



# Resurrection Catholic Elementary School



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Catholic District School Board

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## JANUARY 2023

### Happy New Year!

Welcome back to everyone! We hope you had a chance to rest and visit with family and friends over the holidays. We are looking forward to a fantastic 2023 school year! December was a whirlwind of activity at Resurrection. A big thank you goes out to our wonderful Resurrection School Council for a great Turkey lunch. In addition to our daily theme days (i.e., spirit wear day, Favourite Holiday Hat Day, Holiday Sweater Day, Christmas sock day and PJ Day), we also had our first Christmas concert in 2 years. Thank you to everyone who made this evening event a success. Thank you to our Resurrection Community for your generous donations of self-care items for Saint Vincent DePaul.



Looking ahead, staff will be focusing on assessment and evaluation in the coming weeks and preparing Term 1 report cards. With the end of the term approaching quickly, it is time to pull up our socks and give our best in the final assessments. Report cards give us the opportunity to develop as an individual, reflect on our strengths and set goals for Term 2.

Continue to check your child's bright space regularly for reminders, assessment feedback and homework.

May God bless you all during the coming year with health, love and happiness. As the new calendar year begins, I welcome back staff and students and pray for the welfare of our Resurrection School Community. I look forward to January being a productive and busy month, as well as, a wonderful beginning to a New Year!

### Kindergarten Registration Happening Now!

Starting January 9th through February 24, 2023, we will be accepting Kindergarten Registrations online through our Board's website. The online tool will make the process more convenient for parents. Parents will simply:

1. Create an account
2. Provide Registration Details
3. Upload a few documents



You will need:

- Canadian birth certificate (or proof of Canadian citizenship, proof of permanent residence, record of landing, or other Immigration and Citizenship documentation).
- Roman Catholic Baptismal Certificate or, if your child is not baptized, the Roman Catholic Baptismal Certificate of the parent or guardian.
- Proof of home address (a rental/lease agreement, utility bill, proof of purchase). A Driver's License is NOT accepted.
- Education records (if your child previously attended another school).

#### Tips:

- You will need to use the same email address when entering your parent/guardian information that you used when you created your account. That email address is important because it is part of the attendance and information sharing processes during the school year. Other parent/guardian email addresses can be added during the registration process.
- You can upload the required documents as an 'image' or as a '.pdf' file. A quick 'smart phone' picture or 'scan' will do the trick! If you are not able to upload the required documents, complete the online registration process and provide the original paper versions to the school as soon as possible. Your child's registration is not complete until all documents are received at the school.



### Parish Information



St. Pius X Parish Community  
9 Waverly Street, Brantford  
Pastor: Fr. Stephen Morrin  
Youth Minister: Andrew Beach  
519.753.8439  
[www.stpius.ca](http://www.stpius.ca)



### School Bell Times

First Bell .....	8:45 am
First Break.....	10:25 am to 10:45 am
Lunch Break.....	12:45 pm to 1:05 pm
Dismissal Bell.....	3:05 pm

### Absent/Late Students

If your child will be absent or late for school please call the office at **519.752.5900**  
(24 hour voicemail)



### Resurrection Website

[www.resurrectionbrantford.ca](http://www.resurrectionbrantford.ca)

There are many items you can find on the Resurrection website including:  
**School Newsletters & Calendars**  
**Information on Events**  
**School Bell Times**  
**Staff email addresses**

### Board Website

[www.bhncdsb.ca](http://www.bhncdsb.ca)

Please view the Board's website for important information. The website includes calendars, Board policies and much other useful information.

### Join Us on Twitter

See what is happening at Resurrection School!  
Follow us on twitter at  
[@rescatholic](https://twitter.com/rescatholic)



## P. A. Day—January 16, 2023

The board has scheduled a P.A. Day for Monday, January 16th. There will be no school for students on that day.



## Attention Parents of Grade 8 Students



Please mark January 18th down on your calendar for the high school open house. Take a tour, meet teachers and explore courses, athletics and more.

## Dental Screenings— January 24



The Brant County Health Unit will be here on Tuesday, January 24th for dental screenings. Students in SK and grade 2 will participate.

## Basketball Tournament—January 26

On January 26th, the senior girls and boys will participate in the board's basketball tournament at Assumption College High School. Thank you to Miss Citino, Miss Jagus, and Mrs. Zombeck for coaching our teams this year. Good luck!



## A Prayer for the New Year

Holy Father,  
God of our yesterdays, our today, and our tomorrows.  
We praise You for Your unequalled greatness.  
Thank You for the year behind us and for the year ahead.  
Help us in Your new year, Father, to fret less and laugh more.  
To teach our children to laugh by laughing with them.  
To teach others to love by loving them.  
Knowing, when Love came to the stable in Bethlehem, He came for us.  
So that Love could be with us, and we could know You.  
That we could share Love with others.  
Help us, Father, to hear Your love song in every sunrise,  
in the chirping of sparrows in our backyards,  
in the stories of our elders, and the fantasies of our children.  
Help us to stop and listen to Your love songs,  
so that we may know You better and better.  
We rejoice in the world You loved into being.  
Thank You for another new year and for new chances every day.  
We pray for peace, for light, and for hope, that we might spread them to others.  
We accept Your gift of a new year and we rejoice in what's ahead, depending on You to help us do exactly what You want.  
I say it again, we rejoice!  
In Jesus' name,  
Amen.





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# January 2023


Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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8	9 <b>Day 2</b> Welcome Back! 	10 <b>Day 3</b> No hot lunch 	11 <b>Day 4</b>	12 <b>Day 5</b> No hot lunch 	13 <b>Day 1</b>	14
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15	16 <b>P. A. Day</b>	17 <b>Day 2</b> Pizza lunch 	18 <b>Day 3</b> Grade 8 Student & Parent Info Night (SJC/ACS) 	19 <b>Day 4</b> La Bottega lunch 	20 <b>Day 5</b>	21
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22	23 <b>Day 1</b>	24 <b>Day 2</b> Dental Screenings SK and Grade 2 Pizza lunch 	25 <b>Day 3</b>	26 <b>Day 4</b> Basketball Tournament at ACS Subway 	27 <b>Day 5</b>	28
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29	30 <b>Day 1</b>	31 <b>Day 2</b> Month end Assembly Pizza Lunch 				
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REGISTRATION  
JAN 9 - FEB 24  
catholiceducation.ca

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