

## St. Leo Catholic School 165 Stanley Avenue Toronto, Ontario M8V 1P1



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Dear Parents and Guardians:

This letter is to update you on plans for the construction of a new school for the St. Leo school community.

As you know, in February we shared that St. Leo was scheduled to be relocated in September 2020 for the upcoming 2020-2021 school year, in anticipation of our new school being built. The proposed alternate school site is located at 3672 Lakeshore Boulevard West, formerly Christ the King Catholic School.

The COVID-19 pandemic has resulted in a new normal in our City, Province and Country, and the timelines for the build of our new school have been affected. In order to manage ongoing restrictions and their related impact, staff have recommended the relocation of St. Leo students to Christ the King be postponed until September 2021. As a result, the St. Leo school community will remain in its present location at 165 Stanley Avenue for September 2020.

This decision will allow our students to return to familiar territory following this long period away from the traditional school environment. In addition, this extended timeline allows for the temporary site at Christ the King to be appropriately prepared for the St. Leo school community.

The safety and well-being of everyone at St. Leo is deeply important to us and we appreciate your patience and support as we plan for our new school building. We will continue to share updates regarding parent council meetings, our school construction, the upcoming move and any other details pertinent to the 2020-2021 school year as they become available.

Should you have any concerns or questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

Robert Rivers Principal

CC: Maria Meehan, Superintendent Area 2 Teresa Lubinski, Trustee Ward 4