



Niagara Catholic District School Board  
**STUDENT SENATE – SECONDARY POLICY**  
STATEMENT OF GOVERNANCE POLICY

100 - Board

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In keeping with the Mission, Vision and Values of the Niagara Catholic District School Board, the Niagara Catholic District School Board values the leadership, participation, and voice of students and their Secondary Student Senate representatives.

The Niagara Catholic District School Board recognizes the enhanced benefits for students when they have opportunities to share and represent the perspectives and insights from their school communities.

To assist the Student Trustees on the Board, and the Student Representative for the Niagara Catholic Parent Involvement Committee (NCPIC), the Special Education Advisory Committee (SEAC), and the Growth and Retention Ad Hoc Committee, the Niagara Catholic Student Senate has been established with representatives from each of the Board's Catholic secondary schools.

The Student Senate provides a forum for student servant leadership, the exchange of ideas, discussion, consultation, and communication through its Co-Chairs the Student Trustees of the Board, Director of Education, Senior Administrative Council and all students in the Niagara Catholic District School Board.

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

**References**

- [\*Education Statutes and Regulations of Ontario\*](#)
- [\*Ontario Municipal Conflict of Interest Act\*](#)

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