



In an effort to walk in the footsteps of Jesus and live the Catholic Social Teaching of “Dignity of the Human Person”, your grade 8s will be taking action this month.

Together with Autism Ontario, SMMS has registered for our “Celebrate the Spectrum School Giving Challenge”. Our grade 8 leaders will be leading by example and teaching our community about giving, inclusion and breaking down the stigma about autism. We have planned some exciting events aimed at showcasing everyone's unique strengths and differences. Let’s show everyone how accepting and amazing we are when we #celebratethespectrum and all the beauty of God’s children.

Below is a timetable of some activities planned for this month. Stay tuned to announcements for all the details:

## APRIL 2024

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>1</b> Easter Monday (No School)	<b>2</b> Class presentations begin (Activities included)  Miss Match Socks theme day  Foyer mural construction	<b>3</b> Kahoot class challenge begins  Primary storytime  Theme: Blue shirt day	<b>4</b> Kahoot class challenge continues...  Theme: Fun accessories day	<b>5</b> <b>#Celebratethespectrum</b> Ribbons and Fishy Crackers sold at lunch Kahoot challenge continues  Colourful shirt day
<b>8</b> Solar eclipse (Half Day)	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b> Commemorative handprint keepsake (\$10)	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>

We will be supporting a local initiative through the Shulli Organization and globally supporting Autism Ontario. All proceeds from each activity will be supporting the #celebratethespectrum. Stay tuned for more details. There will also be a unique fundraising link also being created to help make giving easier! The school that raises the most funds in the month of April will be showcased on the Autism Ontario website and have a chance to win a school-wide PIZZA LUNCH! Let’s do this SMM!