Huron-Superior Catholic
DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD

POLICY TITLE:	**COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT AND CHRISTIAN SERVICE**	**Approved:**	March 31, 1999
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POLICY

The Huron-Superior Catholic District School Board is supportive of the Ontario Secondary School Diploma requirement as outlined in Ontario Secondary Schools, Grades 9 to 12: Program and Diploma Requirements, that every student must complete a minimum of 40 hours of community involvement activities as part of the requirements for an Ontario Secondary School Diploma (OSSD).

The Huron Superior Catholic District School Board believes that the community involvement requirement provides an excellent opportunity for students to meet certain aspects of the Catholic Graduate Expectations. The Catholic School Graduate is expected to be:

- a collaborative contributor who “develops one’s God-given potential and makes a meaningful contribution to society;”
- a caring family member who “ministers to the family, school, parish and wider community through service;”
- a responsible citizen who contributes to the common good by making the world a better place through growing awareness of social justice issues and participating in community outreach initiatives (Ontario Catholic School Graduate Expectations, Institute for Catholic Education 1998).

ADOPTED	Regular Meeting - June 7, 2000 Motion B-55		**DISTRIBUTION**
AMENDED	Regular Meeting - November 13, 2002 Motion B-110	i) ii) iii)	Trustees Administration Principals
AMENDED	Regular Meeting – November 16, 2011 Motion B-121	iv) v)	Teaching Personnel School Council
AMENDED	Regular Meeting – June 3, 2015 Motion B-74		
AMENDED	Regular Meeting – April 21, 2021 Motion B-561		