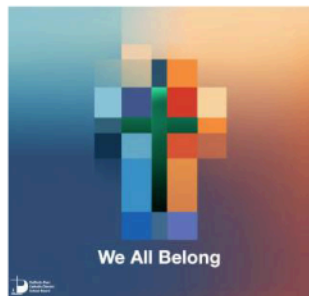


St. TERESA OF CALCUTTA CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Hands to Serve, Hearts to Love, Growing in the Image of Christ

June 2025



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Dates to Remember:

June 9 PA Day – Assessment and
Evaluation of Pupil Progress
June 11 – Closing Mass at St. Patrick's
June 18 – Grade 8 Graduation
June 24 – Report Cards sent home
June 27 – Last Day of School

THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS

**PRAYER BY ST. MARGARET
MARY ALACOQUE**

Lord Jesus, let my heart never
rest until it finds You, who are
its center, its love, and its
happiness. By the wound in
Your heart pardon the sins that
I have committed whether out
of malice or out of evil desires.
Place my weak heart in your
own divine heart, continually
under your protection and
guidance, so that I may
persevere in doing good and in
fleeing evil until my last breath.

Amen.



Principal's Message

Dear STOC Family,

The month of May was a celebration of faith and community as we observed Catholic Education Week. It was heartwarming to welcome so many families to our Family Math Night and Intermediate Science Fair. Students engaged in meaningful activities, including "Our Journey to Learning" for our FDK Year 1 students and a variety of enriching classroom experiences. As we approach the end of the school year, I would like to extend my heartfelt thanks to everyone who has contributed to making this year so special. To our dedicated staff—for your unwavering commitment and care. To our Catholic School Council—for your continued support for our students. A sincere thank you to Fr. Facey and the team at St. Patrick's Parish for guiding us in faith. We are also grateful to Mr. Mario Pascucci, our Catholic School Trustee, for his steadfast support, and to our Superintendent, Dulcie Belchior, for her leadership. Thank you to each and every member of our school community for your partnership & support throughout the year. Wishing you all a safe, restful, and joyful summer.

Mrs. Maddison



On behalf of the entire staff at STOC, we wish you a safe summer of fun and relaxation. We look forward to seeing you back reenergized and ready for some new learning adventures on September 2, 2025. Happy Summer!!



Catholic Graduate Expectations



There is a PA Day for students on **Monday June 9, 2025**. There will be no school for students.

Staff will be engaged in Report Card Writing

VIRTUE OF THE MONTH

Virtue for the month of June — Fairness

Congratulations to the recipients of our May 2025 Virtue of Acceptance certificates:

Ms. Scarpelli and Ms. Karandysovskia

FDK – Hazel D., Gabriel K., Vivia G., Luke T.

Ms. Medeiros and Ms. Pereira FDK

FDK – Bishoy, Ezra

Ms. Iassogna

Gr.1/2- Stefano, Emma

Ms. Casciaro

Gr. 1/2 – Joshua P. Maxi,

Ms. Bailey

Gr. 2/3 – Cameron, Marcus

Ms. Neiva

Gr. 3 – Sofia, Caitlyn, Anastasia D.

Ms. Armstrong

Gr. 3/4 – Mikolaj, Liam, Vanessa, Arthur

Ms. Sebastian

Gr. 4/5 – Isabelle K., Ellaiza I,

Mrs. Midgley

Gr. 5/6 – Christian A., Kristian S., Thomas S., Guiliano G.

Mr. Salinas

Gr.6/ 7 – Matias A., Kristian O.

Mrs. Guzik

Gr. 7/8- Alexis, Henry

Mr. Felice

Gr 8 – Sofia, Renato

Good Luck....

We would like to wish all the best to Ms. Karandysovskia & Ms. Noronha. We thank them for their contributions to St. Teresa of Calcutta. We wish them all the best as they pursue new opportunities in Dufferin Peel.



CATHOLIC SCHOOL COUNCIL

Communication between home and school is greatly enhanced by parental involvement with the **Catholic School Council**. The aim of the **Catholic School Council** is to promote the vision, values, sacramental life and Catholic practices of the Dufferin-Peel Catholic District School Board and the Catholic community it serves and to advise the principal and the Board.

Co- Chairs-

Claudia Filipe and Chris Garofalo

Secretary-

Julia Van de Kraats

Treasurer-

Nelly Xavier Cordner

OAPCE Representative –

Janet Kus

Parish Representative–

Andrea Gavrilovic

Teacher Representative –

S. Iassogna

Thank you to Catholic School Council for all their efforts this year! We are truly blessed to have such a dedicated group of parents!



Thrive in Community

June 2025

Supporting Mental Health and Well-Being



THRIVE in Community Newsletter – June 2025

Math @ Home



Connect learning between school and home with our **Math@Home newsletters**.

[Math At Home Newsletters](#) Each Math@Home newsletter:

- Highlights a mathematical concept/skill.
- Includes related Family Math Activities that can be done at home.
- Spotlights a resource that can be used to further support doing math at home.

June's focus:

[Math@Home Data](#)

Kindergarten Registration for the 2025-2026 school year is now open

Kindergarten registration for the 2025-2026 school year at Dufferin-Peel Catholic District School Board (DPCDSB) schools is now open. DPCDSB offers the Kindergarten program in 125 Catholic elementary schools in Mississauga, Brampton, Caledon, Bolton and Orangeville.

Parents/guardians can register online at dpcdsb.org.

Registration is open to Catholic children and children of Catholic parents. Kindergarten students must be at least four (4) years of age by December 31, 2025.

The following documents are required to complete the registration process:

- Proof of age of the child
 - Original Roman Catholic baptismal certificate (for child and/or parent/guardian) or original baptismal certificate from a church in full communion with the Holy See of Rome or an Eastern Catholic Church.
 - Immunization Reference #'s from the local Public Health Unit
 - Proof of Canadian citizenship or permanent resident status
 - Proof of home address
 - Proof of English Separate School Support
- Please refer to the [Register for School webpage](#) for accepted forms of documentation.

St. Teresa of Calcutta Hot Weather Plan 2024-2025

St. Teresa of Calcutta will follow the Dufferin-Peel Catholic District School Board and Peel Health guidelines during the hot weather.

Our school has air conditioning. As part of our ongoing commitment to student and staff wellbeing, we will also:

- Monitor heat advisories and adjust activities as required
- Remind everyone to wear light clothing, a broad brimmed hat, sunglasses, and sunscreen via classroom signage, announcements, and letters to our community
- Remind everyone to drink plenty of water and allow frequent water breaks during recess and/or class time as necessary
- Keep physical activity down during the hot periods of the day and ensure staff are monitoring students for signs of heat stress
- Encourage students to seek shade during recess periods
- When possible, ensure indoor temperatures are comfortable by keeping blinds/curtains drawn

St. Teresa of Calcutta school staff have been made aware of the signs and symptoms of heat stroke, heat exhaustion and heat cramps and directed to follow first aid procedures promptly.

Families can help us by having your child wear a hat, loose fitting clothing, sunglasses, and by putting sunscreen on them in the morning.

Dufferin-Peel Catholic District School Board MULTI-YEAR STRATEGIC PLAN 2023-2027

BELIEVE

Cultivating Faith and Devotion
The DPCDSB looks first to scripture, sacrament, and Catholic social teachings for inspiration. Faith formation and its integration into curriculum and climate provide the foundation of our school district.

"Teach me good judgment and knowledge, for I believe in your commandments." - Psalm 119:66

EXCEL

Cultivating Knowledge and Brilliance
Supporting student achievement through the foundational skills of reading, writing, math and STREAM, as well as additional competencies that help develop well rounded citizens, is integral to the DPCDSB's mission and vision.

"STREAM: Science, Technology, Religion, Engineering, Art, and Math
"Now as you excel in everything - in faith, in speech, in knowledge, in utmost eagerness, and in our love for you - so we want you to excel also in this genuine undertaking." - 2 Corinthians 8:7

RESPECT

Cultivating Human Dignity and Social Justice
Recognition of the human dignity of each person, created in the image of God through addressing the impacts of colonialism and oppression on identities, knowledge systems, and languages of communities that have been historically excluded.

"So always treat others as you would like them to treat you." - Matthew 7:12

Extraordinary lives start with a great Catholic education.

DPCDSB has released its DPCDSB released its revised [MYSP for 2023-2027](#).

The MYSP informs the direction of system operations and is fundamental to developing educational programs for students.

We would love to include your voice in our goals, action steps, and strategies associated with each of the MYSP values of Believe, Excel, Respect, Thrive, and Trust.

The survey will close on Wednesday, June 11, 2025.

[TAKE THE SURVEY](#)

Grade 6, 7 and 8 Elementary Literacy Numeracy Camp still has spots available.

Self-Identification

Opportunities for Indigenous Students and Families

If you are First Nation (Status Indian or Non-Status Indian), Métis and/or Inuit you can self-identify as Indigenous. You do not need to produce any documentation or proof of ancestry. Self-identification is voluntary and confidential.

"This has been really important for us because of the sense of community and the connection to other Indigenous families." ~ Melanie Cormier, parent

Self-identification will provide access to culture and language programs and monthly programming for students and families. Relevant information will be sent directly to you about upcoming cultural events and opportunities which help to build community and a sense of Indigenous pride in Dufferin-Peel.

To learn more about opportunities for Indigenous students and families please visit:

<https://www3.dpcdsb.org/students/indigenous-self-identification>

For the safety of all individuals

Pets are not allowed on school property.



PLASP Child Care Services

PLASP Childcare Services is now accepting registrations for the 2025-2026 school year.

Please visit www.plasp.com for registration information.



Be sure to follow us:

@stocmississauga

GET READY! FOR SECONDARY SCHOOL

WELCOME TO OUR GRADE 9 STUDENTS

Dear Parent or Guardian,
We are very excited to once again offer the "Get Ready! for Secondary School Summer Program 2025" transition program this August. This program is offered at all our Secondary Schools.

Get Ready! is designed to welcome our grade 9 students before beginning classes in September 2025.

The Get Ready! Program will offer students:

- a fun and interactive orientation to the explore their school layout, schedules, and routines
- a review of key concepts in literacy, numeracy and learning strategies
- a chance to meet qualified future teachers a chance to make connections with peers in the incoming class

Date: Vary by Secondary School

Time: Vary by Secondary School

Location: DPCDSB Secondary Schools

To ensure your child's participation in the "Get Ready! For Secondary School" program, click this link <https://forms.office.com/r/0sAHPIQkxf> or scan the QR code



Dates and times vary by school.

[Click here to view Get Ready! Summer 2025 dates and locations.](#)

Registration

To ensure your child's participation in the Get Ready! For Secondary School Program, [complete our registration form.](#)

Questions? Contact us by email registeradced@dpcdsb.org or phone 905-366-5703 Ext. 48600.

SPORTS & CLUBS

Softball

Our intermediate team showed great sportsmanship and represented STOC very well. Your championship Intermediate 2025 team: Gabby, Alina, Marharyta, Mya N., Sofia, Landon, Kristian S., Emmett, Raf, Christian L, Milosh, Charlie. Team Manager Nic C. and co-captains and MVPs Cesare and Constantine.

Soccer

The co-ed soccer team will be participated in a tournament on June 5, 2025. Our Co-ed soccer team is as follows: Antonio, Sienna, Krystian O. Ben, Sofia, Raf, Nic C. Mya N. Milosh, Milena, Landon, Kristian S., Cesare, Adriana, Gabby, Charlie. Thank you, Mr. Pyczek, Mrs. Beach and Mr. Felice for coaching!

Track and Field

Good luck to our Track and Field Junior Intermediate Team at the Mississauga East Meet on June 10. Thank you to coaches, Mme Galle, Mrs. Midgley, Mr. Salinas, Mrs. Guzik and Mrs. Beach

Beach Volleyball

Good luck to our Beach Volleyball Team at the tournament on June 24.

STOC ECO TEAM

Our Eco Team led the Bike to School Week June 2-6, 2025



Everyone who uses active transport to get to school (bikes, walks, scooters, rollerblades or skateboards) or takes the bus was given a raffle ticket to put into our draw that will take place on June 6. Students from K-8 had a chance to win a prize donated by the Region of Peel. Thank you for our Eco Team led by Mrs. Casciaro and Mrs. Corapi for planting the Eco Garden and preparing bird feeders in front of our school!



What to do if someone
is **BOTHERING** you?

Walk away
Ignore
Talk it out
SeeK help

Use Your WITS!

www.witsprogram.ca

UVIC

WITS

**STOC Student Behaviour
Expectations** – a Reminder for
June 2025 Please Review

-3 R's @ STOC - Respect
yourself/Respect others and take
Responsibility for your actions

-No Rough Play (No tackling, pushing,
or shoving allowed - hands off &
personal space at all times!) **& Dare not
to swear**

-When the bell rings at recess - game
over. Stop the game and line up.

-At Lunchtime - r-e-s-p-e-c-t our
Student Supervisors

-Snack Program – snacks are provided
by a YMCA grant as needed through the
office

-Phones/Devices - may be used in class
with teacher permission/outside the
classroom turned OFF and OUT OF
SIGHT. If communication with home is
necessary, the office phone must be
used

**-Please review Ethical and Responsible
Use of Technology (from Agenda)**

-Harmful Language will not be
tolerated

Before you speak:

THINK

T = Is it True?

H = Is it Helpful?

I = Is it Inspiring?

N = Is it Necessary?

K = Is it Kind?

**St. Teresa of Calcutta
2024-2025 Staff Members**

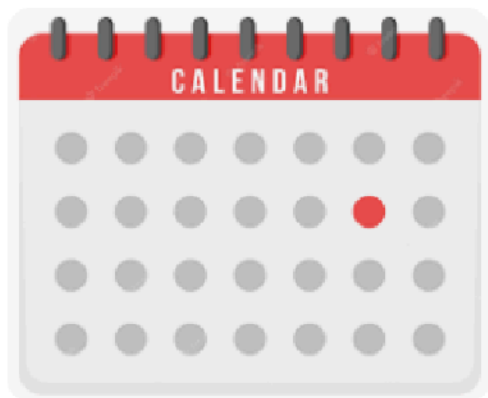
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M. Neiva Grade 3
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C. Pereira
(L. Gerger LTO) Grade 4/5
D. Salinas Grade 6/7
A. Guzik Grade 7/8
M. Felice Grade 8

A. Galle French
V. Corapi Library/Planning Time
Y. Chan SERC/SERT
P. Noronha Planning Time

M. Tully SERT/ ESL
L. Mykhalyuk ESL
Z. Pyczek Planning Time

M. Knibbe ERW
A. Passarelli Child and Youth Worker
A. Estabrooks Speech and Language
Pathologist
R. Jardin Psychologist
D. Kostyshyn Social Worker
L. Gordon Head Secretary
J. Xamin Head Custodian
E. Garcia Night Custodian
A. D'Ettore Night Custodian



Dates to Remember.....

[Click Here for 2024_2025 School Year Calendar](#)

June 2-6	EQAO Grade 3 students/Bike to School Week
June 5	YFA Trip to Dr. Simone's Warehouse/Intermediate Soccer Tournament
June 9	PA Day – Assessment and Evaluation of Pupil Progress
June 10	Mississauga East Family Track and Field Meet
June 10	Grade 3s at Swim to Survive
June 11	Closing Mass at St. Patrick's Church 10:00 a.m.
June 12	Final Catholic School Council Meeting 7:00 p.m.
June 13	Play Day
June 16	Communion Celebration
June 17	Grade 3s at Swim to Survive
June 18	Grade 8 Graduation 7:00 p.m.
June 19	Kindergarten Family Fun Day
June 20	Volunteer Breakfast/STOC Stock
June 23	ESL Trip to Bata Shoe Museum
June 24	Grade 3s at Swim to Survive/ Report Cards Sent Home
June 25	Graduation Video Showcase
June 26	Grade 8 Graduation Luncheon
June 27	End of Year Video Showcase and Last Day of School!