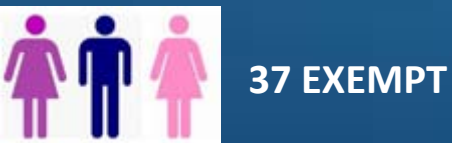
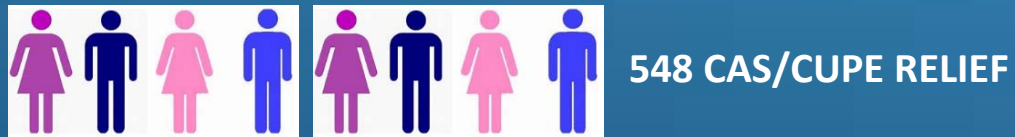
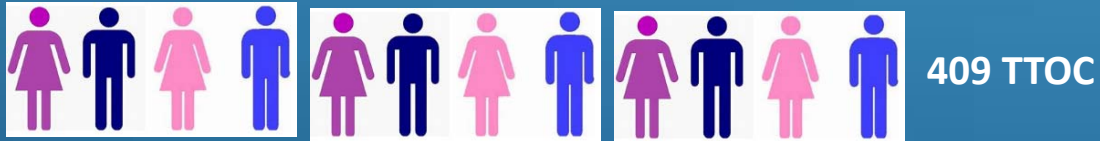
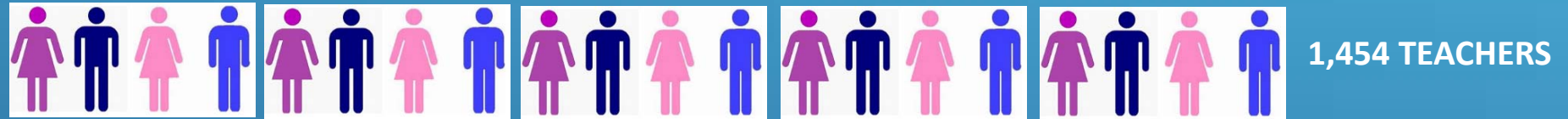


CENTRAL OKANAGAN PUBLIC SCHOOLS TRUSTEE CANDIDATE INFORMATION MEETING



September 6, 2018

CENTRAL OKANAGAN PUBLIC SCHOOLS STAFFING (HEAD COUNT) & SCHOOLS



SERVING 44 SCHOOLS

31 Elementary

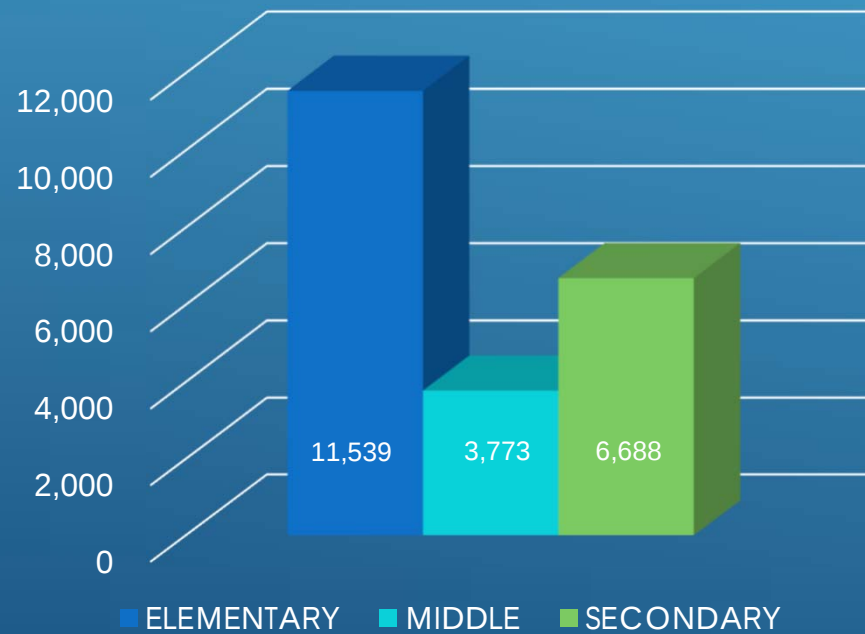
6 Middle

6 Secondary, 1 Alternate



HEAD COUNT OF OVER 3,000 EMPLOYEES

CENTRAL OKANAGAN PUBLIC SCHOOLS STUDENTS BY LEVEL



Sept 2017 Headcount = 22,000

CENTRAL OKANAGAN PUBLIC SCHOOLS PRESCHOOLS, STRONG START CENTERS & PARTNERS

WORKING WITH 13 PRESCHOOLS



8 STRONG START CENTERS



& OUR PARTNERS

CENTRAL OKANAGAN TEACHER'S ASSOCIATION (COTA)
CANADIAN UNION OF PUBLIC EMPLOYEES (CUPE)
CENTRAL OKANAGAN PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL (COPAC)
DISTRICT STUDENT COUNCIL (DSC)

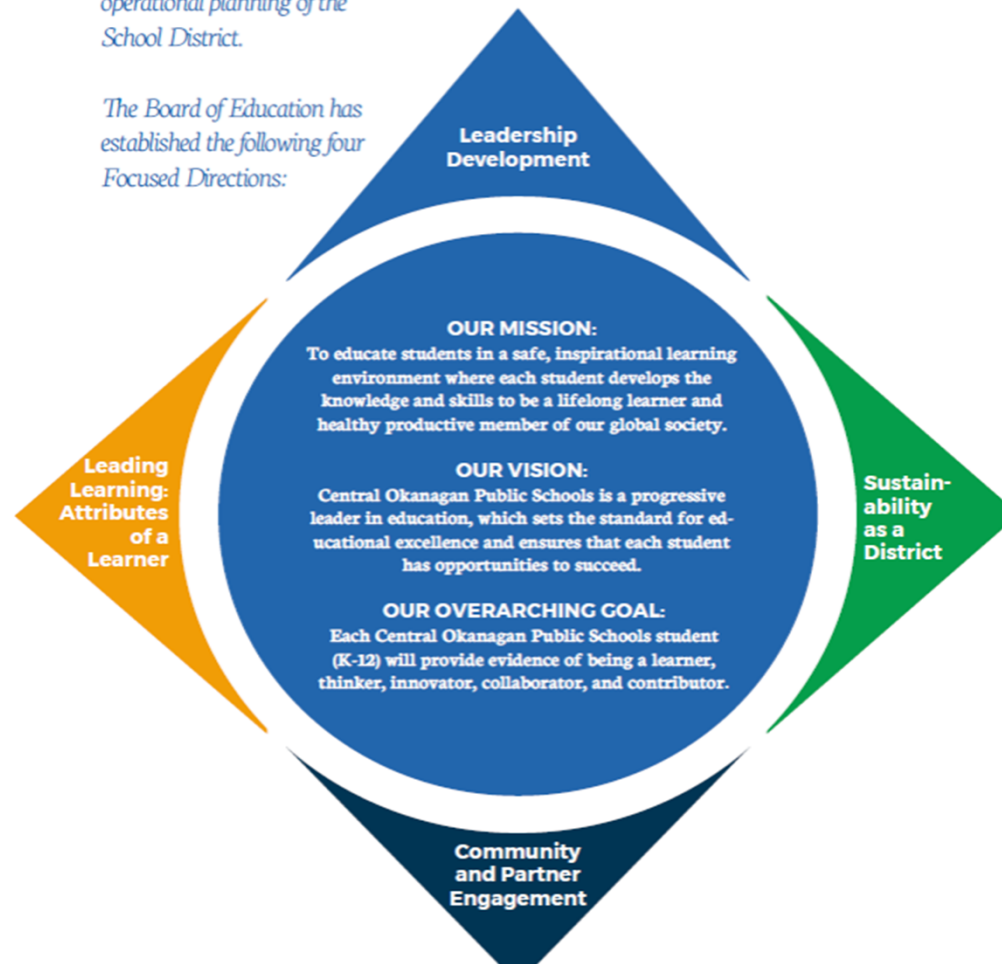
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MISSION, VISION AND OVERARCHING GOALS

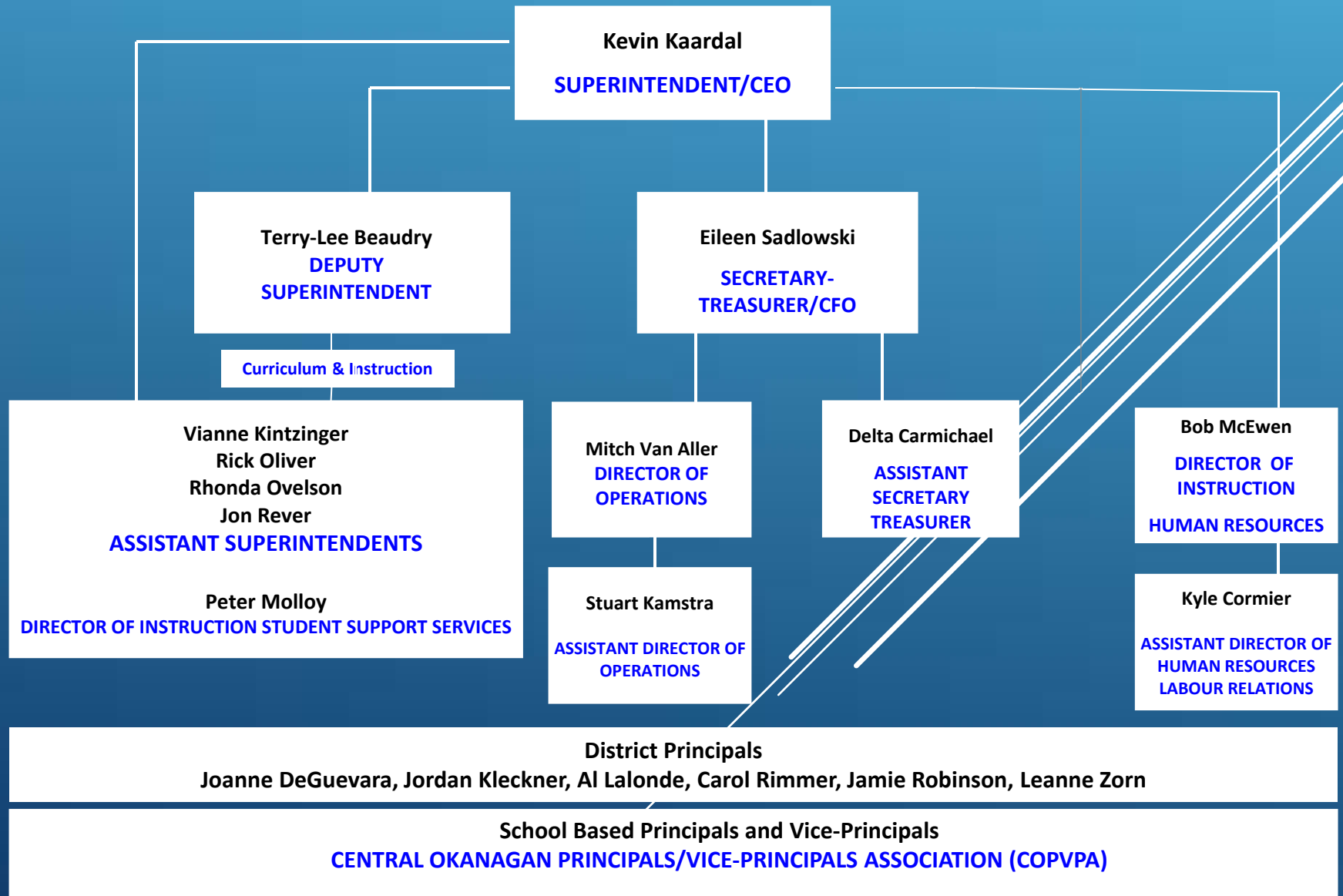
FOCUSED DIRECTIONS TO SUPPORT THE BOARD OF EDUCATION MISSION, VISION, AND OVERARCHING GOALS

The Board's Strategic Plan drives the operational planning of the School District.

The Board of Education has established the following four Focused Directions:



CENTRAL OKANAGAN PUBLIC SCHOOLS ADMINISTRATION ORGANIZATIONAL CHART



CENTRAL OKANAGAN PUBLIC SCHOOLS ACCOUNTABILITY FRAMEWORK

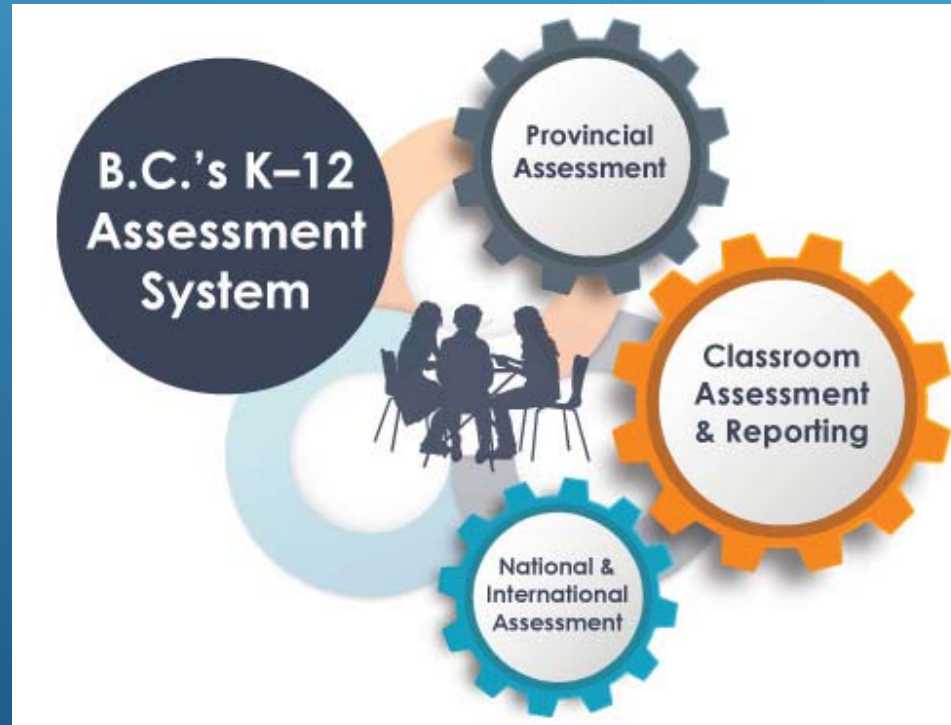


- Superintendent's Report on Achievement
- Aboriginal Education Enhancement Agreement
- Enhancing Student Learning Framework (School Plans)

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EDUCATIONAL INITIATIVES

- Redesigned Curriculum
- New Graduation Years Program
- Assessment Program



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WHAT DOES A TRUSTEE DO?



- The governance and oversight of the school district
- Establish the District's strategic direction, ensuring local students receive the best Kindergarten to Grade 12 education
- Act as a financial steward – oversight of financial decisions and the assets
- Are part of a team – membership of a corporate board, not individual trustees
- Are community leaders – represent the interests of their community

- Are employers of the District -
 - Superintendent/CEO is the board's key employee
 - Personal service contracts for exempt employees and COPVPA
 - Collective agreements for all other employees (COTA and CUPE expire June 30, 2019)
 - Governance for labour relations

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AM I UP TO THE JOB?

- BC School Act, outlines powers and responsibilities
 - Conflict of interest guidelines
- Co-governance with the Ministry of Education
- School District governance policies

- Remuneration:
 - Chair - \$ 21,381
 - Vice Chair – \$ 19,924
 - Trustee - \$ 18,964
- ▶ Expenses:
 - Local Travel
 - Board Business
 - Professional Development

- Willingness to learn:
 - BCSTA new trustee academy
 - Board in-services
 - Professional learning opportunities throughout their term
- Time commitment:
 - Board meetings
 - Committee meetings-standing and district
 - Municipality/Partner Groups
 - Community representation
 - School liaison
 - BCSTA



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OTHER CONSIDERATIONS

- Canadian citizen (18 years or older)
- BC resident for at least 6 months
- Not disqualified under the School Act
- Not an SD#23 employee
- Criminal record check required
- Minimum of two (2) nominators and a \$100 refundable deposit
- Financial interests disclosure
- Follow election rules and campaign financing guidelines



CENTRAL OKANAGAN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

2018 ELECTION SCHEDULE

Sept 6/18

6:30 pm, Trustee Candidate Information Meeting

Sept 4-14/18

Nomination period – 4 pm sharp.

Sept 21/18

Deadline for withdrawal of candidates

Sept 22 to
Oct 20/18

Trustee campaign period

Oct 20/18

General school election

Nov 7/18

Swearing in ceremony (tentative)

Nov 14/18

Public Board Meeting (tentative)

Nov 29 to
Dec 1/18

BCSTA New Trustee Academy (Vancouver, BC)

**CENTRAL OKANAGAN PUBLIC SCHOOLS
THANK YOU**

Thank you for your interest in public education
and the Central Okanagan Public Schools



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QUESTIONS OR COMMENTS



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