



St. John XXIII Catholic School

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Friday, May 6, 2022.

Welcome to Kindergarten/First Impressions Parent Communication

Good morning Kindergarten Parents/Guardians,

Welcome to OUR school! I hope this email finds you safe and healthy. Please note that we will be hosting in-person Welcome to Kindergarten and First Impression events here at our school. Please note the following:

Welcome to Kindergarten: Thursday, May 19th, 2022 @ 6:00 p.m.

Please join us in our school gymnasium on Thursday, May 19th as we officially welcome your family into our school community. The evening will include a presentation by the school principal and our wonderful Kindergarten team. Following this introduction children and parents will be invited to rotate through a number of activities in the Library and Kindergarten classroom. Before and After Care services will also have an information display available during the event.

First Impressions Meeting: Friday, May 20th, 2022

This email is to confirm your scheduled First Impressions meeting on **Friday, May 20, 2022**. The meeting will include a Kindergarten Teacher, an Early Childhood Educator (ECE), a Core Resource Teacher and myself. Please note that the Teacher/ECE conducting the information session may not necessarily be your child's teacher come September as we are still in the process of staffing and class placement.

The meeting length will be **approximately 30 minutes** taking place in small groups. During this time parents and children will have another opportunity to interact with the kindergarten team. This will include time for your child to engage in activities alongside some of his or her future classmates while parents meet with a member of the kindergarten team to learn more about the program. There will be an opportunity for questions as well. A parent questionnaire has been included as an attachment in this email for your reference. A hard copy will also be available during our evening event. Please complete this questionnaire and return it during your First Impressions Meeting time. **Please do not send the questionnaire back via email.** You can also find valuable information on our **Welcome to Kindergarten website. Please see below your child's scheduled time.**

For your reference:

1) Meeting Time and Date (please find your child's initials below):

Friday, May 20th at:	Student Initials			
1:00 - 1:30 p.m.	T.A	M.Ca	O.C	M.Ch
1:35 - 2:05 p.m.	J.H-B	O.H	J.P	A.P
2:10 - 2:40 p.m.	C.S	L.S	A.V	
2:45 - 3:15 p.m.	N.C	G.L	S.E	

2) Please visit our school website and go through the Welcome to Kindergarten Virtual Website, which is the first item located on our feed when you scroll down (<https://www.ycdsb.ca/j23/>).

3) First Impressions Parent Questionnaire: Please review and complete the questionnaire before the meeting. A hard copy of the questionnaire will be available during our Welcome to Kindergarten evening event. Your completed questionnaire can be handed in during your **First Impressions Meeting**. Please do not send the questionnaire back via email for confidentiality purposes.

If you have any questions prior to the meeting, please feel free to reach out. We look forward to welcoming your child to St. John XXIII for the upcoming school year!

Yours in Catholic Education,

Mr. C. D'Agostini
Principal

Mrs. L. Christidis
FDK Teacher

Ms. S. Khan-Paulo
ECE

Mr. J. Silveri
Core Resource