Special Education Advisory Committee of the DISTRICT

York Catholic District School Board

What is SEAC?

The Special Education Advisory Committee (SEAC) is a group that provides important advice on special education to the York Catholic District School Board (YCDSB). It is comprised of representatives from the Board of Trustees, local agencies and associations that further the well-being of exceptional students in the YCDSB. SEAC makes recommendations on matters affecting the establishment, development and delivery of special education programs and services for exceptional students.

How can SEAC help you, your child and your family?

SEAC members are available as a resource for students with exceptional needs, parents/guardians of such students, schools, educators, trustees and the community. Many members are parents themselves of students with exceptional needs and are aware of the educational needs and abilities such students may experience. For additional information visit https://www.ycdsb.ca/programs-services/studentservices/special-education-advisory-committee-seac/

What Agencies and Associations are represented on SEAC?

- Autism Ontario (<u>www.autismontario.com/vork</u>)
- Centre for ADHD Awareness, Canada (CADDAC) (https://caddac.ca/adhd/)
- Community Living: York South (<u>www.clnad.com</u>)
- Children's Treatment Network (CTN) (https://www.ctnsv.ca/)
- Down Syndrome Association of York Region (<u>www.dsayr.ca</u>)
- Early Intervention Services, York Region (www.york.ca/specialneeds)
- Easter Seals Ontario (<u>http://www.easterseals.org</u>)
- Inclusion Action in Ontario (<u>https://inclusionactionontario.ca</u>)
- Learning Disabilities Association York Region (<u>www.ldayr.org</u>)
- York Hills Centre for Children, Youth and Families (https://www.yorkhills.ca/) •

When does SEAC Meet?

SEAC holds regular monthly meetings virtually which are open to the public via livestream link. We invite all parents and interested members of the public to attend these meetings. A list of meeting dates for the current school year can be found at

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Questions? Looking for more information?

Contact us: https://forms.gle/o7CuzGWgg82DL6SE7

Mission Statement

Guided by Gospel values and Catholic Virtues, in partnership with home and Church, we educate and inspire all students to reach their full potential in a safe and caring environment.

Vision Statement

into their daily lives, as socially responsible global citizens.

Core Values	Strategic Commitments
Excellence Equity	Integration of Our Catholic Faith Continuous Improvement of Student Achievement
Responsibility Catholicity Inclusion Integrity Respect	Effective Use of Our Resources Engaging Our Communities