

## Blessed Archbishop Romero

## Catholic Secondary School

September 14, 2018

To whom it may concern,

Upon learning that I was moving to Blessed Archbishop Romero CSS near that end of the 2017-18 school year, I began communication with the outgoing principal Nancy Mancini and area superintendent Douglas Yack. I was informed that the Vatican had announced a date for the canonization of Oscar Romero for 14 October 2018. I immediately contacted several of the teachers at Romero who had already formed a committee to look at school crest redesign in anticipation of a new school name.

Ms Mancini informed me that conversations with staff indicated a fondness for the name St Oscar Romero CSS. Many of the staff saw this as an opportunity to rebrand the school and promote it in a different way as the namesake of this modern day Latin American saint. As previously mentioned, a committee, of approximately 8 teachers, was created which began looking at all aspects of the current crest and motto. We are excited about moving forward with a new name and look, but also staying true to Oscar Romero the man and his actions.

I am respectfully asking for permission for the school to change our name to St Oscar Romero CSS.

Sincerely,



Principal





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Last year at our final CSPC meeting of the year, conversation was had around the news from the Vatican indicating that Archbishop Romero was to be canonized on October 14, 2018. The principal at the time, Nancy Mancini, informed us that the staff was very much in favour of the school name changing from Blessed Archbishop Romero CSS to St. Oscar Romero CSS.

As a group of parents, we too, support the change in name to St Oscar Romero CSS to reflect this new title within the church.

Sincerely,

Sandra Darquea

**CSPC** Chair

