

Trustee Questionnaire Preamble

Education is of crucial importance to families and to the general well being of societies. Schools are the principal modern institutions by which societies recreate themselves and transmit sound values to their citizens. Catholic schools exist to teach and transmit the truths of the Catholic faith as taught by the Magisterium of the Catholic Church.

The school trustee for Catholic school boards holds grave responsibility, being an elected steward of the school system, empowered to ensure that Catholic schools faithfully uphold and transmit the fullness of that teaching in every part of the school curriculum and in the social environment of the school.

Trustee Questionnaire

Please respond to the following questions. If you wish to elaborate for any question, do so on the the next page.

If elected as a trustee of your Catholic school board:

1. Will you personally uphold and work toward the public promotion of total fidelity to the official moral, social and dogmatic teachings of the Catholic Church?(Current examples include the illicitness of abortion, contraception and homosexual practice)
 YES NO
2. Will you oppose teachings and attitudes in the school setting that undermine respect for and the dignity of human life from conception to natural death?
 YES NO
3. Will you actively promote Catholic social teaching, the importance of prayer and a regular sacramental life?
 YES NO
4. Will you work against any attempt to expand the sex-ed program in the Catholic Schools which is contrary to Church teaching, such as the one which included oral sex, masturbation, homosexuality, recently offered by the ministry?
 YES NO
5. Will you work to ensure that guest speakers, educational materials that enter the premises of Catholic schools (e.g., library resources, curriculum texts) and all approved school activities are consistent with and do not undermine the morality and teachings of the Church?
 YES NO
6. Will you uphold, actively promote and defend the board's right to invite into its schools only those health personnel (e.g. nurses, counselors and other health professionals) who will respect Catholic Church teaching?
 YES NO
7. Will you work to ensure that your Catholic school board enacts a policy requiring all agents and employees of the board to uphold the rights of custodial parents to direct and control the education of, and any medical treatment provided to, their dependent children attending its schools? YES NO

Candidate's name

Email

Electoral district

City

Prov

Date

Signature

Elaboration Page (if desired)

Question 1

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Question 7

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