

# Blessed Chiara Badano CES and St. Katharine Drexel CHS Community Meeting

June 20th, 2022



# Prayer

*Let us pray.*

*All praise to You, heavenly Father, Lord of all creation: You have gathered us in this community to praise You by our words and works.*

*Bless these schools which are being built for the education of our young people. Bless our students and teachers, our parents, board members, employees, and all who promote Catholic education in our community.*

*May our youth grow in wisdom, age, and grace before You and all Your people.*

*May these schools always be a home of truth and wisdom, of faith and good will toward all.*

*Through the prayers of St. Katharine Drexel and Blessed Chiara Badano, may these schools help our community, and build Your kingdom of justice, light, and peace.*

*Loving Father, listen to our prayer, which we offer through Christ our Lord, in Your Holy Spirit. Amen*





# YCDSB Land Acknowledgement



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We are gathered on the ancestral lands and waters of all Indigenous Peoples, who have left their footprints on Mother Earth before us.

We respectfully acknowledge, those who have walked on it, those who walk on it now, and future generations who have yet to walk upon it.

We pray to the Creator for strength and wisdom that all may continue to serve as stewards of the earth.





# Stouffville Boundary Study Public Information Session

## Agenda

TOPIC	PRESENTER
Welcome	Associate Director Pivato
Prayer	Superintendent Sawicky
Land Acknowledgement	Superintendent Chiutsi
Greetings	Chair Crowe and Director Scuglia
Introduction	Principal Walter (Blessed Chiara Badano)
Introduction	Principal Bruni (St Katharine Drexel)
Slide Presentation	
Social and Refreshments/Questions	
Adjournment	



# Bird's Eye View from North West Corner





# School & Near Neighbourhood Map





# School Design - Proposed Site Plan



- The design of the building includes separate entrances for the Child care centre, elementary school and secondary school
- Bell times for the elementary and secondary schools will be offset in order to
  - Alleviate the number of vehicles on site at any given time
  - Minimize interaction between elementary and secondary students



# Blessed Chiara Badano - Principal Walter





ES  
Class

# Blessed Chiara Badano - Principal Walter

- Fully Bilingual: French & English
- Principal of St. Mark CES (2018- current)
  - Dual Track School English and French Immersion
- Principal of St. Edward CES (2011-2018)
  - Transitioned school from Dual Track English and French Immersion to Single Track French Immersion
- Over 12 Years Administrator experience with YCDSB
- Business/Finance background



# ES Class Blessed Chiara Badano - Program Structure

- French Immersion only: Grade 1 to 6
  - Current Students: from St. Mark & St. Brendan
  - Future students: from all three Stouffville schools (St. Brigid, St. Brendan, St. Mark)
- Feed into St. Katharine Drexel High School



# ES Class Blessed Chiara Badano - Transition Planning

- Separate Celebrations for grade 6, grade 7 and grade 8 students to mark beginning of pioneer grades at St. Katharine Drexel
- Formation of a Transition Planning Committee

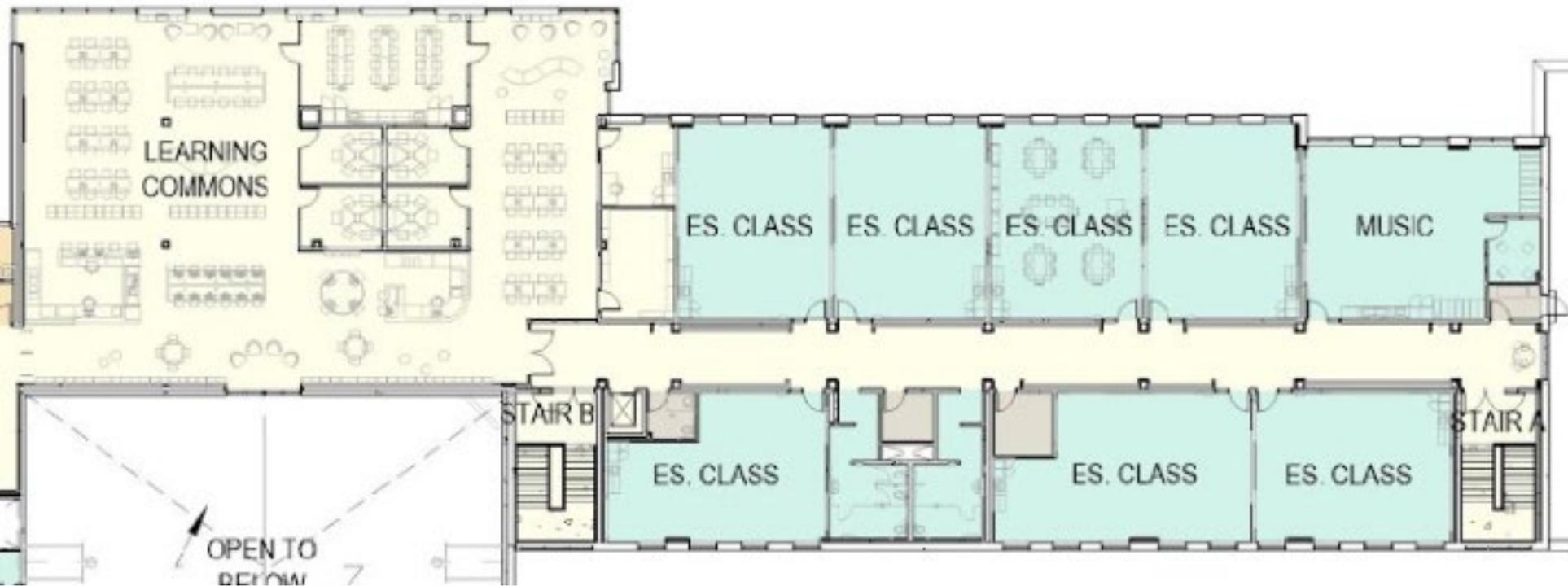


# Blessed Chiara Badano - First Floor





# Blessed Chiara Badano - Second Floor





# Collaborative Spaces - Chapel





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## *Current Construction Status*





# Collaborative Spaces - Library Learning Commons *Elementary Side*





# Collaborative Spaces - Library Learning Commons *Secondary Side*





# Collaborative Spaces - Library Learning Commons

## *Maker Spaces*





# St Katharine Drexel - Principal Bruni





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- Principal - OLL (September 2022)
  - French Immersion, Advanced Placement
  - Grade 7-12
- Principal - OLQWCA (2019-2022)
  - Advanced Placement, French Immersion, ESL
- Student Success Board Lead (2018-2019)
  - mB, PCTs, elearning, Experiential Learning
- Vice Principal- St Brother Andre, Sacred Heart (2014-2018)
  - Advanced Placement, French Immersion, ESL
- Teacher, St Augustine (2004-2014)
  - Sci Dept. Head, Science Teacher, Math Teacher

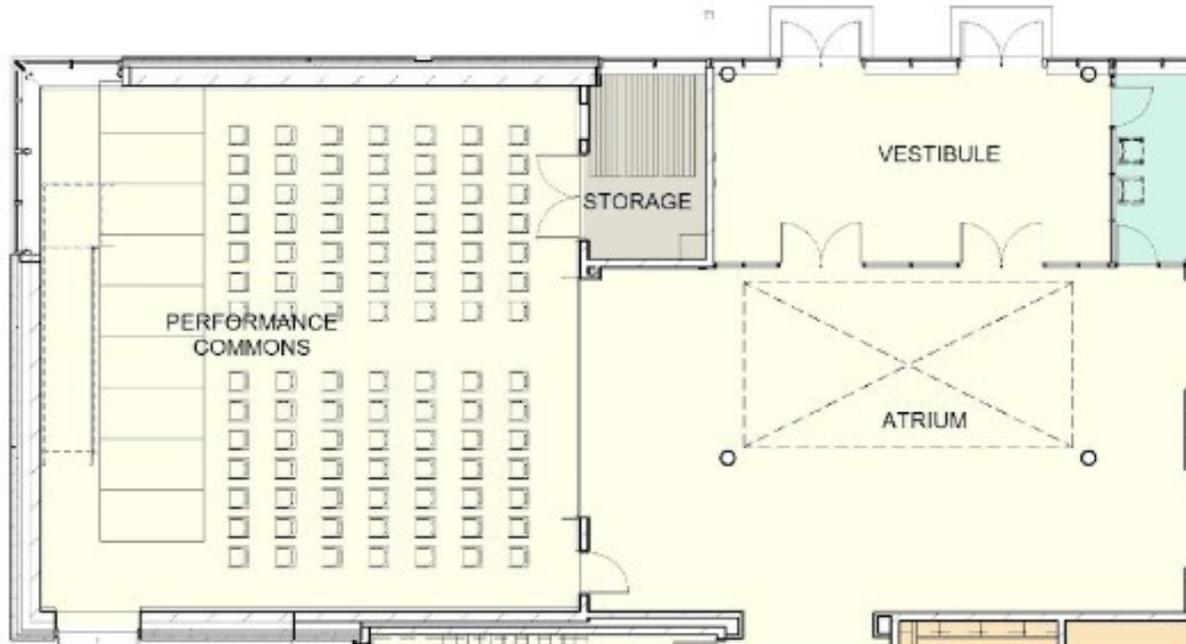


# St Katharine Drexel - Atrium and Main Entrance





# Performance Commons





# Cafeteria





# Site Development - Current Status

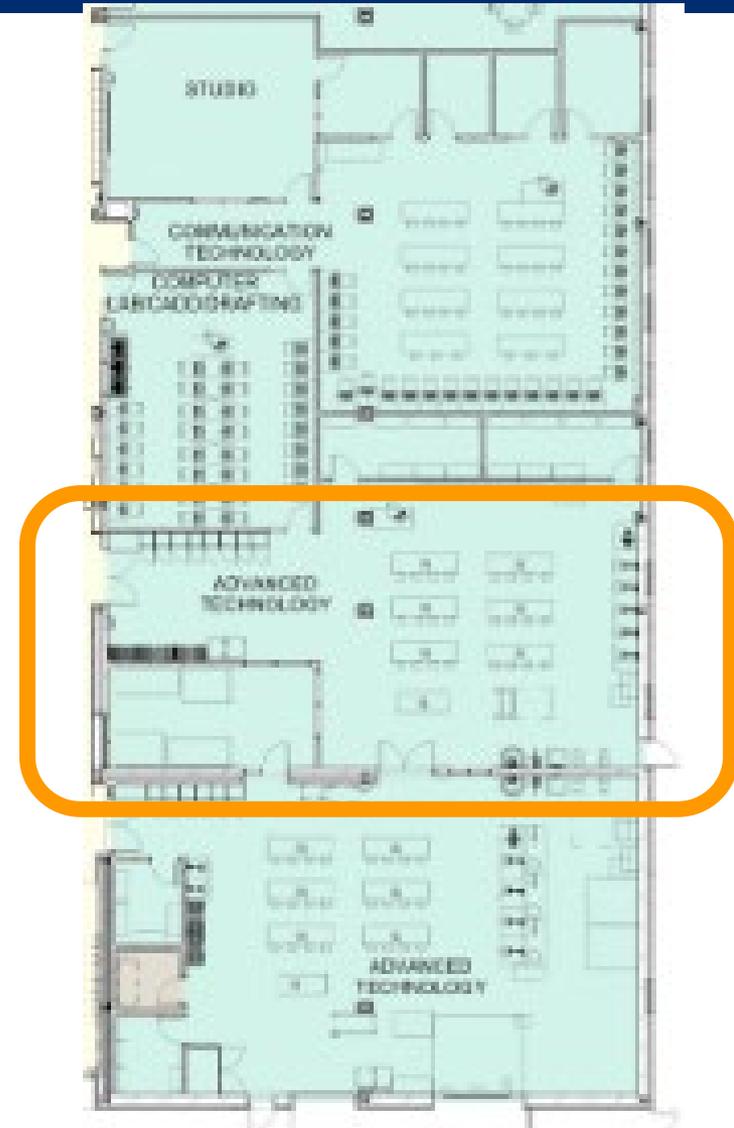
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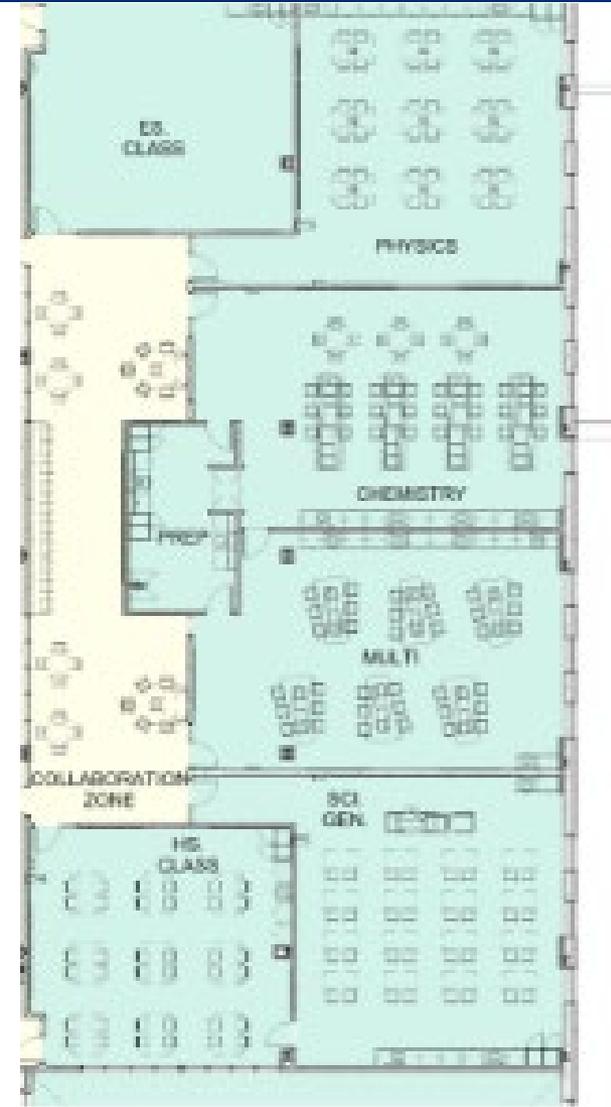


# Site Development - Current Status

## Technology Wing



# Science Wing





# Science Wing - Construction Thus Far





# St Katharine Drexel - Next Steps This Fall

- **Cornerstone Committee**
  - School uniform, mascot, etc
- **Parent Meeting**
  - Review of the Grade 7-12 model
  - Site visits for Grade 6-8 at all three schools to begin registration process in November.
- **Grade 9 Student Survey**
  - For those students entering Grade 9 in September 2022, a survey will be used to determine interest in remaining at St. Brother Andre or joining the St. Katharine Drexel community, Grade 10 onwards.



**THANK YOU**

