

January 8 - 12



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St. Angela School Week at a Glance



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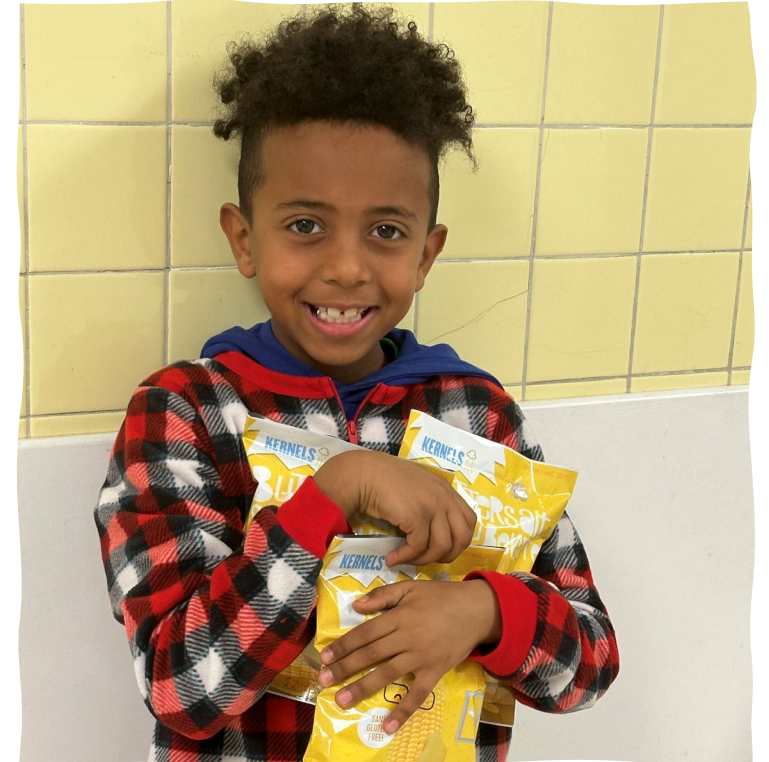


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READING STARS!

The winners will enjoy a pizza lunch with the principals on Friday, January 12!

KA – Gelila

KB – Hannah

1A – Alixia

1B – Eli

2A – Lucas

2B – Yorshalem

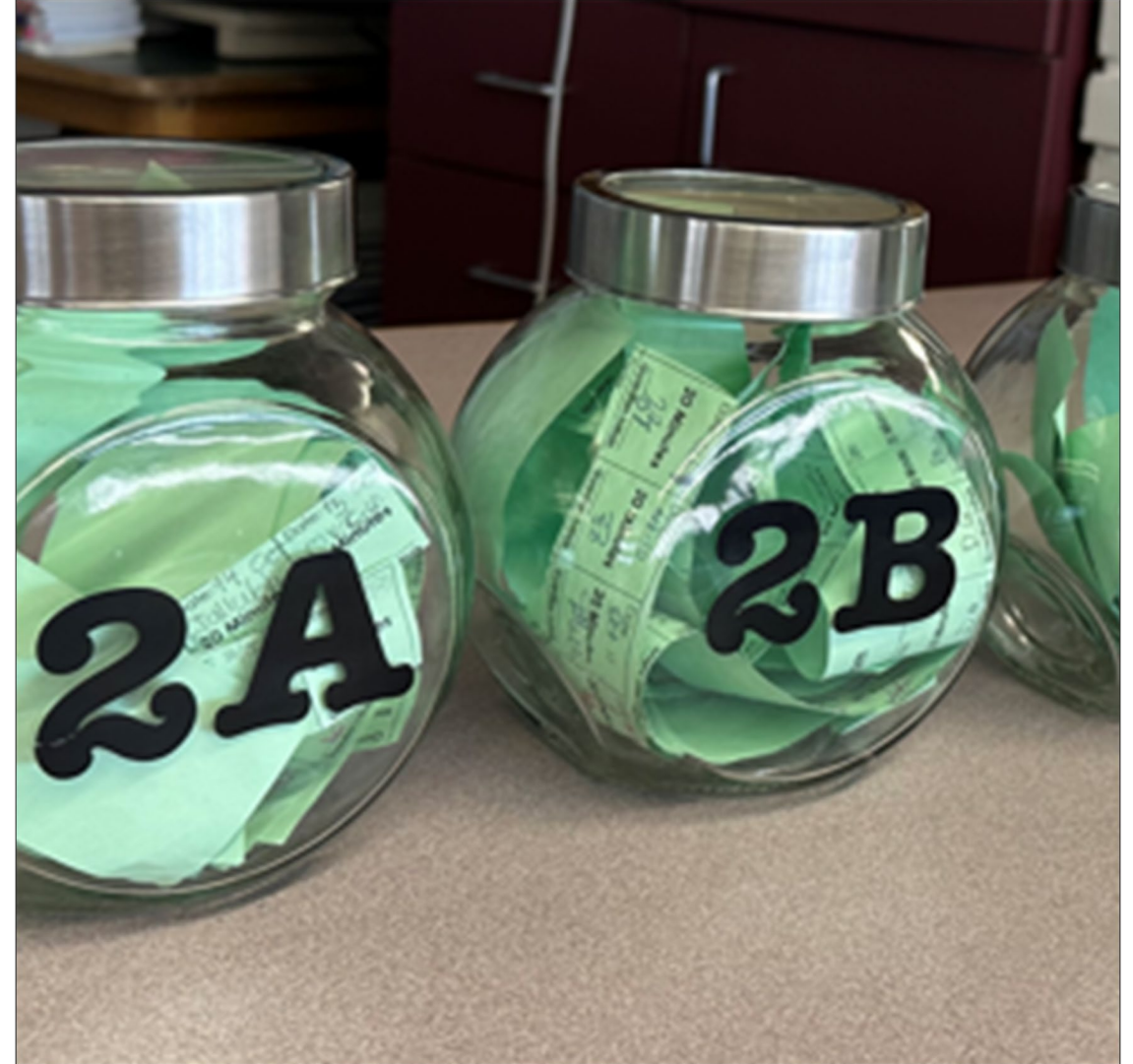
3A – France

3/4 – Alden

4A – Rylan

5A – Asher

6A – Gabby



Upcoming Dates

January 8 – Classes Resume

January 12 – Dress Like an Athlete Day

January 16-17 – Sangea African Drumming
Residency

January 17 – Kid Inventor Day

January 18 – School Council Meeting

January 19 – Twin Day

January 26 – St. Angela Student Faith Day

January 30 – STEM Assembly and Wear **GREEN**
Day





DREAMS for KIDS

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December 22, 2023

Heidi Maas, Principal
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Dear Heidi:

On behalf of the Edmonton Catholic Schools Foundation and the children we serve, I sincerely thank you, the students, and the staff of St. Angela School for your generous gift of \$406.80 to our 2023 *Dreams for Kids* campaign, which we recently received through our web-site. We are indebted to all of you for your thoughtfulness, hard work, tenacity, and leadership in raising these monies in support of ECS students—especially those in need. We are humbled and inspired by this thoughtful donation from your students, who themselves, have so little, and yet, share so much from their beautiful spirits that are motivated by selflessness and communal love.

As one of our six Foundation *Funds*, our *Dream Maker Fund* provides financial support/subsidies to students so they may equitably participate in school-based retreats, as well as recreational, educational, and social events/activities. With approximately 20% of our 47,500 students living below the poverty line—with some of our elementary schools having up to 70% of its students/in this situation—your donation will be put to good use. The children who cannot participate in a school-outing because of the discriminating barrier of poverty, will now be able to join their fellow students in special educational or recreational event because of your generosity. Your gift ensures that students in need are given a fairer opportunity at physical and mental wellness, educational success, and social integration


For your edification, here are a few expressions of gratitude from students who benefitted from a *Dream Maker* grant in previous years:

- ♥ *"I want to thank you for helping me pay for my volleyball fees. This means a lot to me and my family who were struggling to help pay for it. (Grade 8, Louis St. Laurent)*
- ♥ *"Now I am not scared to get water in my face because of swimming lessons." (Grade 1, St. Gerard)*
- ♥ *"The grade 7 class from St. Alphonsus just want to say thank you for the generous thing that you did for us, allowing us to do on this AWESOME field trip to the Royal Tyrell Museum! Thank you, for fulfilling our hopes and dreams. I could never be more thankful in my life." (Grade 7, St. Alphonsus)*
- ♥ *"Because my dad is out of work, my parent's couldn't afford for me to go on this field trip. I am so grateful for this grant because I got to hang out with my friends and learn more about how to play my flute better." (Grade 8, St. Edmund)*

Again, I thank the St. Angela School family for entrusting us with your donation. Your gift will give our students a loving 'hand-up' in their journey of becoming the best that God created them to be.

I pray that you, your staff, and your students and families, all enjoy a holy, happy, and peaceful Christmas.

Sincerely,


Marc Barylo
Executive Director

God bless!

January 2024

Calendar of Events

St. Angela School



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 HAPPY NEW YEAR 	2	3	4	5	6
7	8 First day back	9 K Nature Detectives Program	10 Gr. 1 Nature Detectives Program	11	12 Dress Like an Athlete Day	13
14	15	16 Sangea African Drumming Residency	17 Sangea African Drumming Residency	18 School Council Meeting 6:00 pm	19 Twin Day	20
21	22	23	24	25	26 St. Angela Student Faith Day	27
28	29	30 STEM Assembly and Wear Green Day	31			

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