



St. Augustine School

330-3rd Street, Brandon, MB R7A 3C3

Phone: (204) 729-3285

"Learning in His Spirit"

Mission Statement

St. Augustine School seeks to provide a safe educational environment for all students which will allow growth academically, physically, socially, emotionally and spiritually. A school environment is created in which a belief in God's teachings are integrated into the school program and stressed as a way of life.

September 2022

Important dates:

September

- Sept 7 First day of school
- Sept 20 Picture Day
- Sept 21 Welcome Back BBQ, Open House and Book Fair
Milk Program orders due
- Sept 23 Professional Development - NO SCHOOL
- Sept 26 Last day to order Peak of the Market vegetables
- Sept 29 Orange Shirt Day
- Sept 30 Truth and Reconciliation Day - NO SCHOOL



October

- Oct 5 Peak of the Market vegetable delivery - PM
- Oct 10 Thanksgiving Day - NO SCHOOL
- Oct 21 Professional Development Day - NO SCHOOL
- Oct 28 Picture Retake Day

Update

If over the summer any of your contact information has changed, address, phone numbers, email, etc. please contact the school office at 204-729-3285 or email the school at stugustine@bsd.ca.

WELCOME BACK



Welcome back to St. Augustine School! Home of the Sabres!

As Brandon's Catholic School, the staff will continue to maintain our school's core elements: our faith in God, building our home school community, encouraging students to reach their academic potential and showing respect for God, for others and for themselves. God bless our school!

- Mr. C. Czarnecki - Principal

Reminders

- No microwaves available at lunch time.
- No Canteen available.
- Parents are asked to send forks or spoons if needed for lunch.
- Reminder to parents that we have students/staff with **Nut, Fish, Egg, and strong scents allergies**. Please be mindful of this when you are packing lunches or sending snacks to school.

School Agenda

The School Agendas will be sent home on the 1st day. Please take time to read the school handbook section as it contains important information.

If your child does not receive an agenda please contact Mrs. Langlois in the school office at 204-729-3285.

Orange Shirt Day

On Thursday, Sept 29th we ask that all students come to school in an orange shirt in recognition of Truth and Reconciliation day on Sept 30th.

Bell Times

8:45 am	Bell for students to come into classrooms
8:55	Start of class
10:30-10:45	Morning recess
11:45-12:45 pm	Lunch Hour
12:50	Start of class
2:20-2:35	Afternoon recess
3:30	End of Classes



Reminder to parents that students are to be dropped off and picked up as close to bell times as possible. If you need to drop them off sooner/later please see the office for the before and after school program.

Staff 2022-2023

Our staff for the year is as follows:

* - new to St. Augustine School for 2022-23

Principal - Mr. Czarnecki

Kindergarten - Mrs. Araujo/ Mrs. Boiko*

Gr. 1 - Mrs. Affleck

Gr. 2 - Mrs. Irwin

Gr. 3 - Mrs. Rowan */ Mrs. Woloshyn

Gr. 4 - Ms. Romanow

Gr. 5 - Mr. Affleck

Gr. 6 - Mrs. Easton

Gr. 7 - Mr. Kanski

Gr. 8 - Ms. Bajus

Phys. Ed - Mr. DeRoo

Music - Mrs. Wilts

Librarian and Continuous Improvement

Coach - Mrs. Hayter

Resource and Gr. 7 & 8 French -

Ms. Swaenepoel

Guidance Counsellor - Mrs. DeRoo

School Social Worker- Mrs. Collister

Reading Recovery - Ms. Kindrat

Academic Support – Mrs. Woloshyn

School Admin Assistant - Mrs. Langlois

Home School Liaison & EA - Mrs. Sangster

Educational Assistant - Ms. Loewen

Educational Assistant - Mr. Sylvestre*

Educational Assistant - Mrs. Sirett

Lunch hour Supervisors - Mr. Czarnecki, Mrs. Sangster, Mrs. Sirett, Ms. Loewen, Mr.

Sylvestre and Mrs. Langlois

Custodian - Mrs. Moffitt

Custodial Assistant - Mrs. Mendez

Before & After School: Mrs. Chorro, Mrs. Aquino, Miss Black, Miss McCaskill, Miss Baker, Mr. Hart, & Mr. Gibbs



Attendance/Call Back

If your child is going to be absent/late for school for any reason, we ask that you call our school at 204-729-3285. If you do not contact the school, our school automated call back will initiate to call your contact numbers in our Student Information System. Your child will have an unexcused absence until you call and excuse your child's absence.

Bylaw Enforcement -Traffic Safety Issues

Please find an appropriate parking space when letting your child out, do not stop in the street as other cars may not see them as they cross the street.

Please observe traffic laws for the safety of all of the children. Traffic bylaw enforcement will be monitoring, so be aware that tickets will be issued if you are not following the traffic laws. In a school zone you must reduce your speed to **30 Km/h**, between 8 AM. and 5 PM. Monday – Friday, from September to June.

Parents are not to park in the parking lot between the school and church, as we have instructed students not to go in and out of this parking lot as staff and Church members are backing out, and it is a safety hazard.

Welcome Back

Barbeque ,Open House and Book Fair

Date: Wednesday, Sept. 21, 2022



We would like to invite everyone to participate in this school opening community event. The barbeque will be followed by an opportunity to tour your children's classrooms and meet the teacher.

Book Fair (Gym) - 4:30 - 6:30pm

Barbeque - 4:30pm - 5:30pm

Open House - 5:30 - 6:30pm



Cost: Hot Dog, Chips and Drink - \$3.00 (can purchase individual item for \$1.00)
Books at Book Fair

St. Augustine School Student Prayer

Blessed St. Augustine, I place my studies under your powerful protection. Your intercession has often helped me to make progress in learning and devotion. I choose you as the protector and patron of my studies. Through your intercession, may the Holy Spirit fill me with light and strength, intelligence and humility. I implore the Creator of all things to grant me the ability to grasp things correctly, and the talent of being exact in my explanations.



Amen.

September



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
4	5 Labour Day	6 Administration Day (K-12)	7 First Day Of Classes Day 1	8 Day 2	9 Day 3	10
11	12 Day 4	13 Day 5	14 Day 6	15 Day 1	16 Day 2	17
18	19 Day 3	20 Day 4	21 Day 5	22 Day 6	23 P.D. Day NO SCHOOL	24
25	26 Day 1	27 Day 2	28 Day 3	29 Day 4	30 National Day for Truth & Reconciliation NO SCHOOL	



October

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2	3 Day 5	4 Day 6	5 Day 1	6 Day 2	7 Day 3	8
9	10 Thanksgiving Day NO SCHOOL	11 Day 4	12 Day 5	13 Day 6	14 Day 1	15
16	17 Day 2	18 Day 3	19 Day 4	20 Day 5	21 P.D. Day NO SCHOOL	22
23	24 Day 6	25	26	27	28	29
30	31 Day 5	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	