



# ÉCOLE ESCUELA **Holy Child** CATHOLIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Dear Holy Child Families,

It is hard to believe that summer break is nearly over. We hope that you have all enjoyed some rest, relaxation, fun and adventure. Staff have been working hard this week preparing classrooms for the student's arrival and we are all so excited to welcome everyone back to school soon. We wanted to share some important information with you before the first day of school.

- The first day of classes is Tuesday, September 5.
- Classes for Grades 1-6 begin at 8:25 and dismiss at 3:15 (Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday). Thursday class hours are 8:25-11:31.
- Kindergarten students have staggered entry on Tuesday September 5 and Wednesday September 6. Please refer to the email sent back in June for your child's staggered entry time.
- Every morning, students will gather in the field by their class sign posted around the fence. On the first day, teachers will be out greeting students in the field.
- School fees will be posted on Powerschool on September 15.
- On Friday September 1, your child's homeroom teacher will send out a welcome introduction letter to you via email.
- School supply lists can be found here: <https://holychild.ecsd.net/school-supply-lists>
- Feel free to check out our school calendar online for all upcoming events and special events: <https://holychild.ecsd.net/calendar> (will be updated early next week!)
- The office opens on Monday August 28 from 8am-4pm. Please feel free to call or pop in to the office if you have any questions next week.
- Our new principal, Christine Samson, will be hosting a Meet and Greet out on the tarmac on Thursday September 7 at 11:30am. If you can, please pop by and say hello!
- There will be a Welcome Back BBQ and Meet the Teacher evening on Wednesday September 27 from 5pm-7pm.

We are looking forward to another beautiful school year, learning and growing together.

Blessings on the last week of summer break,  
Holy Child Staff

