



REPORT TO

REGULAR BOARD

FINAL REPORT ON THE RESULTS OF THE CONSULTATION PROCESS ON THE DRAFT PARENT AND DRAFT STUDENT CHARTER OF RIGHTS

So Peter opened his mouth and said: "Truly I understand that God shows no partiality," Acts 10:34

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INFORMATION 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.

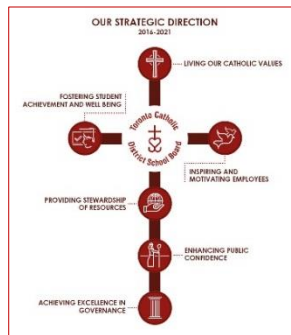
We educate students to grow in grace and knowledge to lead lives of faith, hope and charity.

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A. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The results of a broad-based consultation on the Draft Parent and Draft Student Charter of Rights were presented in a report to Board tabled May 18, 2017. Following the consultation process, the original Ad Hoc Parent Committee responsible for the creation of the Draft Parent and Draft Student Charter of Rights was reconvened in order to consider the results of the consultation. A further review of the Draft Student Charter of Rights was conducted by a student focus group.

This report presents the final version of the Parent Chart of Rights and Student Charter of Rights.

The cumulative staff time required for the preparation of this report was 12 hours

B. PURPOSE

1. To present the final version of the Parent Charter of Rights and Student Charter of Rights.

C. BACKGROUND

1. The original Ad Hoc Parent Committee met on Tuesday, May 23, 2017 and Thursday, June 1, 2017 to review stakeholder input and consider revisions to the Parent Charter of Rights and Student Charter of Rights.
2. The committee discussed the stakeholder-suggested edits to each item on the Draft Parent and Draft Student Charter of Rights.
3. A focus group of students was assembled to ensure that the student voice was represented in the editorial process.
4. The student-focus group met on Tuesday, June 6, 2017 and Thursday, June 8, 2017.

D. EVIDENCE/RESEARCH/ANALYSIS

1. In considering stakeholder input, discussion focused on the clarity and intent of each charter item.
2. The committee was sensitive to the fact that Parent and Student Charter of Rights exist in a broader context and are subject to such reasonable limits as prescribed by law and Toronto Catholic District School Board Policies and are subject to the financial resources provided by the Ministry of Education in Ontario.
3. The committee created a final edited version of the Student and Parent Charter of Rights for legal review.
4. Similarly, the student focus group prepared a final version of the Student Charter of Rights for legal review.
5. The TCDSB Legal department reviewed the final edited versions of the Parent and Student Charter of Rights and made necessary revisions.
6. The final version of the Parent Charter of Rights is presented in **Appendix A**.
7. The final version of the Student Charter of Rights is presented in **Appendix B**.

E. CONCLUDING STATEMENT

This report is for the consideration of the Board.