



PROCLAMATION

February 8 to 11, 2016

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THE ANGEL FOUNDATION FOR LEARNING

Believe in Angels Week

WHEREAS the Toronto Catholic District School Board celebrates a student-focused equal opportunity school system rooted in Gospel Values, which proudly advocates a safe and welcoming learning environment, it recognizes the vital support The Angel Foundation for Learning provides to vulnerable TCDSB students.

WHEREAS the Foundation shares the same TCDSB values in fostering a community of faith, anchored in hope, with heart and charity, it provides financial assistance in four areas: 1) support for student nutrition, 2) support for educational experiences and student leadership, 3) support for poverty relief and emergency needs, and 4) by administering bursaries and awards. This work helps to ensure all TCDSB students are *equally* able to participate in life-altering learning opportunities.

WHEREAS an alarming 1 out of every 4 children in the City of Toronto lives in poverty, the Foundation works diligently to meet shared TCDSB goals - enabling students to: pursue academic excellence, display self-esteem and self-respect, demonstrate skills for personal and family wellness, and demonstrate a global perspective with community responsibility.

NOW THEREFORE, The Toronto Catholic District School Board, hereby proclaims February 8 to 11, 2016 as "The Angel Foundation for Learning - Believe in Angels Week" within the Toronto Catholic District School Board.

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Angela Gauthier
Director of Education
Toronto Catholic District School Board

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Angela Kennedy
Chair of the Board
Toronto Catholic District School Board