



# Archbishop O'Sullivan Catholic School

## Newsletter - October 2020

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### We Give Thanks

For food in a world  
 where many walk in hunger,  
 For faith in a world where many walk in fear,  
 For friends in a world where many walk alone,  
 We give You thanks, Oh, Lord.



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Archbishop O'Sullivan's school web page is a great way of keeping current and up-to-date with what is going on at our school.

School email: [flhpabos@alcdsb.on.ca](mailto:flhpabos@alcdsb.on.ca)

Web site: [www.alcdsb.on.ca/school/abos](http://www.alcdsb.on.ca/school/abos)

### 2020-2021 School Schedule

Period	Time	
1	9:10-9:50	Instructional Time
2	9:50-10:30	
3	10:30-11:10	
Recess 1	10:50-11:05	Kindergarten (Millan/Morgan), Rodrigues (Yard A), McLaughlin (Yard B), Pacheco (Yard C), Mignault (Yard D)
Recess 2	11:10-11:25	Kindergarten (Vaudry), Watts (Yard E)
4	11:25-12:05	Instructional Time
Lunch A	12:05-12:25	Inside: Kindergarten (Millan/Morgan), Rodrigues, Machado, Oriecuia Outside: Kindergarten (Vaudry), McLaughlin, Gaudet, Pacheco
	12:25-12:45	Inside: Kindergarten (Vaudry), McLaughlin, Gaudet, Pacheco Outside: Kindergarten (Millan/Morgan), Rodrigues (Primary), Machado (Yard A/B), Oriecuia (Yard C)
Lunch B	12:25-12:45	Inside: Kindergarten (Vaudry), Watts, McLaughlin, Gaudet, Pacheco, Mignault, Hulton
	12:45-1:05	Outside: Watts (Primary), Mignault (Yard C), Hulton (Yard A/B)
5	1:05-1:45	Instructional Time
6	1:45-2:25	Instructional Time
Recess 1	2:25-2:40	Rodrigues (Kindergarten Yard), McLaughlin (Yard A), Machado (Yard B), Oriecuia (Yard C), Gaudet (Yard A), Pacheco (Yard B)
Recess 2	3:05-3:20	Kindergarten-M (Yard B), Kindergarten-V (Yard A), Watts (Primary), Hulton (Yard A/B), Mignault (Yard C)
7	2:40-3:20	Instructional Time

### 2020-2021 Student Information Forms

There are still some outstanding Student Information Forms to come in. It is imperative that we have up-to-date contact information and are able to reach parents at all times in the event of a medical or other emergency. Please contact the office if you require a new form, and please keep us notified of changes in your family information throughout the year.



### SCHOOL COUNCIL

There is a School Council virtual Microsoft Teams Meeting scheduled for **Wednesday, October 21st at 6:30 pm**. All are welcome. ☺ If you are not currently on the Catholic School Council contact list and would like to attend, please email the school and we will send you the link.

### Working Together for School Safety

Yard Supervision: Please be aware that students may not be on the school yard before 8:55 a.m. as it is unsupervised until this time. Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated. Buses are not unloaded until 8:55 and students walking or being dropped off should plan to arrive between 8:55 and 9:10. Please ensure that you do not enter our bus loading zone prior to or at the end of day. I recognize during inclement weather it may save a few steps, however we need to prioritize the safety of all our students and bus drivers.



**YMCA of Kingston Before/After School Care**  
 We offer both an Extended Day (Kindergarten) and a School-Aged program. The hours are: 7:30 - 9:00 a.m. and 3:20 - 5:30 p.m. The contact is April Kilpatrick, Supervisor 613-546-2647 x 237

Spring and Fall are the seasons when **HEAD LICE** commonly infest school children. Please check your child's head weekly. If you find evidence of head lice or nits, information about how to remove is available from your family doctor, school, health unit and most pharmacies. Information pamphlets are also available at the school.

**~Safe Arrival Program~  
 Every School Day Counts**

Parents/guardians are asked to call the school at **613-389-1891** whenever your child will be late or absent. A message may be left at any time on the answering machine. Please indicate your child's name, grade and teacher. If no call is received, office staff will use the contact information provided to locate the child or the parent regarding the absence. If you know in advance that your child will be absent from school for an extended period of time (example: family trip), please submit a letter to the school.



The Algonquin and Lakeshore Catholic Education Foundation (ALCEF) is a registered charity that raises funds and provides financial support to assist families within our schools during times of crisis or poverty.

This assistance may include the provision of eye glasses, medical supplies, accommodations, food, clothing, or transportation.

For more information, please visit:

<http://www.alcgsb.on.ca/Board/Pages/Foundation.aspx>



AOS has been a proud partner of the Play! Gaming & Entertainment organization for many years, and we continue to be grateful for the financial support this fundraising opportunity provides to support all of our students. If interested in volunteering, please contact the school.

Flat Stanley is off to great Adventures!! 😊 Gr. 3 students created Flat Stanley's in response to reading and listening to Flat Stanley novels. They share their Flat Stanley adventures through our class D2L. Great start to our year!! 🍷 @alcgsb\_abos @alcgsb



It may have been raining but this picture brings the sunshine ☀️

