

Greetings,

Welcome back to another school year! I hope you have enjoyed a wonderful summer. A very special welcome is extended to those families who have recently made Milton their home and have newly registered their children in the Catholic Schools of Halton.

The Halton Catholic District School Board is a provincial leader in education. Our Board will continue to assist students in achieving knowledge and improving their skills through our Faith-filled curriculum. An important factor in student achievement is parental engagement. We know that children learn best when parents play an active role in their children's education. Through working together we will continue to create conditions that support the spiritual, intellectual, physical and emotional well-being of our students.

The Board is most appreciative of the contributions of Catholic parents and ratepayers through town hall meetings and consultative practices. The process of updating the Strategic Plan has begun and you will be advised of similar consultations taking place in the next few months.

Thank you for the privilege of representing you at the Board table; I always welcome your comments and advice.