



REGION REPORT TO BOARD

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Region: Hamilton Wentworth Catholic District School Board
Date: January / February 2024

1. January 15, 2024 HWCDSB hosted a Special Education Parent Consultation evening at the Nicholas Mancini Centre focused on obtaining face-to-face round table feedback to share thoughts and insights regarding priorities for learning experiences for students with complex needs. It was a great opportunity to hear personal stories from various parents and build community.
2. Director Update Email sent to HWCDSB OAPCE reps advising everyone to register for upcoming Hamilton virtual meeting, highlighting the article about OAPCE in the Catholic Register <https://www.catholicregister.org/item/36314-for-85-years-oapce-fights-for-catholic-education-rights>, reminding parents about our Survey <https://forms.gle/nUqxpmaL6AWhfAg8>, and encouraging people to spread the word about subscribing to our newsletters.
3. Planning is underway for our HWCDSB OAPCE Virtual meeting Thursday, Feb 8 via Zoom.
4. The next OAPCE All Directors meeting will be held Saturday Feb 10 in Mississauga.