

Policy & Procedures POLICY Sec. A: Governance

## **Student Trustee on the Board**

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## **Policy Statement**

The St. Clair Catholic District School Board recognizes the benefit of a formal process to include student voice in the governance of Catholic education. The board further recognizes the benefit of facilitating valuable experience in the democratic process and a deeper understanding of the vision of Catholic education for its student leaders. The purpose of this policy is to establish the role of the student trustee.

## **Policy Goals**

- 1. The student trustee will speak from the perspective of a student in a Catholic secondary school.
- 2. The student will ensure that views expressed support the mission and vision of the St. Clair Catholic District School Board.
- 3. The student will be elected to represent the interests of the students from each Catholic secondary school.
- 4. The student trustee may express a viewpoint on matters discussed at a board meeting.