



REPORT TO

GOVERNANCE AND POLICY COMMITTEE

SELECTION OF LEARNING MATERIALS POLICY S.M. 06

"let the wise also bear and gain in learning, and the discerning acquire skill.." Proverbs 1:5

Created, Draft	First Tabling	Review
May 25, 2021	June 1, 2021	Click here to enter a date.
Lori DiMarco, Superintendent, Curriculum Leadership & Innovation; Academic ICT		
RECOMMENDATION REPORT		

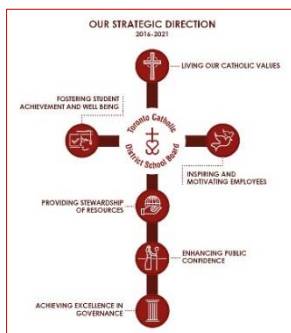
Vision:

At Toronto Catholic we transform the world through witness, faith, innovation and action.

Mission:

The Toronto Catholic District School Board is an inclusive learning community uniting home, parish and school and rooted in the love of Christ.

We educate students to grow in grace and knowledge to lead lives of faith, hope and charity.



Brendan Browne, PhD
Director of Education

D. Koenig
Associate Director
of Academic Affairs

D. Boyce
Associate Director of
Facilities, Business and
Community Development

A. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This report recommends updating the current Selecting Learning Materials Policy S.M.0 to conform to current practice and policies.

The cumulative staff time required to prepare this report was 8 hours.

B. PURPOSE

This Recommendation Report is on the Order Paper of the Governance and Policy Committee as it recommends policy revision.

C. BACKGROUND

1. The Selecting Learning Materials Policy S.M 06 was first approved in January 1976, and amended in January 1998, June 2006, November 2016.
2. Changes to this policy reflect current practice and alignment with related policies:
 - Purchasing Policy F.P.01
 - **The Trillium List**, Ontario Ministry of Education
 - **Guidelines for Approval of Textbooks**, 2008, Ontario Ministry of Education
 - **Education Act**, Regulation 298
 - **Copyright and Fair Dealing Policy A.15**

D. EVIDENCE/RESEARCH/ANALYSIS

This policy has been amended in consultation with staff from the following departments:

- Curriculum Leadership & Innovation
- Equity, Diversity & Indigenous
- Finance Department
- Technical Services
- Legal

E. METRICS AND ACCOUNTABILITY

1. Recommendations in this report will be monitored by the Curriculum Leadership & Innovation staff.

F. IMPLEMENTATION

The updated policy as approved will be posted on the TCDSB policy register.

G. STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that the revised SELECTION OF LEARNING MATERIALS POLICY S.M.06 provided in Report Appendix A, be adopted.