



The Ferd Word

...weekly spotlight on a word to know at St. Ferdinand School by Principal Folino 😊 Jan 23 2020

“ANTICIPATION”

“A fire consumes them, and behind them a flame burns...” Joel 2:3

With this writing, it is only 3 days until the kick-off of Catholic Schools Week - - - and the hallways of St. Ferdinand School are filled with **ANTICIPATION** for the events of the week ahead! It is so exciting to walk the halls and see all the hard work and preparation on the part of our students from every grade level as they work on their research projects and transform the halls into interactive representations of each decade of American history! I can't wait to celebrate mass with all of our families at **10:00 AM Family Mass in the chapel on Sunday**, and then greet all of you as you come to **Open House from 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM** and see all of the good that is happening at St. Ferdinand School! **And, don't forget - - - bring a family along whose children might be interested in becoming St. Ferdinand School students! For doing this, your child receives 3 out-of-uniform passes and YOU are entered into a drawing to win a St. Ferdinand-themed basket complete with a \$25 Dennis Uniform gift card! If the family you bring registers and attends school at St. Ferd's next year - YOUR family receives APRIL 2021 TUITION FREE! :)**

And don't forget to re-register your own family by February 28, 2020, to take advantage of our **FEBRUARY FREEZE** promotion and lock-in/keep 2019-20 tuition rates for NEXT YEAR! Your early registration NOW helps us accurately budget and plan for the next school year, so we are very appreciative of you re-registering sooner rather than later! :)

ANTICIPATION spills into all the **events of next week** as we celebrate our wonderful Catholic school by: creating Blessing Bags for the needy on Monday, praying for the poor around the world through the World Mission Rosary on Tuesday, thanking our teachers and staff on Wednesday, hearing about both secular and religious vocations on Thursday, and celebrating our students on Friday!

My heart is full of **ANTICIPATION** for all of the wonderful celebrations a Catholic education at St. Ferdinand School brings to your children all of next week! I look forward to seeing you at **Family Mass & Open House on Sunday or Family Movie Night on Friday!**

