



Catholic school trustees, as representatives of the Catholic community, must ensure that the mission of Catholic education, as part of the broader mission of the Church, is fulfilled. In addition, in December 2009, Bill 177 – The Student Achievement and School Board Governance Act outlined a Board of Trustees’ responsibilities for student achievement and well-being, effective stewardship of the board’s resources and effective and appropriate education programs for its students.

The Board of Trustees and the Director of Education along with administration work closely together to achieve the delivery of a high quality Catholic education program for all students in the London District Catholic School Board. The Board is preparing to develop policies that will outline its governance approach to support the mandate summarized above. It is seeking input from all stakeholder groups within our Catholic schools and the broader Catholic community (parents, ratepayers, staff, union and association groups, advisory committees to the board and other interested persons) on this important topic. Below, please find a few questions for your response and input. Please return all questionnaires by mail to the Director’s Office, Catholic Education Centre, 5200 Wellington Road South, P.O. Box 5474, London, ON N6A 4X5 or by email at: [director@ldcsb.on.ca](mailto:director@ldcsb.on.ca) no later than Wednesday, May 11, 2011.

Thank you.

### **Questions**

1. For what should the Board of Trustees be accountable?

2. For what should the Director of Education and administration be accountable?

3. What are the appropriate roles and responsibilities of the Board of Trustees?

4. What are the appropriate roles and responsibilities for the Director of Education and administration?