

APPENDIX B



ST. MATTHEW CATHOLIC SCHOOL ADVISORY COUNCIL (CSAC) MEETING

Special IL meeting Jan 20th 2020 6:30 pm ZOOM Meeting

Name	Member	Virtual Attendance
Jacqueline Puri	School Principal	Yes
Sampson Yeahers	Vice – Principal	Yes
Jessica Ferraz	Chair	Yes
Nivalda Sa	Vice – Chair	Yes
Jenny Sousa Coutinho/ Alexandra Batista Arciles	Co-Treasurer	Yes
Diego Olmedo / Brian Arruda	Co-Secretary	Yes
Michelangela Sauro	Teacher Rep	Yes
Suzanne	Parent	Yes
Daniel DiGorigio	School Trustee	Yes
Joe Bria	School Superintendent	Yes

Minutes /Motion

1.Opening Prayer & Land Acknowledgement Led by Ms.purri

Agenda : Ms.Purri

Attendance : Diego Olmedo

Purpose : To review the IL program in our school and see next steps if the parent community would like to make changes to the program.

Ms. Purri reviewed the board police and video.

67% percent of the vote need to be established to remove or maintain the program
Nivalda will review the survey with the group. We need to give feedback to each section of the questions

Also St. Matthew can't have or apply for a Saturday program. We only can have one per area. Currently at All Saints Catholic School.

We can start the process to remove the program with a letter to the principal stating that we have voted at this meeting in favour of this. The purpose is to make a request and the changes.

We discussed the pros and cons of the current program. General comments, there is no clarity, it contradicts the Ministry of Education guidelines. Missing items when the last survey was done. It was very one sided from the boards side on have beneficial the program.

How long is the time frame to review the program and impact of the final decision.
Survey will only go out to student up to grade 7. We need 67 % of the entire school body.
Family vote one per household.
51% of those who vote will be counted

No weekend program can be offered at the school.
We can look at private provider to run an afterschool program.

A survey needs to be created, needs to be transparent, needs to be clear, how the survey will be governed.

Parent council can host a meeting to share both side of the program.
Survey that will be sent out can be reviewed by Parent council
How this information will be shared. We need to reach out to Superintendent of IL and program manger.

Why there is no annual review or report of this program at the board level. NO curriculum data of students of achievement and well being.

Remove 51% of 67%

284 survey 70%

42 afterschool programs

9 Weekend programs

We need more clarity on how the programs are allocated in the school board

How is IL programs funded and need to see reports?

The affects for student's on IEP or ESL, where are the minutes taken away from regular day.

We can do a delegation to the school board and trustees

Motion was passed: To start the process of the survey by sending a letter to school administration.

To have Parent Council to put in writing to the principal regarding the survey.

Nivalda & Brian Motion Carries

Meeting adjournment 8:13 pm

“When parents are engaged and involved, everyone benefits, and our schools become increasingly rich and positive places to teach, learn and grow.” (Ontario Leadership Strategy, 2012)