



# ALGONQUIN AND LAKESHORE CATHOLIC DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD

## POLICY STATEMENT

### MULTI-YEAR STRATEGIC PLAN (MYSP)

#### Rationale

School boards plan strategically for the educational, financial, and operational performance of the school system. This involves setting broad strategic directions that reflect the community's expectations for high standards of student achievement and a focus on student well being. The Board's multi-year plan, which is a legislated requirement, breaks down the strategic directions into year-by-year goals, is widely reported, reviewed annually, and supported through the budget-setting process to ensure resources are appropriately allocated to align with the plan.

#### Guiding Principles

- The Multi-Year Strategic Plan (MYSP) will be developed to support the unique mission of the Algonquin and Lakeshore Catholic District School Board and the Catholic character and culture of its students, staff and community.
- The MYSP will be developed and monitored, and supported through the budget process.
- The MYSP and its annual year by year goals is the responsibility of the Board of Trustees, in partnership with the Director of Education and community.
- The MYSP will be available to the public via the Board website and will address spiritual growth and development of students and staff; student achievement and well being; effective stewardship of Board resources; and the delivery of effective and appropriate educational programs.
- The Director of Education is responsible for implementing the MYSP and for developing the plan to implement the strategic directions.
- The Director of Education is required to review the MYSP with the Board each year and recommend annual adjustments in the implementation action, and the resources to support these actions.

#### References

*The Algonquin and Lakeshore Catholic District School Board Mission Statement*  
*The Education Act and Regulations*  
*Good Governance: A Guide for Trustees, School Boards, Directors of Education and Communities*

**Administrative Procedures**

**Multi-Year Strategic Plan (MYSP)**

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