



TORONTO CATHOLIC DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD

DELEGATION REGISTRATION FORM FOR STANDING OR OTHER COMMITTEES

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Delegation No. _____

Public Session
 Private Session
 Three (3) Minutes

Name	Cheryl Devine
Committee	Regular / Special Board
Date of Presentation	6/26/2018
Topic of Presentation	International Languages program at St. Brigid
Topic or Issue	We will give an update on comments from parents to the CSPC, regarding the upcoming changes to the delivery of the International Languages program
Details	We have heard a number of concerns from approximately 10% of the population of families at our school. Most surround the loss of 2 hours per week of instructional time to cover the Ministry mandated curriculum, in order to accomodate the Italian program at our school. While the feeling about Italian at our school has been overall positive in a longer day scenario, many of those who have commented to date have suggested that it is not worth sacrificing 2 hours of core curriculum time in order to accommodate it. Given the late notice of these changes we have NOT been able to do a whole school poll so do not have clear idea of the true balance of opinions on this matter. We HAVE voted to hold a community meeting to determine whether to ask the Board to go forward with a review of the Italian program at our school, but given the late date in this year we may try to look at doing this online before September.
Action Requested	We ask that if the vote at our school is to go forward with a review of Italian at our school, that the Board do this in an expedited manner, still allowing for a democratic process with all voices being heard. We also ask that the Board consider consulting on alternatives to the proposed delivery method, and that if a review can not be conducted by September, that the Board consider a temporary alternative to the proposed delivery (e.g. offer optionally at lunch)
I am here as a delegate to speak only on my own behalf	<input type="checkbox"/> {1} I am here as a delegation to speak only on my own behalf

Submittal Date	6/26/2018	
I am an official representative of the Catholic School Parent Committee (CSPC)	Yes St Brigid Co-Chair	
I am an official representative of student government		
I am here as a spokesperson for another group or organization		
I have read, understand and agree to comply with the rules for Delegations as per the TCDSB Delegations Policy T.14.	I Agree	