

Dear St. Dominic Families,

Welcome new and existing families to the St. Dominic Catholic School 2020/2021 school year! We hope you have had a great start to the school year.

St. Dominic is a wonderful place to learn and grow. Parents, staff and administration work together to ensure the needs of each child are being met, with the goal of each one meeting their God-given potential. To aid in fulfilling this goal, we rely on **our major fundraiser**, where **100% of your donation goes directly to programs and tools for your children**. Continuing to make St. Dominic a tremendous place to thrive in each day is a priority for us! Our typical fundraiser would have started a couple weeks ago and would be directly tied to our Halloween Dance-a-thon/celebrations. We will continue with safe activities for our students, including dressing up in costumes! In lieu of our typical gift baskets and draws for students, we will do random draws each week for all students/families who have participated. The winners will receive a gift card that can be used by the family (i.e. Indigo). If you have donated, you have a chance to win!

Our goal is to have 100% of our families participate in our fundraiser! Any donation amount is welcome! Even the smallest donation makes a difference and **all** donation amounts are confidential.

As the focus of St. Dominic Catholic School is on developing the whole child, your participation enables us to focus on two main objectives:

- 1) Support initiatives that enhance our children's Catholic education and increase school pride
- 2) Teach our children the value of investing in their school community and in their future

In the past years, your generous donations have allowed St. Dominic Catholic School to fund many school initiatives across all grade levels. Your support has enabled our school to become a leader in educational technology with the purchase of new devices and resources in support of 21st Century teaching and learning. This year's fundraiser will continue to focus on: **building our technology supply and supporting STEM initiatives, arts, recess equipment, safe/appropriate school clubs and other school resources.**

Donating is easy! Simply login to your School Cash Online Account:

1. <https://hcdsb.schoolcashionline.com/>

2. At the top right-hand corner, click on "Make a Donation"

3. Under "Fund Destination" please ensure you select **St. Dominic**

**If extended family members would like to donate directly, they can by visiting the "Make a Donation" link on our website homepage. Destination "St. Dominic" would need to be selected. Messages can be included that donations are being sent in support of particular students.*

4. A tax receipt will be emailed directly to you.



The deadline for donations is November 6th, 2020. Please donate today!

We thank you in advance for your contribution!

St. Dominic Catholic School Council Events and Fundraising Committee