

From Mrs. Tilleman's Desk

Dear SPT Families,

As we come to the close of another wonderful school year, I would like to extend my heartfelt gratitude to our entire St. Patrick School community for your support, encouragement, and partnership throughout the year.

A special thank you goes to our incredible Parent Council and to all of the parents, grandparents, family members, and community volunteers who generously gave their time and talents to support our school. Whether you volunteered at events, helped with fundraising initiatives, attended meetings, or supported activities from behind the scenes, your contributions made a tremendous difference in the lives of our students. Because of your support, we were able to provide so many meaningful opportunities and experiences for our students this year. From field trips and our Colour Run to One Book, One Community and countless other activities, projects, and celebrations, our students benefited from experiences that enriched their learning and strengthened our school community. We are truly blessed to be part of such a caring and supportive community. If you are interested in becoming involved with Parent Council next year, we would love to welcome you. Information regarding our first Parent Council meeting of the school year will be shared when we return to school in September.

As a reminder, students will receive a digital copy sent through email and a hard copy of their year-end report card in their agenda on the last day of school. Included with the report card will be a Meet the Teacher letter for next year (for students returning to St. Patrick School) as well as a school supply list for the upcoming school year. For families with a child registered for Kindergarten in the fall, information regarding Kindergarten Orientation has been emailed out. If you register your child in Kindergarten over the summer you will receive orientation information at the end of August.

As summer begins, I hope each of you has the opportunity to slow down, spend time with loved ones, make lasting memories, and enjoy a well-deserved break. Summer is a wonderful time to rest, recharge, and reflect on all that has been accomplished throughout the year.

On behalf of the staff of St. Patrick School, I wish all of our students, families, and staff a safe, joyful, and restful summer. Thank you for a wonderful year. We look forward to welcoming everyone back in September for another year of learning, growth, and faith-filled community!

Warm regards,

Mrs. Mary Tilleman

Principal, St. Patrick Elementary School

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Important Dates 2026-2027

- ***First Day of School (Grade 1-5): Tuesday, September 1, 2026***
- ***First Day for Kindergarten and Pre-K: Tuesday, September 8, 2026 and Wednesday, September 9, 2026***
- ***Last Day of classes before Christmas Break - Friday, December 18, 2026***
- ***First Day back from Christmas Break - Monday, January 4, 2027***
- ***Last Day before Easter Break - Wednesday, March 24, 2027***
- ***First Day back from Easter Break - Monday, April 5, 2027***
- ***Last Day of School (Grade 1- 5): Thursday, June 24, 2027***

2026-2027 School Year Information

As you begin planning for the upcoming school year, please note that the following resources are now available on our website:

- **2026-2027 School Supply Lists**
- **2026-2027 Holy Spirit School Division Calendar**

We encourage all families to visit the school website and review these resources to help prepare for a successful start to the new school year.

Report Cards:

Any report cards that were not picked up on the last day of school may be picked up from the school office until **July 1st** during office hours.



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Bell Times 2026-2027

Monday - Thursday

Outdoor Supervision 8:20 AM
Entrance Bell 8:28 AM
Class Begins 8:28 AM

1st Nutrition Break 10:30-10:45 AM
Morning Recess 10:45 -11:00 AM

2nd Nutrition Break 1:00 -1:15 PM
Afternoon Recess 1:15-1:30 PM

Students Dismissed 3:15 PM

Friday

Outdoor Supervision 8:20 AM
Entrance Bell 8:28 AM
Class Begins 8:28 AM

1st Nutrition Break 10:02-10:15 AM
Morning Recess 10:15 -10:25 AM

Students Dismissed 12:02 PM

Reminder to Register

If you have not yet completed your registration update, or if you know someone who may be interested in attending SPT, please use the link below to complete the registration:

<https://www.holyspirit.ab.ca/registration>