

*“Teaching is a beautiful job; as it allows you to see the growth day by day of people entrusted to your care. It is a little like being parents, at least spiritually. It is a great responsibility.” – Pope Francis*

May 22, 2021

Dear St. Elizabeth Seton Families,

After 32 years in Catholic education, I have decided to retire from the Halton Catholic District School Board at the end of this school year, on June 30, 2021.

This is an open letter of gratitude to all of you to thank students, school staff, parents, parish staff, our Catholic School Council and many contributing community members. We have been through a lot together in the 3 years that I have had the pleasure of working with you. I have appreciated your support and collaboration.

I cherished every day in-person and remotely with the opportunity to serve alongside the amazing and dedicated staff at St. Elizabeth Seton CES. Along with your children, I have learned so much from this special school community. Together, we persevered and relied on our faith and gospel values to stay united.

Every day, I witnessed God’s presence in your beautiful children and watched as our community worked to Follow the Golden Rule. I am proud to say a caring, collaborative, and inclusive school spirit is alive and well at St. Elizabeth Seton Catholic Elementary School!

“Teaching is a beautiful job.” It has been a special gift to be a Catholic educator. Serving the St. Elizabeth Seton Catholic elementary school and community in the role of Principal has been privilege for me.

I am grateful for this next phase in my life to have more time with my family and to engage in some new challenges. I am blessed to bring many cherished memories with me from my time with your children and the community members at St. Elizabeth Seton Catholic elementary school.

I wish you all many blessings, health, and happiness as you continue to grow in faith and love together.

With sincere gratitude,

Mrs. Kelly Williams