Board Improvement Plan for Student Achievement and Well-being 2021-2022 (BIPSAW)

Vision

We imagine a world where all are empowered to reach theirfull potential through faith and service

Mission

The ALCDSB builds faith-filled learning communities where each member is loved, inspired, and successful

Values

• Our Catholic faith and the joy that comes from livingChrist-centered lives

- Responsibility and Stewardship
 - Equity and Well-being
- Individual Success and Accomplishment



	Discipleship (Faith)	Scholarship (Achievement)	Stewardship (Equity)
Strategic Directions	 Build intentional Catholic environments that express the richness of our faith. Support the seamless integration of the Catholic faith into all system priorities. 	 Ensure optimal academic achievement for all where students are at the centre of faith-filled teaching and learning. Empower students' capacity to lead their own learning, in order to embrace their God-given talents. 	 Promote a culture of Equity within ALCDSB. Create conditions that support the spiritual, intellectual, emotional, and physical well-being of all members of the ALCDSB community.
Goals	 Build capacity to ensure that all schools reflect our Catholic beliefs. Nurture the relationship between the home, school, and parish through pastoral planning at both the school and system level. Implement and support the annual Board pastoral themes to celebrate and express our Catholic faith. Build staff capacity to fulfill the dual mandate of Catholic education. Support and create opportunities to apply the principles of Catholic Social Teaching and respond to the needs of our local and global communities. 	 Increase student confidence and proficiency in literacy (including second language learning) and numeracy. Accompany students along their journey to becoming expert learners through the consistent practice of student-centered pedagogy. Provide students with equitable, frequent access to authentic and meaningful experiential learning as well as education and career/life planning opportunities. 	 Provide equitable access to learning opportunities that honour the unique and diverse needs of all students. All ALCDSB spaces will reflect our commitment to belonging, safety, and human growth and development.
Action	 All learning environments, school communities and board sites will intentionally reflect our Catholicity. The annual pastoral theme "Beloved Children of God" is implemented at all sites across the system. All staff are supported in their capacity to fulfill the dual mandate of Catholic education. 	 An inquiry stance will be taken in all professional development, system level planning, classroom supports and pedagogical delivery. Student-centred learning strategies will support student achievement in literacy and numeracy K-12. 	 Year 1 of the Board Equity Plan will be implemented. The 2021-22 Mental Health and Addiction Action Plan will be implemented.

 All learning environments, school communities and board sites look and sound Catholic as evidenced by visual and audio indicators. The annual pastoral theme is evidenced in all learning environments and system activities. Staff are supported in their capacity to fulfill the dual mandate of Catholic Education using RFLE programs and resources. 	 EQAO performance data at grades 3, 6, 9 and OSSLT in 2021-22 compared against most recent data (2019) supported by the ALCDSB EQAO plan. All Primary Division educators are implementing phonics and phonemic awareness based on our Reaching Every Reader Literacy Strategy. Increase in the use of inquiry-based approaches in classrooms and for professional development. 	 All schools have equity and well-being goals identified in their SIPSAW. Through MDI and COMPASS survey data, students report an increase in connection and belonging to their school communities. School Leaders are engaged in on-going Equity work in 2021-22 and can articulate their learning in pre- and post-survey data.
 Pre- and post-audits of all ALCDSB Catholic Learning Communities and Board sites. Use of Annual Pastoral theme and resources in meetings, professional development, liturgies, schools and social media. RFLE professional development, resource usage and surveys of staff to gauge utility of resources and identify required supports. 	 Implementation of the System EQAO plan evidenced in each schools' SIPSAW. Compare and contrast progress of Phonological Awareness and Phonemic Awareness assessment data across the system. Educator Participation in professional development that supports student-centred learning. 	 SIPSAW submission in October 2021 and update in February 2022. MDI and COMPASS surveys are completed in spring of 2022. Superintendent school visits and pre- and post-surveys of school administrator and school equity team engagement in equity learning.