Catholic Central High School

NEWS LETTER







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Principal's Message

October in Southern Alberta is a beautiful transition into fall, marked by stunning autumn colors and crisp, cooler temperatures. The foliage around us play vibrant hues of orange, yellow, and red, creating picturesque landscapes. It's a time when we start pulling out our cozy sweaters and enjoy pumpkin-spice-flavored everything! In addition to the natural beauty, October at CCH is synonymous with



Friday Night Lights, midterm of quarter 1, and Santa's Anonymous fundraising endeavors. Moreover, with Thanksgiving right in the middle of the month, it is a time to be thankful for all of God's beautiful gifts.

As mentioned, we have reached the midterm of quarter 1 (October 2)! This means that we have had 20 days to settle into school routines and we have 20 more days to work toward completing quarter 1 classes. As such, it is important for students and parents/ guardians to be on top of attendance and progress in classes. Days on the quarter system move quickly so please, reach out to your child's teachers should there be any concern. Better yet, why not come and meet with your child's teachers on **October 2 from 6:00-8:00 pm for**

Parent-Teacher-Student Conferences? This gives you the opportunity to not only meet your child's teacher(s) but also provides you with a chance to speak about your child's progress thus far. We believe that communication is key in supporting the success of your child! You should have received an invitation via email to create an account through <u>School Conference Manager</u> to book a conference time with your child's quarter 1 teacher(s).



We are also grateful for so many good and important events on the go and are extremely proud of the contributions our students are already making to what is shaping up to be a wonderful school year!

- ❖ Congratulations to Mr. Mulder, Mr. New, and the Girls Golf Team (Alexis, Sydney, Cait, and Lola) for a second place finish! And a special shout out to Tristan for his performance at ASAA Provincials.
- Students' Council rocked the house with an awesome welcome-back theme week!
- ❖ Our Cougar Football Team is well on its way to achieving the goals they have established to come back stronger and 1% better every day.

- All four of our volleyball teams are looking strong on the court and continue to bring home some hardware. For up-to-date schedules and results, please go to Prairie Sky Conference https://psc.schoolsites.ca/ or find us on Instagram
- The Cross-Country team is up and running (pun intended).
- The Athletic Leadership Team has already accumulated many hours hosting gates and keeping score for both football and volleyball games.
- The Junior Prospects Hockey League hosted its first Lethbridge Showcase where many of the student body came out to cheer them on!
- Our Yearbook Team celebrated the distribution of last year's yearbook entitled: "Stellar Horizons."
- ❖ The Concert Choir and Band provided us with the gift of music at our Opening Mass.
- Other clubs are seeing excellent numbers and student engagement.
- Our staff and students are busy exploring our call to action for the second year of our faith plan -"Proclaim!" - and what this looks like at CCH.

Oh, and did I mention that Robotics Club (with Mr. Rosen and Ms. Vuong) is already in its planning stages for world-domination... while Mrs.

Christensen, Mr. Spiess, and Mr. New will be calling for those interested in sharing their time to the annual "Santa's Anonymous Project."

As you can see, there are so many opportunities for students to become part of the school community! I highly encourage all students to get involved in some way as it enhances their high-school experience AND is a great way to create memories.

So, although this message might seem early, I sincerely hope that you take a moment this month and/or during Thanksgiving to reflect upon what you are grateful for. God has certainly blessed us with so many gifts here at CCH! - Mrs. Polec



IMPORTANT DATES - October and November

October 2 - Midterm for Quarter 1

October 2 - Parent-Teacher-Student Conferences

October 3 - Parent Evening (Grad Coach Program on CEast) at 6:00 pm

October 11 - Pumpkin Sale at First Choice for Santa's Anonymous 2-6 pm

October 14 - Thanksgiving - No School

October 17 - School Council at 6:00 p.m. in the library on Campus East

October 18-19 - Super-South Volleyball

Tournament (hosted by CCH and Chinook)

October 20 - Catholic Education Sunday

October 20-25 - Catholic Education Week

October 24 - Picture Retakes on both campuses

October 25 - Honor Roll Celebration for Honor Roll recipients (Awards 2023-2024) at flex on both campuses

October 28 - English Part A diploma

October 30 - Social Part A diploma and last day of Q1 classes

October 31 - Math diploma and Halloween!

November 1 - CCH PD Day - no classes

November 2 - CCH 60th Anniversary Gala

November 4 - English Part B diploma

November 5 - Social Part B diploma

November 6 - Physics & Biology diplomas

November 7 - Chemistry & Science diploma

November 7 - Awards Night for the 2023-2024 academic year at 7:00 p.m. on Campus East in the Gym

November 8 - No School/ School Closed CCH Wellness Day

November 11 - Remembrance Day

November 12 - Division Collaborative/ No School

November 13 - First Day of Quarter 2 classes

November 14 - School Council at 6:00 p.m. in

the library on Campus East



ANNUAL AWARDS NIGHT November 7 at 7:00 p.m. CCH East Gymnasium

Congratulations to all students being recognized at our Annual Awards Night for the 2023-2024 school year! We are extremely proud of your academic success. Also, thank you to all of our donors. Without your support, we would not be able to host such an amazing evening!

Students, be reminded that if you receive a letter for an award, please do your best to be in attendance. Should you be unavailable that night, please have someone accept the award on your behalf. Also, as it is a formal event, please dress appropriately (semi-formal, which basically means no workout gear or jeans).



SANTA'S ANONYMOUS

It's almost that time of year again! Santa's Anonymous Project has a long and significant history of service and student involvement here at Catholic Central High School. Santa's Anonymous continues to strive to serve

families in need across the Holy Spirit School Division. If you would like to get involved, please contact Mr. Spiess, Mrs. Christensen or Mr. New!

Santa's Pumpkin Sale

Friday, October 11th from 2:00 - 6:00 p.m. at First Choice Savings Parking Lot (1320 3rd Avenue South)





SCHOOL DEMOGRAPHIC and CONTACT INFORMATION

If you or your student's address or phone numbers have changed from what was entered on the student's registration form, please contact the office

to have the information updated. Please also check the information of any contacts that are listed to make sure it is current. If we have to contact a parent or a listed contact for sickness or emergency purposes, it is very helpful to have up-to-date information.



The 2023-24 yearbooks are in! If a yearbook was purchased for your 2024 Grad, you can pick it up at either office. Yearbooks for current students have been delivered via their morning class. If you are unsure whether a yearbook was purchased, please email Mrs. Yearous at yearousk@holyspirit.ab.ca Thank you!



INTRODUCING THE 2024-2025 SCHOOL COUNCIL EXECUTIVE

Co-Chairs - Angela Talbot and Christa Sawatzky
Vice-Chair - Heather Spiess
Secretary - Amber Baines
Treasurer - Kayla Knowles

Our next meeting is on October 17 at 6:00 p.m. in the library on Campus East. All parents and guardians are welcome to attend!

POLICY FOR BORROWING LIBRARY MATERIALS



Catholic Central High School has a policy to assist us in the return of materials borrowed during the school year. This system will benefit the students as the library has suffered real loss in the past with library books and textbooks not being returned or being returned damaged, which means they have to be replaced.

A Caution Fee of between \$80 and \$140 has been added to your school fees. Should a book not be returned, or returned damaged, the cost will be deducted from this fee. If the caution fee is insufficient, the student will be billed for the balance. All materials will have to be returned in good condition or the fee will be implemented. If all materials are returned, the caution fee will be refunded at the end of the school year. Materials returned after September 15, 2025 will not be refunded as the book will be determined to have been lost and a new book will have been purchased.

Please return all textbooks promptly at the end of each quarter. They are needed for other classes.

Note: We take every measure to ensure that the item signed out to you was indeed signed out to you. Please take care of these materials so that we can pass them on to other students in good condition.

If you have questions about what books you have signed out, contact Ms. Lavkulich at lavkulichj@holyspirit.ab.ca

If you have questions about the caution fee and how it is implemented, contact Mrs. Wilson at wilsont@holyspirit.ab.ca

School Fees are now due.

The Holy Spirit School Division uses School Cash Online which provides you with the convenience of paying online for school items such as school fees, trips, co-curricular fees, etc. Go to



https://holyspirit.schoolcashonline.com/ to register online. Once you have registered your child, you will be able to see all fees owing for your student. If you have any questions during the registration process or while shopping online, please call Mrs. Tamara Wilson at our Campus East office and she can assist you. If you prefer not to pay online, our EAST office accepts cash, cheque or debit/credit card. The WEST office can only accept cash or cheque. All fees are posted on the CCH website, under the "School" tab on our main page.







Oohkaanaayiikaakii'moap

"We are all striving together."

Niitsitapi. Métis & Inuit Parent **Information Gathering - Post Secondary**

October 3, 2024 6:00pm Campus East (Cafeteria)



We would like to invite you and your child to the Niitsitapi, Métis & Inuit Parent Information Gathering; an evening for our grades 10-12 First Nations. Métis and Inuit students and the parents within our Holy Spirit community. Our goal is to provide information for transitioning into the post-secondary stream; including scholarships, funding and programming for Indigenous students.

Contributing Post-Secondary Institutions:



Lethbridge College

A leading Alberta College offering more than 60 Lethbridge career-training certificate and diploma programs, applied degrees and apprenticeships, many of which are nationally recognized and nationally accredited.



Red Crow Community College

Red Crow College offers a unique form of both academic and Indigenous knowledge systems, all courses in the programs have been integrated with Niisitapisskska'takssin, the Blackfoot Knowledge Paradigm.



University of Lethbridge

With seven faculties and schools, the Lethbridge Campus offers a range of undergraduate and graduate programs for all types of students.

For more information, please contact Andrew Gilbert, Graduation Coach or Emily Fox Miisaminskiaki, First Nations (Niitsitapi), Métis and Inuit Facilitator at 403-327-4596.











Catholic Central High School Gala

Celebrating 60 Years Strong:

Building Tomorrow, Honoring Yesterday

Hosted by the Friends of CCH





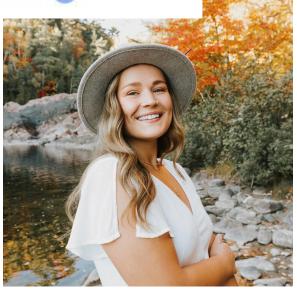
5:30pm Cocktails 6:30pm Program, Dinner, Auction and <u>Dance</u>

Sandman Signature Lethbridge Lodge 302 Scenic Drive South

Tickets available on the CCH Website



Greetings CCH, my name is Ms. Monika Glassford and I'm very excited to be a part of your CCH school community. I am a new resident of Lethbridge and have spent the first few weeks of September settling in. I was born and raised in Northern Ontario but have spent many of my adult years exploring Alberta and British Columbia. In spring of



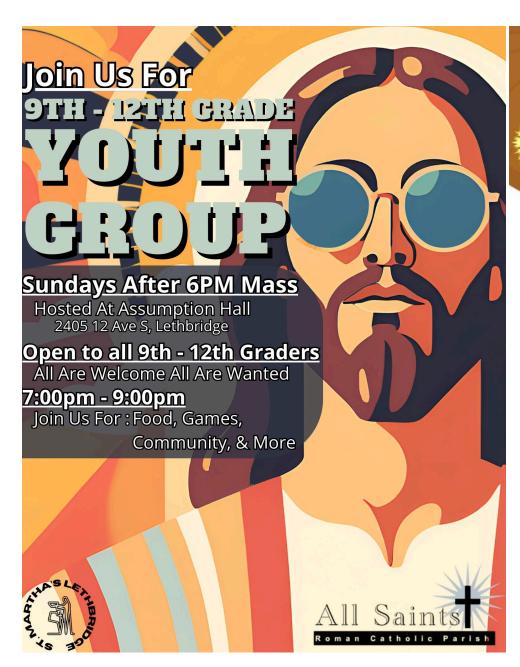
2023, I officially made the cross-country move to Alberta to join Jasper National Park's Initial Attack wildfire crew after 5 years of fighting wildfires in Ontario. Since, I have hung up my wildfire boots and decided to stay in Alberta to be with my partner and continue my teaching career. My Bachelor of Physical and Health Education and Bachelor of Education support me in my new role as a temporary Physical Education and Sports Medicine teacher here at CCH. I'm passionate about all things outdoors, yoga, photography and fitness. Looking forward to seeing you around!



Come and Bring the Whole Family to an amazing Chili Dinner!
Hosted at Assumption Hall
2405 12 Ave S, Lethbridge

EVERYONE
WELCOME





"In all created things discern the providence and wisdom of God, and in all things give Him thanks."

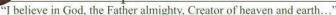
- St. Teresa of Avila

St. Teresa of Avila 1515-1582 (Feast Day: October 15)

St. Teresa of Avila, also known as as St. Teresa of Jesus, is a saint and Doctor of the Church well known for her mysticism and writings on prayer. Born in the 1500s, her family was quite wealthy and religious; her and her younger brother even ran away in their youth seeking to be martyrs. Her medieval world was filled with tales of knights and religious education in her youth. At the age of 20, she entered a Carmelite convent and began reading more deeply about prayer, including reading from St. Augustine's Confessions. She began to have visions, to levitate, and to seek solitude, contemplation, and a more austere lifestyle. This led her to establish a new convent which followed more strict rules to encourage deeper piety. Aside from her time in prayer and writing, she spent much of her later life traveling to establish these reformed convents. She died in October 1582. As of August 2024, researchers and scientists have found that her body remains incorrupt.

St. Teresa is famous for her writings on prayer. Two of her well-known texts are *The Way of Perfection* and *The Interior Castle*. In The Way of Perfection, St. Teresa outlines four essential stages to prayer - devotion of the heart, peace, union, and ecstasy - using the analogy of a garden. *The Interior Castle* describes seven mansions (rooms or steps) which draw us closer to God. The rooms lead from active prayer to contemplation to mystical union with God. These works have heavily influenced many other Catholic saints and theologians, which led to her being named a Doctor of the Church in 1970. She is often depicted with a quill, representing her writing, and the dove, representing the influence of the Holy Spirit.

The Apostles' Creed



The structure of the Apostles' Creed is itself a reflection of our belief in the Holy Trinity. The first section expresses our belief in God, followed by the second section which outlines our belief in Christ, and is concluded by the third section, which confirms our belief in the Holy Spirit. In the first section, we say "I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth...."

What do we profess about God when we proclaim the Apostles' Creed?

- We proclaim our belief in one God in contrast to a belief in no God or many Gods - as a matter of faith.
- We speak of our relationship with God using the analogy of Father, using the same language that Jesus did in speaking with God and in teaching us the 'Our Father.' Jesus called God 'Abba' - a loving parental term to convey the intimacy of God with humanity. Our God is not an impersonal force or distant being.

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- We profess our God as Almighty this word appears 56 times in scripture; it is used only for God with the literal meaning as 'the One who has his hand on everything.' All power and authority on earth derives from God, and God remains unchanging, eternal, and reliable. All things are possible with God.
- We understand that God is the creator of both our physical world and the spiritual realm. While we live in a created world that God constantly tends, in order to reach our full potential we seek relationship with the God who loves us. We are surrounded by the presence of God, who wants us to be here.

As we seek to become Pilgrims of Hope this year, let us contemplate the Creed, and how our proclamation of the Creed unites us to one another and to all Christians through time and space.

"Proclaiming" In Our Schools

For the first time, this year Catholic Education Week will be combined into one celebration with Catholic Education Sunday. From October 19-25, we will join with the rest of our provincial counterparts under the theme *Testifyl Share the Reason for Your Hope*. This theme connects well to our own Faith Plan call to *Proclaim*! Each day, look for liturgies and videos that will be shared that explore aspects of the theme, and join in praying the Angelus at noon. The Angelus is an ancient prayer recalling the events of the Annunciation, when the angel Gabriel announced to Mary that she would conceive by the Holy Spirit and become the mother of God. The prayer honours Mary's great 'yes' to God; offered humbly, faithfully and obediently. Through this prayer we reflect upon and celebrate the great mystery of God sharing in our humanity, becoming one of us in the person of Jesus. This is a great opportunity to echo Mary's 'yes', and to proclaim our faith together!



Pope's Prayer Intentions - For A Shared Mission
For a shared mission - We pray that the Church continue to sustain in all ways a Synodal lifestyle, as a sign of co-responsibility, promoting the participation, the communion and the mission shared among priests, religious and lay people.

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October 6, 2024 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Gospel Reading: Mark 10:2-16

"Let the children come to me: do not prevent them, for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these. Amen, I say to you, whoever does not accept the kingdom of God like a child will not enter it." — Mark 10:14-15

Jesus loved spending time with children, even though in his time and culture most people didn't think children were very important or special. He knew that adults have a lot to learn from children, like their playfulness, trust, and ability to love others, and he doesn't want children to ever stop being like that. Jesus challenged the adults to always approach him with the joy and excitement of children because living in God's way should be joyful and freeing, not always so serious and boring. God wants everyone to come to him eagerly, not because it's something we "should" do.

What do you think Jesus loves about you as a child?

For adults: How do you think you could become more childlike again?



Prayer

Dear Lord, we want to come to you to love and be loved, without any reservations.

Help us to surrender our hearts to you in a simple way.

October 13, 2024

8th Sunday in Ordinary Tin

Gospel Reading: Mark 10:17-30

"Jesus looked around and said to his disciples, "How hard it is for those who have wealth to enter the kingdom of God!" - Mark 10:23

We may not consider ourselves wealthy people. But to most of the world, we are extremely wealthy. Once, a very poor man in Haiti said "If you eat everyday, you are rich." We put a lot of value on our "stuff," so much so that we begin putting our possessions before our desire to love and serve the Lord and one another. Jesus told the rich young man to sell what he owned and give to the poor. Practically speaking, Jesus probably isn't asking all of us to sell everything we have. However, we could start by looking at what our needs are and what our wants are. This can help us detach ourselves from our "stuff" and free us to attach ourselves to God and others.

As a family, what are our needs versus our wants? What can we do as a family to "let go" of the things we don't need?



Prayer:

Dear Lord, sometimes we get caught up in what we want to buy, where we want to eat dinner, where we should go on vacation, and more. Please help me to be more concerned with sharing what we have with others who don't have as much.

Download this month's Saint Prayer Card - St. Teresa of Avila Saint Prayer Card (black and white version for colouring)



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Gospel Readings

October 20, 2024 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Gospel Reading: Mark 10:35-45

"Whoever wishes to great among you will be your servant; whoever wishes to be first among you will be slave of all." -- Mark 10:43-44

In our world today, we often want to get good grades, be great at sports, be known as a good artist or musician, etc. In contrast, Jesus wasn't considered successful or accomplished. He grew up in a very small town as the son of a simple carpenter - which wasn't a very respected job. Jesus was looked down upon because of where he was from, he wasn't always admired, and he was constantly questioned. Yet he taught that it is better to be last than to be first, and to be a servant than to be the one who is served. It may not be easy to follow that example, but our faith calls us to live our lives for others as Jesus did.

There are a lot of people in our lives who "serve" us, even if they aren't our slaves: waiters, cashiers, garbage truck drivers, gardeners, babysitters, janitors, etc. How can we treat them with respect rather than treating them like servants? What can we do to be a servant to someone else this week?





...and whoever gives even a cup of cold water to one of these little ones in the name of a disciple—truly I tell you, none of these will lose their reward.

Prayer:

Dear Lord, we are sorry for the times when we try to be better than those around us. Please help us to be less concerned with ourselves, and learn to put others' needs before our own.

October 27, 2024 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Gospel Reading: Mark 10:46-52

"Jesus told him, "Go on your way; your faith has saved you." - Mark 10:52

In the Gospel story today we learn it is okay to ask Jesus for what we want. After all, Jesus asked the blind man "What do you want me to do for you?" The blind man got exactly what he asked for, he got his sight. Sometimes we don't get exactly what we ask for and it may be awhile before we understand why God didn't seem to answer our prayer. Other times, we may get what we asked for, but it comes in a different way than we imagined it would. God cares about us and wants what is best for us and sometimes that means not giving us what we think we want. It's like a parent who won't feed their child donuts every day for breakfast even if that's what the child asks for because the parent knows it's not good for the child. Keep asking God for what you need, and trust that he knows what is best for you.

When I pray, do I find myself praying only for my own concerns or do I also pray for those around me who have greater needs? (e.g. the poor and forgotten)



Prayer:

Dear Lord, teach me how to pray in a way that doesn't only ask for what I want, but that will teach me what you want for me.

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Saint Teresa of Avila | Stories of Saints The Way of Perfection | St. Teresa of Avila St. Teresa of Avila - Rediscover the Saints

Sources (The Creed):

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OFF-CAMPUS NEWS CCH EAST Rm 154



October 2024

Off-Campus Education provides programs and services for Holy Spirit School Division Students during their high school years. We offer 3 Off-Campus programs, 3 Workplace Safety Courses, Dual Credit Courses, Career Services, Post Secondary Services and Scholarship Services. These programs and services are available to all high school students in the Division. **Programs offered:**

Work Experience

Students in grade 10, 11, or 12 with a part-time job during the school year, a position during the summer months, or who volunteer have the opportunity earn up to 15 High School Credits through the Work Experience program.

Special Projects

Earn up to 15 high school credits by initiating and completing an individual or group project not within the scope of the regular curriculum.

Registered Apprenticeship Program (RAP)

(RAP) is a modified apprenticeship program that allows students to earn up to 40 high school credits and gain on-the-job training that can be applied towards an apprenticeship.

Workplace Safety Course

Agriculture Safety course.

Before your credits are accounted for, you will need to complete a prerequisite. Work Experience program prerequisite-HCS3000/HCS3010 Workplace Safety Systems course & sign a Work Agreement form. Green Certificate Program prerequisite- AGR3000

Green Certificate Program

The program is a structured learning pathway supported by Alberta Education and Alberta Agriculture and Forestry. The opportunity provides students up to 16 diploma credits while working in agriculture. In an apprenticeship-style placement, students earn credentials that support them in pursuing careers in agribusiness.

Dual Credit

Earn high school & post-secondary credit at the same time. In collaboration with Olds College and Lethbridge Polytechnic, dual Credit post-secondary courses offer students an advantageous beginning in exploring career pathways.

Career Services

In partnership with Careers the Next Generation we support student-focused industry exposure through community partnerships. A paid internship position allows students to gain career awareness & experience. To get started with Careers: the Next Generation create a student profile!

Mark Boschee

Off-Campus Coordinator Career Centre, East Campus on Tuesday/Friday Cell: 587-220-4258 Email: boscheem@holyspirit.ab.ca

Vero Amakobe

Career Practitioner Office on Campus, West on Tuesday/Thursday 403-327-4596 ext 312 Email: amakobevero@holyspirit.ab.ca

OFF-CAMPUS EDUCATION PROGRAM UPDATES

Work experience program:

You can now access an online tracking sheet "Purple Time Sheets" to report your work experience hours. Speak to your off-campus staff about how to access the online tracking system.

RESUME BUILDING TIPS

- · Make information appear organized and concise by using fonts such as Arial, Cambria, Garamond, and Times New Roman. Keep your resume under 2 pages.
- If you don't have work experience, highlight your education with relevant courses and projects you have completed in or out of school.
- Unpaid work matters, highlight your internship, hobbies and volunteer experiences.
- · To stay relevant, first highlight past jobs+skills that align with the role you're applying for.
- · Use key words that directly match the job description throughout your resume.

HELPFUL RESOURCES

Scholarship Handbook:



FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

How do I apply for a dual credit course?

• Speak to your career practitioner about completing a Dual Credit-Holy Spirit School Division application

Can I apply to multiple post secondary institutions in Alberta at once?

 You can use ApplyAlberta to apply to any number of Alberta public post-secondary institutions.

Do I need to complete any prerequisite courses for off campus programming?

• Students need to complete the online safety course HCS3000 before they can start RAP or Work Experience. Farm Safety course AG 3000 needs to be completed before starting the green certificate program. Most dual credit courses do not require a prerequisite with the exception of a few. Please contact the career practitioner to see which courses need prerequisites. Special projects do not require any prerequisites.

Can I do off campus courses in the summer?

 Most off campus courses can be done in the summer upon approval from the off campus coordinator or career practitioner.

Can I do work experience, green certificate, special projects and RAP after school or on the weekends?

• Yes. Work hours can be completed after school or on the weekends. However, most students in RAP will be required to work at least half days.

Does the off-campus coordinator have job placements for students interested in work experience or RAP?

 No the off campus coordinator does not have jobs available for students. The off campus coordinator will help to find placements for students who are interested in RAP or internships.

OFF-CAMPUS FACILITATED PROGRAMS

Resume & Cover Letter Support:

By appointment Monday-Friday To book, email or text: amakobev@holyspirit.ab.ca 403-593-2903

After School Programming:

GROUP RESUME BUILDING SESSION

Date: Oct 25, 2024 Time: 1:00pm-3:30pm Location: CCH East Campus Off-Campus office



Holy Spirit Catholic School Division

...where students are cherished and achieve their potential



Holy Spirit Catholic School Division is pleased to announce that Ms. Chantel Axani has accepted the role of Superintendent for the Holy Spirit Catholic School Division, beginning in November 2024.

Chantel Axani's 18-year journey at Lakeland Catholic School Division has been marked by unwavering dedication and a deep commitment to Catholic education. Serving as a teacher, administrator, and most recently as Deputy Superintendent, she has played a pivotal role in shaping the lives of over 2,700 students across Bonnyville, Cold Lake, Lac La Biche, and Weskatenau.

Axani's contributions extend beyond the classroom. Her leadership roles with the Council of Catholic School Superintendents of Alberta (CCSSA), including her current position as Vice President, demonstrate her commitment to advancing Catholic education on a provincial level.

Receiving her Bachelor of Education from the University of Alberta and a Master's of Education from the University of Calgary, Axani brings a wealth of knowledge and expertise to her role. Her focus on curriculum, teaching, and learning has enabled her to foster a culture of leadership among her colleagues. Known for her tenacity and collaborative spirit, she has been instrumental in enhancing the quality of Catholic education and creating a supportive environment for both staff and students.

Axani's deep faith is evident in her leadership style. She embodies the spirit of a true disciple of Christ, leading prayers, delivering inspirational messages, and putting the needs of others before her own. As she assumes the role of Superintendent at Holy Spirit Catholic School Division, her commitment to serving the school community and her unwavering belief in the power of Catholic education will undoubtedly continue to inspire and guide her leadership.

"The Board of Trustees is looking forward to Chantel Axani's leadership of the school division as we move into the second quarter of the 21st Century," says Board Chair, Carmen Mombourquette. "Chantel has a distinguished record of school and school division leadership in Catholic education. Of particular note is Chantel's commitment to the faith and the ways in which it forms the basis of her leadership style. We warmly welcome Chantel and her family to the Holy Spirit family of schools."

"I am deeply humbled and excited to serve the students, staff and families of Holy Spirit Catholic School Division. I am honored to work alongside the Senior Administration team to continue to provide an excellent and faith filled education for all students," said Ms. Chantel Axani.

For more information about this press release, please contact:

Carmen Mombourquette, Board Chair

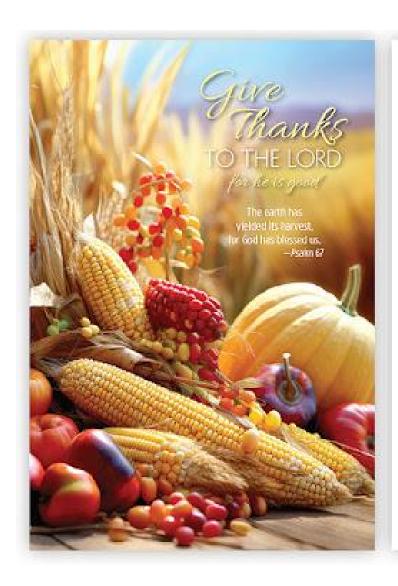
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CCH Quarter 1 Exam Schedule

DATE	Time	Course	Campus	Teacher	Room Number
*yellow fill denotes exam	is being written	in a location OTHER	THAN the	regularly assigned	classroom
Monday October 28	9:00 AM	English 30-1 Part A	East	Richards	202
Regular Class Day		English 30-1 Part A	East	Omilon	206
		English 30-2 Part A	East	Hartman	Library
Wednesday October 30	9:00 AM	Social 30-1 Part A	East	Skauge	202
Regular Class Day		Social 30-1 Part A	East	Hansen	206
		Social 30-2 Part A	East	Hansen	Library
Thursday October 31	9:00 AM	Math 30-1	East	Leroux	Gym
		Math 30-2	East	Folkersen	Gym
		Math 20-2	East	Hammel	124
		Math 20-2	East	Lutz	129
		Math 10-2	East	Folkersen	122
		Math 20-1	West	Leroux	520
		Math 10C	West	Point du Jour	511
Monday November 4	9:00 AM	English 30-1 Part B	East	Richards	Gym
		English 30-1 Part B	East	Omilon	Gym
		English 30-2 Part B	East	Hartman	Gym
		Eng 20-2	East	Yanke	126
		Eng 10-2	East	Omilon	127
		Eng 10-2	East	Goble	213
		FLA 20	East	Dalton	131
		Eng 20-1	West	Cox	Gym
		Eng 10-1	West	Cox	Gym
		Eng 10-1	West	Schmidt	513
Tuesday November 5	9:00 AM	Social 30-1 Part B	East	Skauge	Gym
		Social 30-1 Part B	East	Hansen	Gym
		Social 30-2 Part B	East	Hansen	Gym
		Social 10-1	East	Murphy	209
		Social 20-1	East	Yoner	Gym
		Social 20-1	West	Schmidt	513
		Social 20-2	West	Yoner	Gym

Wednesday November 6	8:30 AM	Physics 30	East	n/a	114
	9:00 AM	Bio 20	East	Balog	105
		Physics 20	East	Vuong	111
		Science 20	East	Ross	213
		Science 10	East	Skanes	107
		Chem 20	West	Goruk	527
		Bio 20	West	Nummi	525
		Sci 10	West	Mulder	521
	12:00 PM	Bio 30	East	Nummi	Gym
		Bio 30	East	Balog	Gym
Thursday November 7	9:00 AM	Chem 30	East	Hawker	Gym
*This schedule is subject	to change.	Please confirm dates	and times	with your	teacher



THANKSGIVING

Gracious God. on this day of thanks, we humbly gather to express our gratitude. For the bounty that graces our tables, we offer thanks. For the love that unites our hearts, we offer thanks. For the challenges that make us stronger, we offer thanks. Bless us with wisdom to cherish these gifts and share with those in need. May this spirit of thankfulness resonate through our lives. today and always. Amen.

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