



Toronto Catholic District School Board



Appendix A:

TCDSB Considering Introduction of Multi-Language Catholic Elementary School in North Scarborough for September 2015 or September 2016: Parent/Guardian Survey

Summary of Results

- 258 members of the public responded to the survey, living in a wide geographical area.

Geographic Area	Percentage	Count
North York	26.8%	68
Scarborough	30.7%	78
East York	2.4%	6
Toronto	16.1%	41
Etobicoke	13.8%	35
Markham	2.0%	5
Pickering	0.8%	2
Other:	7.5%	19
Total Responses	100%	254
No Response		4

- Other geographic areas included: Vaughan, York, Whitby, Oakville, Woodbridge, Ottawa, Milton, British Columbia, Thornhill, Richmond Hill, and Mississauga.
- Of the 258 members of the public who completed the survey, 216 indicated that they are interested in enrolling their child/children in a Multi-Language Catholic Elementary school. (For this group of respondents, there are 94 children who would be of age to attend Junior or Senior Kindergarten in September 2015, and 83 children who would be of age to attend Junior or Senior Kindergarten in 2016 – see the table below. Ten of these members of the public did not indicate if they have any children, and 15 live outside of Toronto.)

- However, only 154 parents indicated that they would want to enroll their child in a Multi-Language Catholic Elementary school, even if there are no plans to offer transportation for students enrolled in this school. (For this group of parents, there are 69 children who would be of age to attend Junior or Senior Kindergarten in September 2015, and 72 children who would be of age to attend Junior or Senior Kindergarten in 2016 – see the table below. Many of these parents who expressed interest in this program have children in Grades 1 to Grade 8 – 30 children in Grades 1-8 in September 2015.)

- The following table summarizes the number of children of Kindergarten age, whose parents indicated that they would enroll their child in a Multi-Language Catholic Elementary school.

Year	Number of Children: Parents Expressed Interest	
	Four Years Old	Five Years Old
September 2015	56	38
September 2016	27	56

- The following table summarizes the number of children of Kindergarten age, whose parents indicated that they would want to enroll their child in a Multi-Language Catholic Elementary school, even if there are no plans to offer transportation for students enrolled in this school.

Year	Number of Children: Parents Expressed Interest	
	Four Years Old	Five Years Old
September 2015	47	22
September 2016	25	47

- Not all parents indicated the school their children attend or will attend. Of those who did indicate their child’s present or future school, approximately 2/3 named a TCDSB school; approximately 1/3 named a TDSB school, private school, or a school out of Toronto.