

## Sacred Heart School

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### October 2018 Principal's Report

#### Update on Staffing:

We would like to welcome Miss Tamara Risto. She is taking over a grade 7 homeroom and other Jr. High classes from Mrs. Shakeshaft. Mrs. Shakeshaft has taken on teaching our grade 8 Project Based Learning class. This is a pilot for this year.

#### Budget Decisions:

Our enrollment as of the September 30 student count was 565 students from ECS to gr 9. This will be the student enrollment that we will be funded for.

Once again this year our school received a CIF (classroom improvement grant). This grant was approximately the equivalent of a ½ time teacher. We as a staff decided to use this money for literacy and numeracy interventions. Mrs. Bear and Mrs. Eros have had their part time teaching contracts increase to fulltime for this year to offer these interventions in Div II and Div III.

Budget review: share info with council about budgeting process and priorities.

#### Professional Development Year Plan:

In May our SLT (school leadership team) surveyed all of our staff as to their needs or priorities for professional development for the upcoming year. We also take a look at what our curriculum directors, learning coach and educational tech lead from central office can provide for professional development. We then created a PD plan for this school year. This does not include teacher's personal professional development. Every teacher is required each year to submit their individual TPGP (teacher professional growth plan) where they outline one Faith goal and 2 learning goals for the year. Teachers can then plan for their own personal PD as well.

Share school's PD year Plan:

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