



## ST. EDMUND ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

I hope you all had a wonderful weekend.

Here's what's going on this week:

### **Events this Week::**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>Details</b>
March 19	Grade 4 Vaccination Day	8:15-11:00am
March 21	SPVM Presentation for Grade 5	Social Media Safety 8:30-9:30am
March 21	SEL Assembly for School by Amen THIS 360	10:20-11:20
March 21	Term 2 Parent Teacher Interviews	
March 21	Qui Lira Vincra	Selected cycle 3 students only.
March 22	Cycle 3 Visit to BHS to watch Play	Gr. 5&6 only

### **Additional Info:**

**Absences and Lates:** This is a friendly reminder that term 3 has started and students are required to be in school. We have noticed a sharp increase in the number of students arriving late and taking extended holidays. Arriving late and missing days may have a significant impact on the implicated student as well as the overall class.

Students who are not registered in morning daycare are expected to arrive between 7:50am and 8:00am. Classes officially start at 8:00am. Parents arriving after 8:00am are asked to bring their child to the main door and not the gate.

Arrival after 8:00am means that students are not following the routine and may be missing key start of the day information and curriculum instruction. This tends to cause anxiety and embarrassment for the student who is late and can be very disruptive to the students who have already started their day.

We are asking for parents to please be vigilant regarding your child's attendance in school as Term 3 counts for 60% of your child's overall school year. Thank you for your support.

**Library Volunteers:** Library will be canceled on Thursday, March 21 from 10:20 until 2:30pm. The library will be open for the morning sessions.

**Calendar Change:** This is a friendly reminder that March 18th is a regular school day. The PED day has been moved to April 8th due to the eclipse.

**Smart Devices:** This is a friendly reminder that cell phones, smart watches, and/or any other devices that can take, send and receive messages, calls, pictures and videos are prohibited at St. Edmund. This includes child versions that may be seen as toys by adults. If a device has these capabilities, it is not permitted at school.

**Protective Eyewear:** Please note that protective eyewear for use during the eclipse will be distributed to students shortly.

#### **Message from PPO & Home and School:**

The **Parent Participation Organization/Home & School (PPO/H&S) Association** is kicking off 2024 with a bang!!

Ø Update your child's Spirit Wear collection by purchasing our NEW RED VARSITY available at

<https://stedmundstore2023.itemorder.com/shop/home/>

Ø Join us at our next meeting at 7PM in the library. The date will be confirmed shortly as the **March 26th meeting is canceled** and will be rescheduled due to the cycle 1 show.

#### **Upcoming Events:**

<b>Date:</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>Details</b>
March 26	Cycle 1 Concert Evening	
March 29	Holiday.	School and Daycare are closed.
April 1	Holiday.	School and Daycare are closed.
April 2	PED Day	School and Daycre are closed.
April 8	PED Day	School and Daycare are closed.

Have an amazing week!

Melissa