December 2025 Issue #4

Helmich Snijders Hillside Christian School Bulletin

MERRY CHRISTMAS



our Hillside School families!

Please take note of the following notices:

Report Card - Term 1

Cycle 1: Group 1 - 4

Date: December 16, 2025 Time: 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm*

<u>Cycle 2: Group 5 - 8</u>

Date: December 17, 2025 Time: 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm*

*NB: Please make the necessary arrangements to collect your child's report card during the times listed above. However, if you are unable to do so, please notify your child's teacher to schedule an appointment.

For Term 2 (which begins Dec 2nd), we would like to ask you to work with us by creating a weekly Read & Tell time with your child. This will greatly enhance their Reading Comprehension skills.

"Good News Is Worth Sharing!"

Our Christmas program will be held on Thursday, December 18, from 8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. at the Good News Baptist Church in St. Peters. Parents/guardians are welcome!

Dress code for our students: Red, green, white or Christmas colors. All clothing must be suitable and in accordance with our school's dress code.

*If a student isn't dressed accordingly, parents will be asked to bring a change of clothing in order for the students to change before attending class.

Celebrations will also take place in the respective classrooms.

Class Parties

Class parties will take place on Thursday, December 18th. Parents/Guardians are asked to speak to their child's class teacher for more information.

REMINDER:

Last day of School: Friday, December 19, 2025

School will resume on Monday, January 5, 2026

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Character Education

The virtue of the month of **December** is:

Kindness - Acting friendly, caring, and helpful toward others without expecting anything back.

> Scripture verse: -Habakkuk 2:2



Parental Contributions

Please be reminded of the importance your contribution plays in your child's educational experience. Kindly ensure that your contribution has been made as soon as possible.

Please remember the fees for students attending Early Childhood must be paid by the 5th of each month.

The contribution for the Community School program also has to be paid by the 5th of the month.



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Upcoming Events

December

Christmas Hat or Hair Day

Students may come to school wearing a creative Christmas hat <u>or</u> a festive Christmas hairstyle.

*Please note this is not mandatory.



Days To Look Forward to in January:

- 100 Days of School
- Anit-Bullying Week

Look out for more information in our January Bulletin



Relief Drive for Jamaica

As per the letter dated Thursday, November 27th, 2025, in the spirit of love and compassion, we are collecting monetary donations towards our schools' relief drive for Jamaica.

Thank you to those parents/guardians who have already made their contributions.

As a friendly reminder, the last day to submit your donation is Friday, December 12th, 2025.

Merry Christmas



Facebook Page/ Website

Check out our Facebook page and website for upcoming activities and also pictures of our students.

Facebook Page

www.facebook.com/helmichsnijder shcs/

Website

www.helmichsnijderscampus.net



Our school family extends best wishes to you and your family during this festive season. May the true meaning of Christmas surround you and give you peace. May you and your family experience good health and prosperity throughout 2026! Thanks for all your support during 2025!

Check out The Lion's Club Christmas Challenge

COUNTDOWN TO CHRISTMAS Kindness Challenge SAY GOOD PICK UP TRASH HOLD THE DOOR GIVE SOMEONE A SAY THANK YOU MORNING OR OFF THE FLOOR. TO YOUR PARTNER COMPLIMENT GOOD DAY TO /PARENTS WHEN SOMEONE THEY DO SOME-THING FOR YOU 9. DECEMBER GIVE A SMALL TIP 10. DECEMBER LEAVE SOMEONE 12. DECEMBER 13. DECEMBER 15. DECEMBE DONATE ONE ITEM GIVE SOMEONE A SMILE AT 3 YOU NO LONGER SMILE OR HUG A KIND NOTE. STRANGERS TODAY THANKS TO OMEONE IN SER VICE 16. DECEMBER 18. DECEMBER 20. DECEMBE 21. DECEMBER 22. DECEMBER MAKE SOMEONE SHARE WORDS OF SHARF A MOTIVA-SUPPORT A LOCAL TELL SOMEONE A CUP OF COFFEE ENCOURAGEMENT TIONAL QUOTE BUSINESS TODAY WHY YOU OR TEA. WITH SOMEONE. WITH SOMEONE APPRECIATE THEM. WHO NEEDS IT DO SOMETHING HELP YOUR FAMILY SEND A VOICE KIND FOR YOUR-GET READY FOR NOTE OR VIDEO CHRISTMAS. **WISHING SOMEON**

Big D Photo Studio Christmas Photo Package

Parents/Guardians, if you have paid for Christmas phote packages taken by Big D Photo Studio, please visit the office before December 19th, 2025, to collect your package(s)

Vacation Schedule 2025 – 2026

Christmas Break:

Dec. 22 - Jan 2

Mid-Term II Break:

Feb 16 - 17

Easter Break:

Apr. 2 - 6

Carnival/King's Birthday/ Labor Day Break:

Apr. 27 - May 1

Ascension Day:

May 14 - 15

Emancipation Day:

July 1st

Last Day of School Year 2025 – 2026: July 3rd, 2026



December

Congratulations to all our boys and girls. May the Lord grant you many more years of life!

