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ST. CLAIR CATHOLIC STUDENTS SHOW GAINS IN ONTARIO SECONDARY SCHOOL LITERACY TEST RESULTS

Students at St. Clair Catholic's three high schools have made gains in the 2012 Ontario Secondary School Literacy Test (OSSLT) results, which have been released by the Ontario Education Quality and Accountability Office (EQAO).

"Scores were up at all three of our Catholic high schools," says Paul Wubben, Director of Education. "Our results continue to be strong with our five year average showing improvement over time."

"EQAO data is just one indicator of student success. It, along with other data, tells us that St. Clair Catholic student scores are among the top one third in the province," says Mr. Wubben.

The assessments were completed in March 2012, with St. Clair Catholic students scoring above the provincial average in both the first time eligible and previously eligible categories.

The following charts summarize the results for students who participated in the OSSLT in March 2012.

First Time Eligible

	St. Clair Catholic	Province
March 2012	87%	82%

Previously Eligible

	St. Clair Catholic	Province
March		
2012	65%	48%

More results are available by visiting the EQAO website at www.eqao.com