

October 4, 2016

Dear Parents/Guardians, Catholic School Parent Councils, Principals, and School Staff at:

- ***Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati, Sacred Heart, St. Bede, St. Gabriel Lalemant***

Further to the letter of September 15, 2016, this is to inform you that the public meeting regarding the accommodation review affecting these schools has been scheduled on October 12, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. at St. Gabriel Lalemant Catholic School (160 Crow Trail, Scarborough).

This meeting is the first step in a process to examine possible options to consolidate student enrolment in these schools in order to qualify for financial support from the Ontario government. Boards that are able to reduce unused space can benefit directly from the Ministry of Education's \$750 million School Consolidation Capital program to build new schools, retrofit learning areas, or put on additions to existing facilities.

Details about public involvement in the review process will be shared with the school communities as they become available. Details will also be posted on the Board website at:
<https://www.tcdsb.org/Board/PlanningandFacilities/SARC/Pages/default.aspx>.

We look forward to working collaboratively with your school communities to find solutions that create equitable learning environments to support student achievement and well-being, while remaining true to our Board's commitment to Catholic values.

Sincerely,

Angela Gauthier
Director of Education

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Garry Tanuan, Trustee Ward 8
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Rory McGuckin, Associate Director Academic Affairs