



POLICY STATEMENT

STUDENT TRUSTEES

Rationale

It is the intention of the Board of Trustees that direct student involvement and governance be facilitated through the presence of Student Trustees on the Board.

Guiding Principles

- The Algonquin and Lakeshore Catholic Districts School Board has established three (3) positions for Student Trustees who will be the representatives of the student population of the system.
- One Student Trustee will represent the Western Constituency of the Board, representing St. Paul Catholic Secondary School, St. Theresa Catholic Secondary School, and Nicholson Catholic College, as well as their elementary family of schools. One Student Trustee will represent the Eastern constituency of the Board, representing Regiopolis-Notre Dame Catholic High School and Holy Cross Catholic Secondary School, as well as their elementary family of schools. One Student Trustee will represent Indigenous students in the Board, secondary and elementary.
- A Secondary School Senate with representation from each of the system's secondary schools will be established and that Senate, co-chaired by the Student Trustees, will serve to advise and support the Student Trustees in their work.
- The role and mandate of the Student Trustees will be governed by the appropriate provincial legislation and Board Administrative Procedures.

References

The Education Act

Regulation 07/07 – Student Trustees

Administrative Procedures
Student Trustees

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