Student Achievement Plan (SAP) Priority Connection	Initiative Title	Audience	Description of Initiative	Preferred Timeline [Month and Day]	Panel	Number of Teachers Participating
Engagement & Wellbeing	Promoting Positive School Climates: Creating Caring and Inclusive Classrooms	Elementary Teachers	This multi-session professional learning is to create a shift in school culture where students are better able to regulate behaviour, have an increased sense of belonging, and experience greater academic success. Together we will work with a small cohort of lead teachers to build relationships over the school year, and to create spaces and opportunities for professional dialogue and feedback. Lead teachers will then have the opportunity to work with their principal to determine appropriate next steps.	November 5	Elementary	25
Engagement & Wellbeing	C-L.E.A.P. Initiative (Catholic Leaders Engaging in Active Play)	Elementary Teachers	This program is designed to promote positive school climate, reduce conflict at recess and develop leadership skills among junior and intermediate students.	November 6	Elementary	25
Engagement & Wellbeing	Threatening, Worrisome Behaviours and Interventions	All Staff	This professional learning introduces the topic of Threat Assessment and how this process relates to students who are presenting with threatening and worrisome behaviours.	November 7	Elem/Sec	25
Engagement & Wellbeing	Bullying Awareness, Prevention, Intervention & Supports	All Staff	This professional learning, rooted in our Catholic faith, emphasizes the dignity of all persons, the importance of addressing bullying behaviours, promoting healthy relationships, and nurturing inclusion in our school communities.	November 13	Elem/Sec	25
Engagement & Wellbeing	Resolution Conference and Mediation Circles (RCMC) Facilitator Training (Part 1)	All Staff	This professional learning promotes the use of restorative practices to effectively respond to and address incidents involving conflict among students.	November 14	Elem/Sec	25
Engagement & Wellbeing	Bullying Awareness and Prevention Launch (Secondary)	Secondary Teachers	Secondary Student Ambassador Symposium will be held in the fall of 2024 (during Bullying Awareness and Prevention Week). Highlights of this event will include emphasis on Gospel values, inclusion and presentations related to healthy relationships, positive school climate, and empathy.	November 19	Secondary	25

Engagement & Wellbeing	Bullying Awareness and Prevention Launch (Elementary)	Elementary Teachers	Elementary Student Ambassador Symposium will be held in the fall of 2024 (during Bullying Awareness and Prevention Week). Highlights of this event will include emphasis on Gospel values, inclusion and presentations related to healthy relationships, positive school climate, and empathy.	November 20	Elementary	25
Engagement & Wellbeing	Threat Assessment Part 1: Theory	All Staff	This professional learning increases participants' understanding of the threat assessment process that is designed to support students in crisis and to develop appropriate interventions and scaffolding that are culturally relevant and trauma informed.	November 21	Elem/Sec	25
Engagement & Wellbeing	Promoting Positive School Climates: Creating Caring and Inclusive Classrooms	Secondary Teachers	This multi-session professional learning is to create a shift in school culture where students are better able to regulate behaviour, have an increased sense of belonging, and experience greater academic success. Together we will work with a small cohort of lead teachers to build relationships over the school year, and to create spaces and opportunities for professional dialogue and feedback. Lead teachers will then have the opportunity to work with their principal to determine appropriate next steps.	November 26	Secondary	25
Engagement & Wellbeing	Brothers Empowering Success Together (B.E.S.T.) Project	All Staff (Junior & Intermediate)	The B.E.S.T. (Brothers Empowering Success Together) Project is a 10 week program aimed at helping boys aged 10-15 with various aspects of identity, self-esteem, developing healthy relationships and building resilience using the Ontario Catholic Graduate Expectations. The program is interactive and supportive, giving junior and intermediate male students the tools they need to navigate various aspects of their lives confidently and healthily. Addressing these needs involves a balance of providing support and fostering independence, helping male students develop the skills and confidence they need to navigate this critical stage of their lives.	December 4	Elem/Sec	25
Engagement & Wellbeing	Empathy: The Social Emotion	Elementary Teachers	This professional learning will address key concepts and strategies that reinforce empathic behaviour in students.	December 11	Elementary	25

Engagement & Wellbeing	Hub Day: Promoting Positive School Climate: Creating Caring and Inclusive Classrooms (Areas 1-4)	All Staff	This multi-session professional learning is to create a shift in school culture where students are better able to regulate behaviour, have an increased sense of belonging, and experience greater academic success. Together we will work with a small cohort of lead teachers to build relationships over the school year, and to create spaces and opportunities for professional dialogue and feedback. Lead teachers will then have the opportunity to work with their principal to determine appropriate next steps. This particular professional learning is an opportunity for Areas 1-4 lead teachers to gather, share promising practices, including successes and areas requiring continued growth.	January 9	Elem/Sec	25
Engagement & Wellbeing	Elementary and Secondary Students with Special Needs: Understanding and Responding to Behaviour	All Staff	This professional learning provides elementary and secondary educators with a foundational understanding of the motivations underlying student misbehaviour.	January 15	Elem/Sec	25
Engagement & Wellbeing	Hub Day: Promoting Positive School Climate: Creating Caring and Inclusive Classrooms (Areas 5-8)	All Staff	This multi-session professional learning is to create a shift in school culture where students are better able to regulate behaviour, have an increased sense of belonging, and experience greater academic success. Together we will work with a small cohort of lead teachers to build relationships over the school year, and to create spaces and opportunities for professional dialogue and feedback. Lead teachers will then have the opportunity to work with their principal to determine appropriate next steps. This particular professional learning is an opportunity for Areas 5-8 lead teachers to gather, share promising practices, including successes and areas requiring continued growth.	January 16	Elem/Sec	25
Engagement & Wellbeing	Tools to Support Self Regulation	All Staff	This professional learning explores the relationship between self-regulation and the brain. Additional areas of focus include tools to recognize implicit bias, the trauma-informed approach, and strategies to promote culturally sensitive environments.	January 23	Elem/Sec	25

Engagement & Wellbeing	Threat Assessment Part 1: Theory	All Staff	This professional learning increases participants' understanding of the threat assessment process that is designed to support students in crisis and to develop appropriate interventions and scaffolding that are culturally relevant and trauma informed.	February 4	Elem/Sec	25
Engagement & Wellbeing	Art as a Tool to Promote Focus and Calm	All Staff	This professional learning, developed for classroom teachers, uses the style of Neurographic art as a reflective activity to turn stress into calm. This practice will help students to develop skills to better self regulate, de-escalate and problem solve.	February 20	Elem/Sec	25
Engagement & Wellbeing	Tools and Resources for Teaching about Healthy Relationships and Mental Health Literacy	HPE Department Heads	This professional learning is a collaboration between Safe Schools, Health/Physical/Outdoor Education, Mental Health, Special Services Departments and is specifically designed for HPE department heads. Tools and resources that help students develop healthy relationships and experience overall well being will be discussed. The Kids in the Know resource will be a focus of this professional learning.	February 26	Secondary	25
Engagement & Wellbeing	Trauma: Impact and Interventions	All Staff	This professional learning provides an understanding of trauma in the lives of children. Areas of focus include (i) literature and research on trauma's effect on the brain and its impact on behaviour and learning; (ii) a trauma-informed lens with which to view emotionally dysregulated students; and (iii) practical classroom interventions and strategies.	February 27	Elem/Sec	25
Engagement & Wellbeing	Physical Activity to Promote Student Wellness	Elementary (Primary and Junior) All Staff	This professional learning focuses on a holistic system based on the principals of kinesiology and learning theory which helps students to increase self-responsibility and self-empowerment which leads to better decision-making skills that promote positive student behaviour.	March 5	Elementary	25
Engagement & Wellbeing	Resolution Conference and Mediation Circles (RCMC) Facilitator Training (Part 1)	All Staff	This professional learning promotes the use of restorative practices to effectively respond to and address incidents involving conflict among students.	March 6	Elem/Sec	25

Engagement & Wellbeing	Creating a Trauma Informed Classroom: Strategies and Supports	All Staff	This professional learning will review guiding principles on the topic of trauma and creating a trauma informed classroom. Participants will develop strageties and skills that can be used to create a culturally relevant, physically, and emotionally safe and caring learning environment.	March 27	Elem/Sec	25
Engagement & Wellbeing	Wrap Up: Promoting Positive School Climate: Creating Caring and Inclusive Classrooms	Elementary Teachers	This multi-session professional learning is to create a shift in school culture where students are better able to regulate behaviour, have an increased sense of belonging, and experience greater academic success. Together we will work with a small cohort of lead teachers to build relationships over the school year, and to create spaces and opportunities for professional dialogue and feedback. Lead teachers will then have the opportunity to work with their principal to determine appropriate next steps. This final culminating session will be an opportunity for lead teachers from all areas to gather, share successes and challenges experienced throughout the school year, and to discuss plans and initiatives for the new school year.	April 9	Elementary	25
Engagement & Wellbeing	Resolution Conference and Mediation Circles (RCMC) Coordinator Training (Part 2)	All Staff	Resolution Conference Mediation Circles can be used as a tool to address incidents that negatively impact the development of healthy relationships among students. A resolution circle can be implemented during or after the incident as a conciliatory response. The Resolution Conferencing and Mediation Circle process is rooted in principles of resiliency & strength-based theory which recognize the individual's ability to resolve their own disputes. Skills in resiliency are especially used during the reparation stage where circle participants are given the opportunity to offer ideas and suggestions related to the process of healing.	April 10	Elem/Sec	25

Engagement & Wellbeing	Wrap Up: Promoting Positive School Climate: Creating Caring and Inclusive Classrooms	Secondary Teachers	This multi-session professional learning is to create a shift in school culture where students are better able to regulate behaviour, have an increased sense of belonging, and experience greater academic success. Together we will work with a small cohort of lead teachers to build relationships over the school year, and to create spaces and opportunities for professional dialogue and feedback. Lead teachers will then have the opportunity to work with their principal to determine appropriate next steps. This final culminating session will be an opportunity for lead teachers from all areas to gather, share successes and challenges experienced throughout the school year, and to discuss plans and initiatives for the new school year.	April 16	Secondary	25
Engagement & Wellbeing	Threat Assessment Part 2: Practical	All Staff	Participants will gain practical knowledge of the threat assessment process (preliminary and full) and TCDSB Threat Asessment Procedural Guidelines by engaging in scenario based activities.	April 24	Elem/Sec	25
Engagement & Wellbeing	Spring Symposiums (Secondary)	Secondary Teachers	Secondary Student Ambassador Symposium will be held in the spring of 2025. This event will continue to focus on themes related to our Gospel values, inclusion, healthy relationships, positive school climate, and empathy.	April 29	Secondary	25
Engagement & Wellbeing	Spring Symposiums (Elementary)	Elementary Teachers	Elementary Student Ambassador Symposium will be held in the spring of 2025. This event will continue to focus on themes related to our Gospel values, inclusion, healthy relationships, positive school climate, and empathy. This will be a virtual session offered to all elementary schools. No codes are required.	April 30	Elementary	0
Engagement & Wellbeing	Just One You (J.O.Y.) Project Year End Celebration	All Staff	Schools who participate in the J.O.Y. Project will attend a year-end celebration to further enhance learning through various workshops and activities.	June 4	Elem/Sec	25
Engagement & Wellbeing	Brothers Empowering Success Together (B.E.S.T.) Project Year End Celebration	All Staff	Schools who participate in the B.E.S.T. Project will attend a year-end celebration to further enhance learning through various workshops and activities.	June 10	Elem/Sec	25