



Catholic Education Association of Yukon

AMENDED CONSTITUTION

**Adopted by a Members' Special Resolution at a
Special General Meeting on April 21, 2016
at Vanier Catholic Secondary School in Whitehorse, YT**

1. NAME

The name of the Association is the:

Catholic Education Association of Yukon, hereinafter referred to as the
“Association.”

The Association was incorporated as a society under the *Societies Act of Yukon* on February 18, 2008.

2. PURPOSE

Situated in the legislative context of the *Yukon Act* and *Education Act*, the purpose of the Catholic Education Association of Yukon is to:

- 2.1 Provide a leadership mechanism to coordinate and build system-wide consensus of understanding on issues that may affect all Yukon Catholic schools with the participation of all Catholic education partners;
- 2.2 Advocate for Catholic education in Yukon in order to obtain resources and support from Catholic education partners, such as the Yukon Government Department of Education, the Catholic Episcopal Corporation of Whitehorse, and the Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops (CCCB), for the purpose of strengthening a robust publicly funded Catholic school system;
- 2.3 Facilitate discussions amongst Catholic education partners such as the Catholic school councils, the Yukon Government Department of Education, the Catholic Episcopal Corporation of Whitehorse, parishes within the Diocese of Whitehorse, and the administrators of Yukon Catholic schools, on issues related, but not limited, to policy or legislative development, staffing, and faith formation;
- 2.4 Support initiatives within the Catholic education system that develop leadership, strengthen relationships amongst partners, and fund educational opportunities for students;
- 2.5 Provide a forum where those with an interest in Yukon Catholic schools can come together to share the mission, beliefs, and values of Catholic education in Yukon as described in the Association’s current Circle of Caring Strategic Plan;
- 2.6 Lead and manage the implementation of the goals of the current Circle of Caring Strategic Plan;

- 2.7 Coordinate common activities, practices, and policies among Yukon Catholic schools;
- 2.8 Coordinate communication and interaction amongst Yukon Catholic schools, the Catholic Episcopal Corporation of Whitehorse, parishes, and the Yukon Government Department of Education; and
- 2.9 Lead visioning and planning processes for the Catholic education system in Yukon and collaboratively address and resolve emerging and critical issues for the benefit of all students.

3. ADDRESS

The Association's usual place of business, registered address, and mailing address will be Vanier Catholic Secondary School, 16 Duke Street, in Whitehorse, Yukon, Y1A 4M2.