

AGENDA

Faith and Program Committee Meeting

Tuesday, October 8, 2024, 7:00P.M.

Blessed Trinity Catholic Learning Centre

Mission: Disciples of Christ, nurturing mind, body, and soul to the fullness of life.

Vision: Changing the world through Catholic education.

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Opening Prayer

Gracious and generous God,
Creator of the Earth, our common home.

Guide our steps as we journey together as pilgrims of hope this year.
Teach us to act now for the good of all future generations and creatures.

Fill us with gratitude for your abundant gifts of creation and
remind us to use these gifts wisely and to share them generously.

Strengthen us to be good stewards of this earthly home and
help us understand that care for creation is an act of discipleship.

Inspire us to live out your call to protect people and the planet,

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We ask this through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Land Acknowledgment
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With all that is happening around the world, we are especially conscious of the importance of

And for us, in terms of supporting our Indigenous communities, Reconciliation is about honouring the
Reconciliation and the Catholic Social Teaching of Subsidiarity ~~poetant~~ anchors for us as a people

Business Arising from
Faith and Program Committee Meeting
May 14, 2024

F 5	Extended Excursions Spring 2025	
Q 1	<p>Trustee Stefano Pascucci: There are different total costs for the combined trip of Our Lady of Mount Carmel Catholic Secondary School (CSS) and Robert F. Hall CSS. Why is that?</p>	<p>Information provided on May 17 in Issues and Events: It has been confirmed through the excursion leader and principals that the price per student to take part in the Yukon trip (Mount Carmel CSS, 20 students and RF Hall CSS, 20 students) will be \$3034.88.</p>
I	Questions Asked by Trustees	
Q 3	<p>Trustee Mario Pascucci: There are dedicated bike lanes being created in Mississauga. Has this affecting student transportation and safety?</p>	<p>The City of Mississauga is in the midst of a multi-year implementation of its Cycling Master Plan to ensure a safe, connected, convenient and comfortable cycling network for residents. This involves the installation of new cycling and multi-use trail infrastructure, such as dedicated bike lanes. In most cases, this infrastructure will be installed in coordination with road rehabilitation and major road construction projects.</p>

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Department	Timeline	Action Plan
		Mathematics To evaluate progress through analyzing survey and other data and adjust the plan accordingly.

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Faith and Program Committee Meeting
October 8, 2024
Multi-Year Strategic Plan Values: Excel, Respect, and Thrive

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Romans 8:31

BACKGROUND

In September 2023, the Ministry of Education (Ministry) launched the Mathematics Action Achievement Plan, a strategy to boost math confidence and competence. Provincial student math achievement priorities are focused on helping students improve math achievement as demonstrated through Education Quality and Accountability Office (EQAO) scores and preparing students for future success.

The Mathematics Action Achievement Plan includes:

- x One Board Math Lead to help improve math outcomes for students. Leads are responsible for curriculum implementation and standardized training and lead board-wide actions to meet targets.
- x Elementary and Secondary School Math Facilitators

- x Measurable Results: Improvements in Math Achievement
 - o Use and analyze various forms of data (report card data, EQAO, educator, student, and parent/guardian surveys, etc.).

DISCUSSION

This report highlights the findings from the Mathematics Achievement Action Plan and feedback from the Multi-Year Strategic Plan (MYSP). Efforts to bridge the insights from the focus groups and goals from the mathematics department include:

- { Ensure curriculum fidelity through the use of instructional and assessment practices with a proven track of enhancing student achievement: creating and distributing specific math lessons and problems of the week for Grade 3 and 6 classes that elevate connections to the core text.
- { Further knowing the learner by ensuring mathematical tasks, interventions and supports are relevant and responsive by providing examples of the usage of digital tools to support understanding and practice of key math concepts.
- { Build math content knowledge for teaching: engaging in ongoing learning to strengthen mathematics content knowledge for teaching by promoting attendance and review of Ministry workshops.

The program is leveraging a variety of resources to support educators in enhancing students' mathematics learning experiences.

Core Resources:

A variety of resources are readily available for educator and student use. Core resources outlined below are fully aligned to the [2020 elementary math curriculum](#) and [2021 Grade 9 MTH1W math curriculum](#), as applicable.

- x Nelson [Math 10](#) Core resource that supports

x [Mathematics Instructional Practices](#) (Grades 1 to 12) video series and subhubs of curated and team-created resources that focus on each of the identified nine high-impact instructional practices.

x [Mathematics Instructional Practices](#) for Grades 3 and 6 focused on alignment with core math resources.

x [Mathematics Instructional Practices](#): Application and Thinking Questions for Primary & Junior Divisions and Grade 9 classes

x [Mathematics Instructional Practices](#): Offers many resources to support all areas of mathematics curriculum K-12 and high-

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Celebrating the Jubilee Year
Multi-Year Strategic Plan Value: Believe, Excel, Respect, Thrive, and Trust

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(Romans 5:5)

BACKGROUND

Every 25 years, the Church calls its members to a year of Jubilee: a year to strengthen our faith in God, which outlines the goals of this special year. Especially at this moment in world history, hope feels more relevant and necessary than ever.

Jubilee Years have been a rich part of Catholic life since the year 1300, the first Jubilee was proclaimed by Pope Boniface VIII. Based on the ancient Jewish jubilee year described in Chapter 25 of the

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