.A. Day – No school for students – Staff will be engaged in the activities outlined in the attached DPCDSB Community Information Bulletin: PA Day Descriptors
NEXT WEEK		"Community Growing in Faith
Monday St. Callistus Thanksgiving We green been been to be the sense. The sense of the sense	14	Happy Thanksgiving!
Tuesday St. Theresa of Jesus	15	Thanksgiving Food Drive concludes
Wednesday St. Marguerite d'Youville	16	Photo Re-takes
Thursday St. Ignatius of Antioch	17	
Friday St. Luke	18	•

UPCOMING IMPORTANT DATES	 October 28 – Grade 7 and 8 Immunization Clinic February 26 – Grade 8 Graduation Photos April 17 – Dental Screening Clinic (JK, SK, 2)
CHEERS, CONGRATULATIONS, AND THANKS TO	Thank you for supporting our Terry Fox Event with your online donations – we achieved our goal of raising more than \$1000 for the Terry Fox Foundation

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. SLR Annual Thanksgiving Food Drive
- 2. DPCDSB School Year Calendar 2024-2025
- 3. Trustee Thomas October Newsletter
- 4. Community Information Bulletin: Elementary & Secondary PA Day Descriptors for October 11, 2024

Late or Cancelled

Bus Information
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