

## **Immaculate Conception School**

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

This year has been an adventure in finding new ways to celebrate our school traditions! As a class we were discussing the best way to look at the tradition of praying the Stations of the Cross and decided to combine it with our theme this year, "Walk with Jesus, Our Living Hope!" **On Tuesday, March 16 we will be walking up to the University grounds**, praying the Stations of the Cross on our journey. **Students will be required to bring a mask with them (in case we need to access washrooms at the University).** Following public health guidelines, students are not required to wear masks outside, however, they may choose to do so. Due to the likely possibility that we will not be able to go to Camp Morice this year, students were very excited about this idea. There will be three adult supervisors, Mrs. Barth, Mrs. Harris, and Miss Schaubroeck. Students will be dropped off and picked up from the school as per a usual school day.

This will be a non-uniform day, and students are asked to ensure that they are dressed both for a long walk, and for the elements!

## **Student Packing List**

- 1. Appropriate footwear (such as running shoes) for the trek
- 2. Appropriate clothing for the projected forecast (hat, raincoat, layers)
- 3. Water bottle
- 4. Snacks
- 5. Face Mask
- 6. A gym bag or light backpack to carry their belongings in

This will be a wonderful opportunity to literally walk with Jesus, as we meditate what it was like for him to carry his cross to Calvary. The walk up to the university grounds will be quite prayerful as we pause to pray different stations along the walk. At the top, we will have time for a snack and our walk back will be much more fun and chatty. We will be taking a route that will allow us to walk on paved sidewalks or trails the whole way, however we will be crossing some major intersections with official crosswalks.

## CONSENT FORM:

I hereby give consent for \_\_\_\_\_\_\_to walk to the University of Northern British Columbia grounds and back on Tuesday, March 16, 2021. I am aware of the inherent risks of this off site activity.

Parent Signature