



Niagara Catholic District School Board

## **ATTENDANCE AREA POLICY**

STATEMENT OF GOVERNANCE POLICY

300 – Schools/Students

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In keeping with the Mission, Vision and Values of the Niagara Catholic District School Board, the Board recognizes its responsibility to operate its schools economically and efficiently, while taking into account the best education of students, within the limits of the Board's available resources.

The Board will establish Attendance Areas for each of its schools within its jurisdiction to ensure that facilities are used effectively and that Catholic programs and services are provided to students.

The Board acknowledges that there may be changes to School Attendance Areas from time to time, to accommodate the changing demographics of the Region and as schools open or close. Changes to School Attendance Areas will follow a public consultation process.

The Director of Education shall make recommendations to the Board as required to establish an Ad-Hoc Attendance Area Review Committee with specific terms of reference.

The Director of Education will issue [Administrative Operational Procedures](#) for the implementation of this policy.

### **References**

- [Education Act R.S.O. 1990, c. E.2, s. 171 \(1\), par. 7](#)
- *Niagara Catholic District School Board Policies/Procedures*
  - [Admission of Elementary and Secondary Students Policy \(301.1\)](#)
  - [Pupil Accommodation Review Policy \(701.2\)](#)

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