

AGENDA

Faith and Program Committee Meeting

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

Boardroom, Catholic Education 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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March 4, 2025

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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.

With all that is happening around the world, we are especially conscious of the importance of reconciliation...

And for us, in terms of supporting our Indigenous communities, Reconciliation is about honouring the Dish With One Spoon Wampum, one of our most foundational Treaties... The Sacrament of Reconciliation and the Catholic Social Teaching of Subsidiarity are important anchors for us as a people of Jesus and are impor r A

Trustee Mario Pascucci joined the meeting at 7:02 p.m.

Moved by

THAT THE AGENDA BE APPROVED.

CARRIED

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THAT THE MINUTES OF THE FAITH AND PROGRAM COMMITTEE MEETING, MARCH 5, 2024, BE APPROVED.

CARRIED

- B. Awards and Presentations -
- C. Delegations -
- D. Updates/Information/Reports from Trustees for Receipt

Trustee Luz del Rosario passed the chair to Trustee Darryl D'Souza.

Trustee Luz del Rosario resumed the chair.

	Business Arising from Faith and Program Committee Meeting May 14, 2024
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F 5	Extended Excursions - Spring 2025	
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Q 1	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?	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.
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I	Questions Asked by Trustees	
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Q 3	Trustee Mario Pascucci: There are dedicated bike lanes being created in Mississauga. Has this effecting student transportation and safety?	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.
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Summary of Findings

Mathematics		

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 Ministry's Math Action Achievement Plan includes:

to help improve math outcomes for students. Leads are responsible for curriculum implementation and standardized training and leading board-wide actions to meet targets.

- Use and analyze various forms of data (report card data, EQAO, educator, student, and parent/guardian surveys, etc.).

This report highlights Dufferin Peel's response to the goals and priorities of the Ministry's Math Achievement Action Plan and feedback from 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.

Program is leveraging a variety of resources to support educators in enhancing students' mathematics learning experiences and responding to students' strengths and needs.

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.

– Core resource that supports

– Grades 1 to 12: Video series and sub-hubs of curated and team-created resources that focus on each of the Ministry's identified nine high-impact instructional practices.

for Grades 3 and 6; focused on alignment with core math resources.

: Application and Thinking Questions for Primary & Junior Divisions and Grade 9 classes.

: Offers many resources to support all areas of mathematics curricula K-12 and high-

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<i>Celebrating the Jubilee Year</i>
Multi-Year Strategic Plan Values: Believe, Excel, Respect, Thrive, and Trust

*"Hope does not disappoint."
(Romans 5:5)*

BACKGROUND

