

DIVISIONAL PRAYER AND PATRIOTISM

The Board believes that prayer is an integral part of life in Catholic schools and maintains that private and communal prayer are important. To this end, the Board expects the provision of frequent opportunities for daily prayer as a feature of faith and community life at all sites including special events. The Board recognizes the importance of the Sacraments and encourages its schools to be engaged in the Sacraments of the parish.

The Board also recognizes the importance of patriotic instruction, and believes that frequent participation in patriotic exercises increases a sense of pride and responsible citizenship. Accordingly, the Board expects the singing of our National Anthem, "O Canada". Additionally, the Board acknowledges the importance and prominence of the Canadian and Alberta flags and promotes the flying of these flags as directed by the Superintendent or designate.