

St. Clair Catholic District School Board Rural and Northern Education Fund (RNEF) Expenditure Report 2021-2022

As part of its plan to strengthen rural and northern education, the Ministry of Education announced on June 28, 2017 (Memo 2017: B09) a Rural and Northern Education supplement of \$20 million as an enhancement to the Grants for Student Needs (GSN). The funding will allow school boards to further improve education for students in rural communities. Each board must report publicly on how these funds will be used as well as which schools are recipients of RNEF support.

St. Clair Catholic District School Board received \$254,865 in year allocation for 2021-22 and had unspent funds from the prior year of \$182,148. The total spend for 2021-22 was \$396,454. Funding was spent on improving programming and support services in rural schools.

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2021-22

Opening Balance	\$	182,148
In-year Contributions		253,553
Total Funding		435,701

Supports Provided

Staffing Support		225,475
Late Bus Transportation		77,015
Outdoor Learning		39,089
Technology and Supplies		32,382
Summer Learning		22,493
		396,454

Balance (Carry Forward to 2022-23)	\$	39,247
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Recipient Schools of RNEF Support

Ursuline College Chatham
 St. Patrick's High School
 Good Shephard
 Holy Rosary
 St. Anne, Blenheim
 St. Joseph, Tilbury
 St. Michael, Bright's Grove
 St. Michael, Ridgetown