



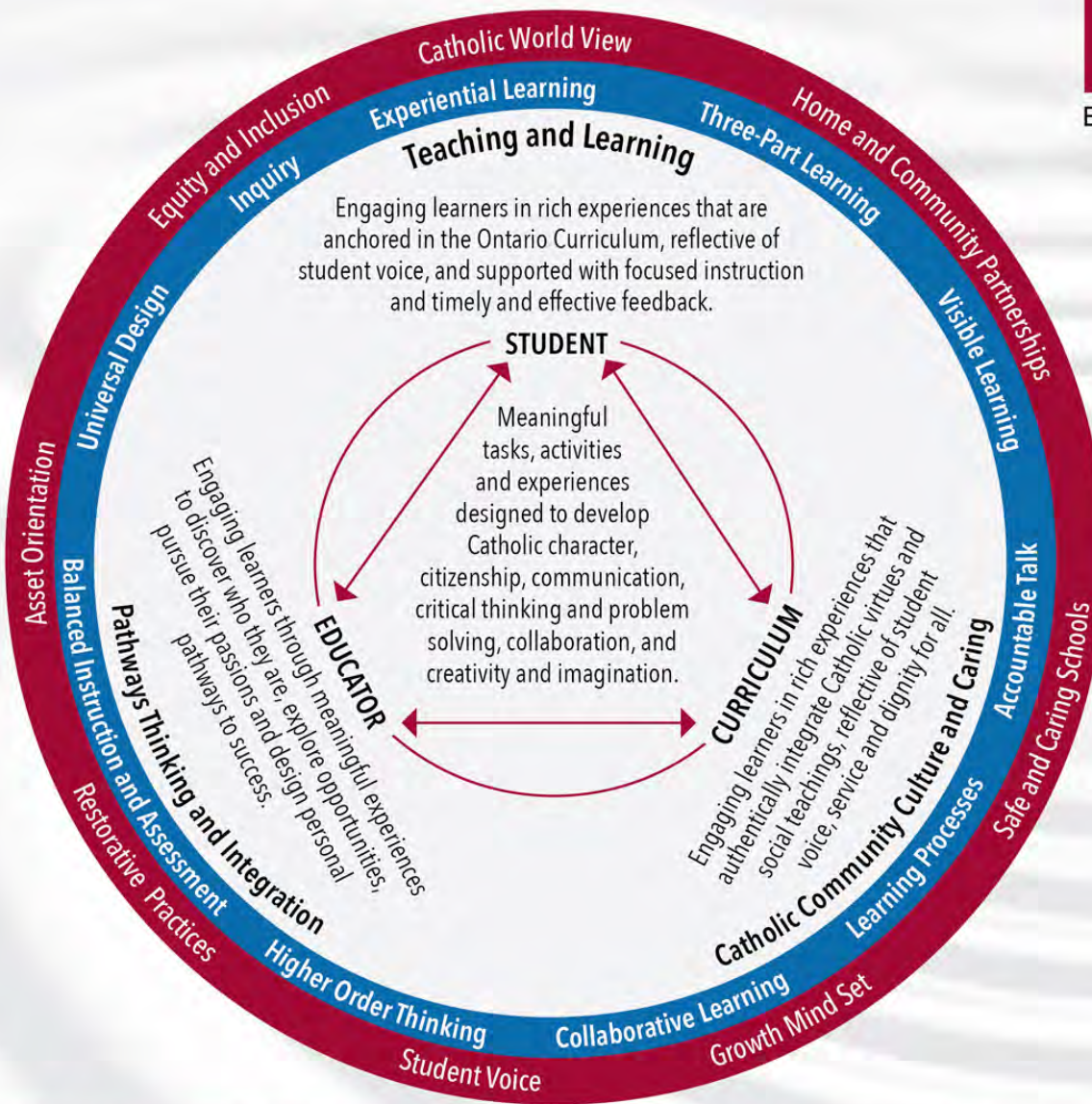
**Durham Catholic Parent Involvement
Committee**

Teaching and Learning Literacy Presentation

March 5th, 2015



Excellence | Equity | New Evangelization



- Habits of Mind
- Evidence-based Practices



Learning and Living in Faith

Our Mission:

We are called to celebrate and nurture the God-given talents of each student as we serve with excellence in the light of Christ.

Student Well-Being And Achievement Board Improvement Plan

21st Century Teaching and Learning

Deeper Learning

Catholic
Character
(Virtues)

Citizenship

Communication

Critical Thinking
& Problem
Solving

Collaboration

Creativity &
Imagination

-Michael Fullan
“Great to Excellent”

Catholic Graduate Expectations



Traditional Class from the 70's

Mr. O'Reilly in
Grade 3

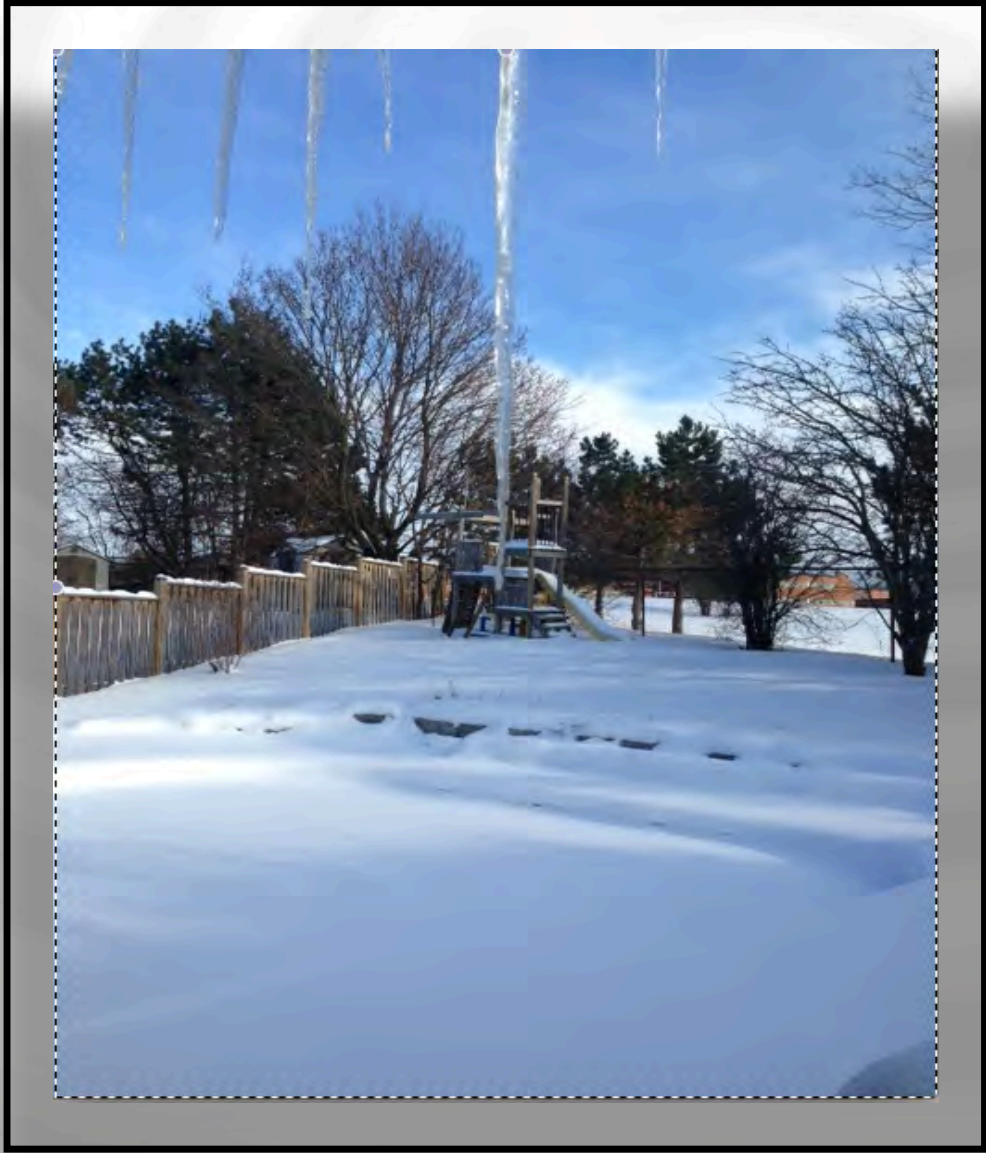


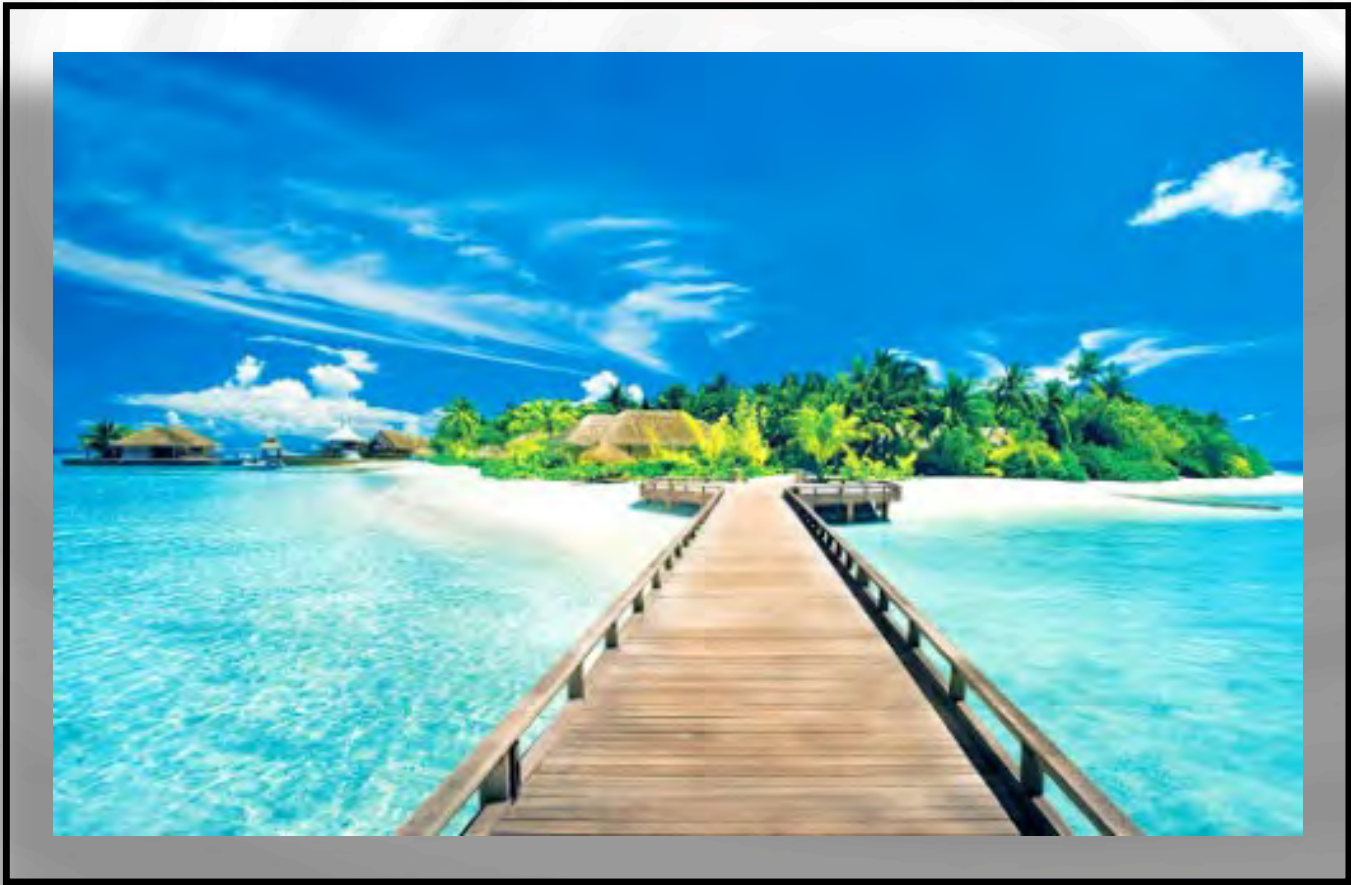
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NOW







ACCOUNTABLE TALK



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* Questions/Wonderings

"I wonder why..."

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Should the Canadian Government provide a \$1000 incentive for every Canadian to take a tropical vacation?

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“We speak not only to be understood but to understand...Language is the exposed edge of thought.”

Britton



“I didn’t know what I knew until I talked about it.”
Gr. 7 Science student



READING AND WRITING FLOAT
ON A SEA OF TALK.



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Powerful Questions to Ask Your Child

1. What do you think?

2. Why do you think that?

3. How do you know this?

4. Can you tell me more?

5. What questions do you still have?

