

St. Lorenzo Ruiz Middle School

Bulletin

Next Virtual

Engagement Session:

May 20, 2021 from 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.

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AN INFORMATION RESOURCE FOR KENTWOOD RESIDENTS REGARDING THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE ST. LORENZO RUIZ MIDDLE SCHOOL PROJECT.

We are excited to collaborate with you!

Red Deer Catholic Regional Schools (RDCRS) is looking forward to collaborating with residents in the Kentwood neighbourhood of Red Deer, about the design process and construction of the new middle school (Grade 6 to 9), St. Lorenzo Ruiz Middle School.

Our first community engagement session with Kentwood residents was held on April 6 to provide a forum for community feedback and an opportunity to voice concerns with the overall project design. The first session focused primarily on the site layout of the new school. To view the presentation from the first community engagement session, please visit www.stlorenzoschool.ca.

As we continue to move further along in the design process of St. Lorenzo Ruiz Middle School, we look forward to continuing our collaborative efforts and look forward to the input and feedback from community residents.

Where was the St. Lorenzo Ruiz Middle School name derived from?

Last Spring, RDCRS invited staff, students, parents/guardians and community members to provide their feedback on a name for the new middle school.

The list of feedback was narrowed down to three school names. The Board of Trustees selected St. Lorenzo Ruiz Middle School, which is named after a Chinese-Filipino saint who is the patron saint of Filipino youth, the Philippines, people working overseas, and altar servers.

With the Division's large multicultural population, especially the large Filipino population, the Board of Trustees felt this was a fitting choice.



What stage is the school at?

We are currently looking for input from the community in our engagement sessions on the design of the school.

Geotechnical testing has been completed and the results were used in optimizing the site layout. A traffic assessment will be completed in the coming weeks as part of the development permit process.

Construction is expected to start in the Fall of 2021, with the school opening September 2023.

Your feedback is important to us!

If you would like electronic communication (text or email) updates on St. Lorenzo Ruiz Middle School, please sign up by filling out the Google form on www.stlorenzoschool.ca. You can also follow us on social media @stlorenzord.



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