



SCHOOL COUNCIL TIP SHEET

SUGGESTED/POSSIBLE DISCUSSION TOPICS FOR SCHOOL COUNCILS

School Councils should focus on goals (Board-wide, school-wide, province-wide) relating to the goals set in the Multi-Year Plan: **Achievement, Environment, and Engagement.**

School Council:	
What you want to know about... How do you see your council supporting these areas? How do these connect to student achievement?	
Student Achievement:	
EQAO (Education Quality Assessment Office) OSSLT Early Literacy Board initiatives Transition to Secondary Partnership with Workplaces Special Education Supports	System Assessments Grade 9 Math Ministry initiatives Reporting (Individual Education Plans) School Improvement Plan Target Setting
Organization of School Council:	
Election of Council Budget Grand Erie Parent Involvement Committee Update Fundraising School Council Committees (i.e. Fundraising, Safety , Character Education)	
Character Education:	
Bullying Prevention School Culture Recognition – volunteer and student acknowledgement Spirit building ideas to support school and community (i.e. Terry Fox run) Equity and Inclusiveness (in school, community and on council) Celebrations and concerts	
School Safety:	
Code of Conduct Emergency Preparedness Plan Dress Code Volunteer Policy	Progressive Discipline Health and Safety Bus Evaluation