

Resources for Leadership in Catholic Education

Catholic Church Documents

- **General Directory for Catechesis** (Congregation for the Clergy, 1997) at:
http://www.vatican.va/roman_curia/congregations/ccclergy/documents/rc_con_ccatheduc_doc_17041998_directory-for-catechesis_en.html
- **The Catholic School at the Threshold of the Third Millennium** (Sacred Congregation for Catholic Education, 1997) at:
http://www.vatican.va/roman_curia/congregations/ccatheduc/documents/rc_con_ccatheduc_doc_27041998_school2000_en.html
- **Catechism of the Catholic Church** (1992)at:
http://www.vatican.va/archive/catechism/ccc_toc.htm
- **The Religious Dimension of Education in a Catholic School. Guidelines for Reflection and Renewal** (Sacred Congregation for Catholic Education, 1988) at:
http://www.vatican.va/roman_curia/congregations/ccatheduc/documents/rc_con_ccatheduc_doc_19880407_catholic-school_en.html
- **The Catholic School** (Sacred Congregation for Catholic Education, 1988) at:
http://www.vatican.va/roman_curia/congregations/ccatheduc/documents/rc_con_ccatheduc_doc_19770319_catholic-school_en.html
- **Lay Catholics in Schools: Witnesses to Faith** (Sacred Congregation for Catholic Education, 1982) at:
http://www.vatican.va/roman_curia/congregations/ccatheduc/documents/rc_con_ccatheduc_doc_19821015_lay-catholics_en.html
- **Educational Guidance in Human Love. Outlines for Sex Education** (Sacred Congregation for Catholic Education, 1983) at:
http://www.vatican.va/roman_curia/congregations/ccatheduc/documents/rc_con_ccatheduc_doc_19831101_sexual-education_en.html
- **Apostolic Exhortation *Catechesi Tradendae*** (Pope John Paul II, 1979) at:
http://www.vatican.va/holy_father/john_paul_ii/apost_exhortations/documents/hf_jp-ii_exh_16101979_catechesi-tradendae_en.html
- **Gravissimum Educationis** (Vatican II's *Declaration on Christian Education*, 1965) at:
http://www.vatican.va/archive/hist_councils/ii_vatican_council/documents/vat-ii_decl_19651028_gravissimum-educationis_en.html
- **Catholic Association of Religious and Family Life Educators of Ontario (CARFLEO) links to additional Church documents** at:
<http://www.ycdsb.edu.on.ca/schools/crec/catholiceducation.htm>

Ontario Conference of Catholic Bishops (OCCB)

- **Pastoral Guidelines to Assist Students of Same-Sex Attraction** (2005)
(Available from [Institute for Catholic Education](#))
- **Statement on Sexual Morality** (OCCB, 1999) at:
<http://www.occb.on.ca/english/SexualMorality.html>
- **By Way of the Family** (Program Guide and Video –Available from OCCB)
- **Intimacy and Sexuality. A Letter to Catholic Secondary Students in Ontario.** (1994) at: <http://www.occb.on.ca/english/intimacy.html>
- **Celebrating an Education for Justice and Peace.** (OCCB, 1996) at:
<http://www.occb.on.ca/english/celebrating.html>
- **Intimacy and Sexuality. A Letter to Catholic Secondary Students in Ontario from the Roman Catholic Bishops of Ontario.** (OCCB, 1994) at:
<http://www.occb.on.ca/english/intimacy.html>
- **Fulfilling the Promise: The Challenge of Leadership** (OCCB, 1993)
<http://www.occb.on.ca/english/fulfilling.html>

- ***This Moment of Promise*** (OCCB, 1989) at:
<http://www.occb.on.ca/english/promise.html>

Foundational Documents from Institute for Catholic Education (ICE)

- ***Let's Consolidate*** a comprehensive list of Catholic Education resources developed by various partners in Ontario Catholic Education (ICE, 2003) at: http://www.eoccc.org/Let_sConsolidate.pdf
- ***Ontario Catholic School Graduate Expectations; A Visual Journey*** CD Resource (ICE, 2002)
- ***Journey Activities for Elementary Students in Catholic Schools*** (ICE, 2002) at:
http://www.tcdsb.org/ice/elementary_documents/journey_activities.pdf
- ***Ongoing Adult Faith Formation: The Key to Educating the Soul*** (ICE, 2000) at:
<http://www.tcdsb.org/ice/documents/adult%20faith.PDF>
- ***Assessment, Evaluation and Reporting in Elementary Religious Education and Family Life Education. A Discussion Paper Developed by the Institute for Catholic Education*** (ICE, 2000) (Available from ICE)
- ***AIDS: A Catholic Educational Approach to HIV - Ontario Catholic Schools Second Edition*** (ICE, 1999) (available from ICE)
- ***Ontario Catholic Secondary Curriculum Policy Document - Religious Education*** (ICE, 1999) (available from ICE)
- ***Ontario Catholic School Graduate Expectations (ICE CGEs)*** (ICE, 1999) at: http://www.tcdsb.org/ice/Graduate_Expectations.html
- ***Catholic Education in the Separate School System of Ontario*** (Blishen Report) (1990)
- ***ICE's Design-Down Model for Catholic Curriculum*** at:
<http://www.tcdsb.org/ice/foundation.html>
- ***Educating the Soul Writing Curriculum for Catholic Secondary Schools*** (ICE, 1998) at: http://www.tcdsb.org/ice/educating_the_soul.html
- ***Ontario Catholic Education and the Corporate Sector*** (ICE, 1997)
- ***Curriculum Matters - A Resource for Catholic Educators*** (ICE, 1996)
- ***Writing Curriculum for Catholic Schools - A Framework*** (ICE, 1996)

Canadian Catholic Schools' Trustees Association

- ***Build Bethlehem Everywhere. A Statement on Catholic Education*** (2002, CCSTA) see <http://www.ccsta.ca/pubs.htm>
-see CCSTA website for additional resources and documents from across Canada
- ***Catholic Schools Across Canada –Into the New Millennium*** John J. Flynn, ed. Canadian Catholic School Directors' Association, 2004 See [CCSTA website](#) for details
- ***Trial: The Loss of Educational Constitutional Rights in Newfoundland and Labrador. The Roman Catholic Story.*** By Bonaventure Fagan. (ADDA Press) See [CCSTA website](#) for details
- ***Statement on Rights of the Catholic Child.*** (CCSTA Education Committee, 1994) at: <http://www.ccsta.ca/source/documents/RightsOfCatholicChildren.doc>
- ***The Catholic Meaning of Evangelisation: Ever Old, Always New*** (CCSTA Education Committee, 1994) at:
<http://www.ccsta.ca/source/documents/MeaningOfEvangelisation.doc>

Ontario Catholic Schools' Trustees Association (OCSTA)

- ***The Enduring Gift: Catholic Education in the Province of Ontario*** by Dr. Mark McGowan (OCSOA/OCSTA, 2002), Video/DVD Dist. by <http://www.noccc.on.ca/product.htm>
- ***Our Catholic Schools. A Report on Ontario's Catholic Schools & Their Future*** (OCSTA, 2000) at: http://www.ocsta.on.ca/pdf/final_report.pdf
- ***Witnesses to Faith. The Expectations of Catholic School Board Trustees and Educators*** (OCSTA, 2000)

- ***A Promise Fulfilled. Highlights in the Political History of Catholic Separate Schools in Ontario.*** by Michael Power (OCSTA, 2002)
- ***Faith Reference Portfolio for Beginning Teachers: An Integral Aspect of the Hiring Process of Many Catholic School Boards Of Ontario.*** (OCSTA in Partnership with OCCB, 2000)
- ***Priest Reference Form for Beginning Teachers: An Integral Aspect of the Hiring Process of Many Catholic School Boards of Ontario.*** (OCSTA in Partnership with OCCB, 2000)

Other Ontario Resources/Documents

- ***ICE Symposium on Catholic Education in Ontario Resource Booklet*** (ICE, 2002)
- **Bishop Grecco's Presentation on Catholic Education at 2002 ICE Symposium on Catholic Education** at:
<http://www.ycdsb.edu.on.ca/schools/crec/Catholic%20Education/Bishop%20Grecco%20Symposium.htm>
- ***Msgr. Dennis Murphy's yearly articles on Catholic Education*** (Published by [Catholic Register](#)):
 - ***Catholic Education at the Crossroads*** (2001) at:
<http://www.ycdsb.edu.on.ca/schools/crec/Catholic%20Education/CATHOLIC%20EDUCATION%20AT%20THE%20CROSSROADS.htm>
 - ***Catholic Schools: The Next Challenge*** (2002) at:
<http://www.ycdsb.edu.on.ca/schools/crec/Catholic%20Education/Catholic%20schools.htm>
 - ***Called to Teach*** (2003) (Available from the [Catholic Register](#))
 - ***Unity in Our Schools*** (2004) (Available from the [Catholic Register](#))
 - ***Spirituality of Catholic Education*** (2005) (Available from the [Catholic Register](#))

Msgr. Dennis Murphy's yearly articles on Catholic Education

(Published by Catholic Register):

1. ***Catholic Education at the Crossroads*** (2001) at:
<http://www.ycdsb.edu.on.ca/schools/crec/Catholic%20Education/CATHOLIC%20EDUCATION%20AT%20THE%20CROSSROADS.htm>
2. ***Catholic Schools: The Next Challenge*** (2002) at:
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3. ***Called to Teach*** (2003) (Available for purchase from the Catholic Register)
4. ***Unity in Our Schools*** (2004) (Available for purchase from the Catholic Register)
5. ***Spirituality of Catholic Education*** (2005) (Available for purchase from the Catholic Register)

Family Life Education

- ***Statement on Sexual Morality*** (OCCB, 1999) at:
<http://www.occb.on.ca/english/SexualMorality.html>
- ***By Way of the Family*** (OCCB, 1994) Program Guide and Video –Available from OCCB
- ***Intimacy and Sexuality. A Letter to Catholic Secondary Students in Ontario.*** (OCCB, 1994) at: <http://www.occb.on.ca/english/intimacy.html>
- ***Fully Alive Introductory Information for Families*** (OCCB website) at:
<http://www.occb.on.ca/english/FullyAliveParents.pdf>
- ***Fully Alive*** teacher manuals *Introduction* by Most Rev. Marcel Gervis, Archbishop of Ottawa
- **Dr. Sylvia Santin's history of the development of the *Fully Alive* Program** in Curriculum Support for Catholic Schools CD under *Catholic Theme: Intimacy and Sexuality* (available online from [CARFLEO](#) link to site)
- **Pearson Education Canada *Fully Alive* Text ordering information** at:
http://cf.pearsoned.ca/school/index.cfm?type=series&series_letter=F&series_ID=102366

Additional Websites and Online Resources

- **Catholic Association for Religious and Family Life Educators of Ontario (CARFLEO)** at: www.carfleo.org Many of the above documents can be found at the CARFLEO website's links to Catholic educational documents at:
<http://www.ycdsb.edu.on.ca/schools/crec/catholiceducation.htm>
- **Canadian Catholic School Trustees' Association (CCSTA)** Links at:
<http://www.ccsta.ca/links.htm>
- **EOCCC** www.eoccc.org
 - **Curriculum Support for Catholic Schools CD** (available for purchase from [EOCCC](http://www.eoccc.org))
 - **Catholic course profiles & units, curriculum resources**
 - **Links to Ontario's other two Catholic curriculum Cooperatives.** (NOCCC, CCC)
- **Catholic Schools: Permeated by Faith** (Alberta Catholic Schools' Trustees' Association)
http://www.saskschools.ca/curr_content/catholicpd/articles/permeated.pdf#search='permeated%20by%20faith%20acsta
- **Toronto Catholic School Board Religious Education Department's Report Card Comments and Combined Grades Outlines for Religious Education** at:
<http://www.tcdsb.org/religionfamilylife/>
- **Combined Grades Summaries for Teaching Elementary Religious Education** From Algonquin and Lakeshore Catholic District School Board at:
<http://www.alcdsb.on.ca/staff/index.php?param=../academic/services/religion/classroom/combine>
- **Vancouver Synod Study Paper on Teaching the Faith** at:
http://www.rcav.org/synod/Teaching/study_paper.htm a helpful version with photos and graphics also available at: <http://catholiceducation.org/articles/education/ed0137.html>

Additional Print Resources

- **Catholic Education: Ensuring a Future** by Rev. James Mulligan (Novalis, 2005)
- **Catholic Education the Future is Now** by Rev. James Mulligan (Novalis, 1999)
- **Educating for Life. A Spiritual Vision for Every Teacher and Parent** by Thomas Groome (Thomas More, 1998)
- **Formation for Evangelization** by Rev. James Mulligan (Novalis, 1994)
- **The Philosophy of Catholic Education.** Caroline DiGiovanni, ed. (Novalis, 1992)
- **Evangelization and the Catholic High School** by Rev. James Mulligan (Novalis, 1990)
- **The Courage to Teach. Exploring the Inner Landscape of a Teacher's Life** by Parker Palmer (Jossey-Bass, 1998) This isn't a Catholic book per se, but helpful nonetheless