



PRESS RELEASE

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Northwest Catholic Appoints New Director



The Northwest Catholic District School Board is pleased to announce the appointment of Jackie Robinson to the position of Director of Education and Secretary of the Board effective January 1, 2022. Ms. Robinson succeeds Brendan Hyatt, who retires this year following an extensive career at The Northwest Catholic District School Board as a School Administrator, Student Success Lead, Superintendent of Education and Director.

Ms. Robinson has served The Northwest Catholic District School Board for the last five years in the capacity of Superintendent of Education. She brings a wealth of experience working in various roles in education throughout the northwest, along with experience as a Student Achievement Officer with the Ministry of Education. Her experience in education has contributed to a multi-faceted and diverse perspective of education in the north and in the great potential of excellence in Catholic education.

"I am humbled and honoured to accept the position of Director of Education at The Northwest Catholic District School Board. Our Board and our schools are led by very dedicated, strong leaders and our children are surrounded by talented and caring educators who have been called to serve in Catholic education. In our *Schools of Hope*, we teach children about values such as the love of God, fairness, responsibility, compassion, forgiveness, caring, and honesty. I can't think of anywhere I'd rather be. I look forward to working together with the staff, parents, communities, Parishes and Trustees to ensure we build upon our well-established practice of delivering outstanding Catholic education to our students."

The Board of Trustees congratulates Ms. Robinson on her new appointment and extends its prayers and best wishes to accompany her on this exciting journey of making a difference in the lives of the children, families and communities served by the Board.