



**Saint Charles  
Catholic School**

## TO OUR SCCS FAMILIES

Due to the ongoing financial pressures of COVID-19, the SCCS Board of Management has decided on implementing the following measures for the 2020-21 school year:

- No tuition increase
- No increases to other fees (MCSAA, Technology, Building Fund, Learn to Skate)
- The suspension of the 3% Early Payment Discount
- A one-time \$300 deduction per child for all families
- An increase to the bursary fund for distribution

Invoices have been prepared and will be distributed with report cards at the end of June.

Due to the late filing of 2019 taxes, there will be a delay in the assessment and awarding of bursaries. Therefore, June invoices will not reflect any bursary deductions for those families who have applied. Rather, bursary applicants will receive a letter over the summer indicating whether or not their application was successful and the amount (if any) that will be awarded. Any bursaries awarded will be applied to the family's account and invoice for September processing.

As some of you are aware, the Learn to Skate program did not take place in 2020-21. Families whose children were in Kindergarten, Grade 1 or Grade 2 for the 2019-20 school year, have had their account credited in the amount of \$125 per student for the Learn to Skate program. For some families, the credit was applied to 2019-20 tuition payments. For others, it will be applied against 2020-21 tuition payments. Although the 2020-21 invoice may not reflect this credit, be assured that, if the credit is outstanding on your account, it will be applied to your 2020-21 tuition payments.

Hot Dog and Pizza lunches were also abruptly terminated in 2019-20. The school does not usually credit for cancelled or missed fun lunches as they are a fundraiser for the school. However, under these extraordinary circumstances, we are looking at some options. We will communicate the details in September once we know more and have considered C19 restrictions.

If there are any additional questions please email me at [finance@stccs.ca](mailto:finance@stccs.ca).

Wishing you all a safe summer

Sincerely

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