



# St. Gabriel Newsletter



May 2, 2022

## **Masks**

Effective March 7, 2022, the wearing of a procedural mask will be mandatory for grades 1 to 6 students in common areas and on school transportation.

Students can take off masks in class when seated.

Masks must still be worn when circulating in the school, in the bus, during physical education and daycare.

Preschoolers do not have to wear masks in class or in school common areas, but those that take the bus must have a mask on in the bus.

Students do not have to wear masks in the lunchroom but as soon as they get up and start circulating masks must be worn.

Therefore, we will continue to issue two masks per student daily (one to come into the school and one to change after lunch).

## **SCHOOL HOURS**

Call in	<b>7:45 a.m. Pre-Kindergarten Kindergarten</b>
	<b>7:50 a.m. Grades 1-3</b>
	<b>7:55 a.m. Grades 4-6</b>
Dismissal	<b>2:25 p.m. Pre-Kindergarten Kindergarten</b>
	<b>2:30 p.m. Grades 1-3</b>
	<b>2:35 p.m. Grades 4-5</b>
	<b>2:40 p.m. Grade 6 + TRANSITIONS</b>
Buses leave	<b>2:50 p.m.</b>

## **SCHOOL CONTACT**

Please direct all your school inquiries to Rabia Afzal, [rafzal@emsb.qc.ca](mailto:rafzal@emsb.qc.ca) our interim secretary.

## **HONOR ROLL**

The students on our Honor Roll are students with an overall First Term Average of **85%**.

### **Cycle I**

Jingi Hu, Nolan Purdon, Imogen Myles, Zachary Hébert-Poulin, Yuna Kim, Derek Sibley, Anabel Burridge, Jamie DeYoung, Walden Cole, James Beaver, James Bailey.

### **Cycle II**

Henry Burridge, Campbell Bailey, Elise Crandall, Amelia Radford, Carver Maloney, Skyla Brooks, Maryam Elena Ghassemi, David Patriquin, Shea Martin-Shirreff, Elisa Harrietha-Evans, Henry Hunter, Tucker Sullivan, Minh-Han Ho, Tommy O'Carroll, Oliver Heathcote, Leyla Saab.

### **Cycle III**

Issac Desrochers, Zayn Watt, Kaleeah Villavera.

### **Pre-Kindergarten** – Greatest Effort

Victoria Olewinsky-Manelli, Lou Verdu

### **Kindergarten**- Greatest Helper

Elyza Chaimeres-Champagne, Juliette Sullivan

### **Transitions and SEEDS**- Greatest Effort/Co-operation

Dillion Tarte, Isabella Chicoine, Gabriella Villeneuve, Nayshaun Haque-Rivet

## **SUPERVISION AND SCHOOL FEES**

School Fees (includes agenda, worksheets and all workbooks) for the 2022-2023 school year for Grades 1 – 6 remain the same at 60.00\$.

Fees for Preschoolers remain the same at 25.00\$.

Lunch Supervision Fees have been increased to \$275.00 for the year.

All prices for our school uniforms remain the same.

## **EASTER CHOCOLATE RAFFLE**

Thank you to everyone who participated.

We would like to congratulate our Winners:

1<sup>ST</sup> PRIZE: Lucas McKenzie who graciously donated the chocolate back and a new winner was chosen. The new winner was Caitlin Cook.

2<sup>ND</sup> Prize; Jeyati Babbar

3<sup>RD</sup> Prize: Wyatt Preston

Money collected will go towards Grade 6 Graduation.

## **NEW VIDEO FROM THE MUSIC DEPARTMENT**

Please use this link

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Q2yzi5G1rAQ>

## **UKRAINE INITIATIVE**

St. Gabriel School along with its Home and School Association is asking for donations to try and help the Ukrainian families immigrating to Canada. Donations such as non-perishable foods, first aid supplies, toiletries, baby essentials, toys and baby equipment are greatly accepted. Donations will be sent to Saint Michaels Ukrainian Church. We will be accepting donations until May 12, 2022. Thank you for your support and generosity. Grade 4 students will also be making cards to send with our donations.

## **RE-REGISTRATION FOR DAYCARE**

The deadline for registering on Mosaik has passed. Please direct all registration old and new to Nadine Thomas, [nthomas@emsb.qc.ca](mailto:nthomas@emsb.qc.ca) or call daycare at 514 762 3507.

## **LOST AND FOUND**

There are several items in the lost and found which have not been claimed by students and have no names. If you notice that your child is missing clothing items, please make arrangement for them to look at our lost and found table.

## **ASSESS YOUR CHILD(REN)'S HEALTH.**

In accordance with Public Health guidelines, individuals exhibiting COVID-19 symptoms must stay home and contact the COVID-19 info-line at 1-877-644-4545 and follow instructions. If symptoms develop do a Rapid Test and follow isolation procedure outlined by Santé Publique. Please also contact the school immediately to inform them.

That is, if your child has fever/chills, new or worsening cough, difficulty breathing, a sudden loss of sense of smell or taste without nasal congestion, new onset headache, new onset pain (muscular, chest, abdomen, joints), new intense fatigue, new severe loss of appetite, sore throat, vomiting or diarrhea, your child must stay home.

## **REPORTING ABSENCE DUE TO COVID**

Parents can record any absence on the Mosaik App and can see daily, the reasons for absenteeism due to COVID related issues. This procedure allows parents to monitor any COVID related situations in their child's class. It began as of January 31, 2022. Parents must be registered with the Mosaik App.

## **ELEMENTARY END OF CYCLE 3 (Grade 6) COMPULSARY EXAMS 2022**

Please make sure students are present on the dates listed below. Student punctuality is also very important during this time.

### **English Language Arts (514-600) (MÉES Compulsory Examination)**

May 24 to June 2 (8 days)

### **Mathematics (522-610) (MÉES Compulsory Examination)**

June 7 to June 9 (3days)

## **ST. COLUMBA HOUSE SUMMER CAMP**

Saint Columba House offers a day camp program from June 27 to August 11 (7 weeks). Drop off is between 8:30 and 9:00 and pick up from 3:00 to 3:30. They offer post camp care until 4:30 for parents who are unable to come for 3:30. Camp is 200\$ per child for the 7 weeks. It is an extra fee of 70\$ for 7 weeks if you need post camp care.

Contact Emilie for information (514) 932-6202 ext. 233 or [family@saintcolumbahouse.org](mailto:family@saintcolumbahouse.org)

They also have a teen camp for 5 weeks for 12- to 14-year-olds. Contact Shannon for information (514) 932-6202 ext. 230 or [youth@saintcolumbahouse.org](mailto:youth@saintcolumbahouse.org)

## **CALENDAR**

May 2	PED DAY
May 4	Grade 3 at MSO
May 23	Victoria Day
May 27	Pre-School at Cosmodome
May 30	6:30 Governing Board Meeting
May 31	First Planned Outing to Monte St. Bruno, Pre-school to Grade 2
June 6	PED DAY

Jim Daskalakis  
Principal