



# Father Michael Goetz Secondary School

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*'Take a Risk... Get Involved... Be Committed'*

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Greetings to the Goetz Community,

Happy New Year to everyone! I hope that the Christmas season was filled with joy, rest and relaxation and everyone has regenerated in preparation for one of the busiest times of the year. Staff and students are busy with CPTs, preparing for exams and extra-curriculars. We know that there is a significant amount of anxiety around exams because it has been several years since they have been written, but please be confident that our amazing staff is doing everything possible to prepare students for this important part of education. In addition to Power Hour and Extra Math Help, our Senior student leaders have visited grade 9 classes (and will be visiting Grade 10 classes) to share preparation and writing strategies. We are confident that with some effort, all of our students will succeed! Good Luck and God Bless, *Mr. Coccimiglia*

A Message from Our Chaplaincy Leader...

Happy New Year Gators! Merry Christmas to all Orthodox Christians. Happy Feast Day of St. Andre Bessette and Feast of the Epiphany of our Lord, which was celebrated liturgically this past weekend in our Catholic Canadian Churches. We begin a new year looking forward to building upon our Campus Ministry Team that has fully immersed itself into the sacramental and liturgical life of the Catholic Church and has also become very present and integral in the community life of Father Michael Goetz Secondary School. As we continue to build upon our ministry, we are always looking for new members, and to also collaborate with other leadership clubs here at FMG to ensure we continue growing into a compassionate, caring, safe, and inclusive school community.

Finally, let us pray for the repose of the soul of Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI, who passed away last week after many years of poor health. May his example and witness of his love for God, guide each one of us to strive daily to always respond to the will of God, and to do so with an informed theological understanding of the revealed truths of the Catholic faith, in which he so poignantly and systematically instructed throughout his life and papacy. May God bless you.

Mr. Minardi



### EXAMS ARE COMING UP!

#### Top Exam Preparation Tips

- 1. Start your revision early There is no substitute for starting early with revision
- 2. Organise your study time ...
- 3. Look after yourself during study and exam time ...
- 4. Vary your revision techniques ...
- 5. Vary your locations ...

Mon Jan. 9	Tues Jan. 10	Wed Jan. 11	Thurs Jan. 12	Fri Jan. 13
SB Basketball Practice 6:45 am	JB Basketball Practice 6:45 am	SB Basketball Practice 6:45 am	JB Basketball Practice 6:45 am	Muslim Student Group 12:30
Math Extra Help Room 115 2:30	Math Extra Help Room 113 2:30 pm	Math Extra Help Room 109 7:30 am	Math Extra Help Room 111 7:30 am	Book Club 2:30
JG Volleyball Practice 2:30	Power Hour Extra Help Library 2:30	ELL Leadership Room 212 2:30	Power Hour Extra Help Library 2:30	SG Volleyball Practice 2:30
	SG Volleyball Practice 2:30	DJ Club 2:30	Math Club Room 117 2:30	
	Basketball Intramurals 2:30	Mental Health & Wellness Club 2:30	Hispanos Goetz 2:30	<b>SPORTS CURRENTLY IN SEASON:</b>  Senior Boys Basketball Sr. Girls Volleyball Swim Team Intramural Basketball X-Country Workouts
<b>Breakfast Club</b> 	Yoga Club Drama Room 2:30	Power Hour Extra Help Library 2:30	Goetz Black Voices Rm 250 2:30	
<b>Front Foyer Everyday 8 to 8:10</b> 		Campus Ministry 2:30	JG Volleyball Practice 2:30	
		JG Volleyball v. Rick Hansen 3:30	SB Basketball @ Loyola 3:00	
		SG Volleyball v. Port Credit 5:00		
		JB Basketball @ Port Credit 5:00		

