

2006-2007 ANNUAL EDUCATION RESULTS REPORT





Message from the Chairman

This Annual Education Results Report is the summary of our combined efforts to achieve Holy Family Catholic Regional Division's stated aims and objectives for the year 2006-2007. Some of these results are reflected in measurable terms and these will form the benchmarks from which improvements will be made. Others represent the broader aspects of educating children so that they make take their rightful place in our everchanging society. process we are mindful of our philosophy of education. lt centers around the Partnership Model involving the Family, the School and the Church. It is only through careful attention to these essential elements that we will be successful in our endeavors.

Bill Mitchell, Chairman

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Message from the Superintendent

This Annual Results Report provides Holy Family Catholic Schools the opportunity to reflect on accomplishments and challenges throughout our school division. Holy Family Catholic Schools celebrates successes while at the same time works towards continuous improvement to meet our challenges.



We celebrate the successes we have in meeting the needs of special needs children as well as our First Nations, Métis and Inuit students. Teachers are committed to improve their professional practice through the development of a culture of differentiated instruction and Professional Learning Communities. Our students are reaping the benefits of this commitment as our results are showing steady improvement. We also celebrate a high transition rate and a high rate of parental involvement as well as our great success in continuous improvement.

Holy Family Catholic Regional Division faces its challenges with a focus on improvement. We aim to improve the 3-year high school completion rate as well as continuing to improve our diploma exam results.

Despite our challenges, Holy Family Catholic Regional Division remains optimistic about the future. The Division values the Triad Partnership between the school, the parish and the home and continues to improve student learning in a Catholic community guided by Christ, our Teacher.

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Vision:

Holy Family C.R.D. No. 37 will strive to provide a unique and inviting Catholic learning environment that links the home, the parish and the community.

Resources will be distributed fairly so all students have an opportunity to learn in a child-centered, flexible, safe and caring learning environment.

A strong, well informed teaching staff, with an eye to the future, will provide dynamic and innovative programs in well-planned school facilities.

Students will be provided with the opportunity to live the values they are taught. Minorities will be successful, and special students needs and disabilities accommodated. Graduates will be prepared so they are motivated life-long learners grounded in the Catholic faith.

Mission:

To improve student learning in a Catholic community guided by Christ, our teacher.

Beliefs:

We value:

- Catholic Education.
- God-given talents.
- ► Excellence in performance.
- Self-discipline and personal growth.
- ► A safe and caring environment.
- Uniqueness in every individual.
- Life-long learning.
- ▶ Teamwork.

Therefore, we believe:

- Christ is our guide and teacher.
- Spiritual growth must be fostered in our students.
- ▶ The child is the centre of the school system.
- Parents are the child's primary educators.
- ▶ In providing staff with opportunities for professional development.
- ► Students learn best when the partnership between the home, the church, the school and community is strong.
- All students can learn and experience success.



- Growth is best achieved in a positive learning environment.
- ▶ Technology can assist in the learning process.
- ▶ Individuals are responsible and accountable.
- Students will be prepared for their futures.

Issues:

Issues taken into account in goal development:

- Maintaining a Catholic school environment.
- Improving standards of achievement.
- ► Enhancing special education and counseling services.
- ► Teacher retention, maintaining staffing levels.
- ▶ Maintaining comprehensive curricular and extra-curricular programs.
- ► Implementing the approved recommendations of the Learning Commission.
- Upgrading aging school facilities.
- Sustaining viable schools, programs and services.
- Sustainable funding.
- ► Improving Aboriginal learner opportunities and success through the FNMI programming.

Trends that require consideration:

- ▶ Increasing dependence on schools for faith development.
- Increasing dependence of students on schools for social and emotional support.
- Fragmentation of the family unit.
- Growing numbers of students with special needs.
- ► Teacher/Administrator shortages.
- Increasing transient populations.
- Rapidly evolving technology and online services.
- ▶ Declining enrolments/rural to urban migration.

Priorities:

- Improve secondary student achievement in secondary sciences.
- ▶ Improve learning through effective use of communication technology.
- ▶ Improve children's access to services through coordination of services.
- ▶ Improve community satisfaction with education.
- Increase high school completion rates.



► Improve programs, results and reporting for First Nations, Métis and Inuit Learners.

Local Priorities:

- Maintain Catholic identify of our schools.
- Maintain the family, school, parish relationship.
- Improve effective school councils.
- Promote French Immersion programming.
- Maintain safe and caring schools.
- Improve respect students have for each other.
- Maintain community partnerships.
- Develop effective leadership.
- Improve student learning through implementation of Differentiated Instruction (AISI Project).
- Maintain parental involvement in schools.

Communication:

This report is made available to parents and the public on the Holy Family C.R.D. No. 37 website at http://www.hfcrd.ab.ca/documentsandreports.htm and copies are also provided to schools, school councils, parishes, local media and MLA's. The AISI Annual Report can be accessed at http://www.hfcrd.ab.ca/averageclassSize.htm Copies are available upon request. Individual school Results Reports are communicated to the school council and made available to parents and the public.

This report is a summary of Holy Family Catholic Regional Division's achievements for the 2006-2007 school year based on the 2006/07 – 2008/09 Three Year Education Plan. It serves as a tool to continue monitoring improvement in the Division and provides accountability to stakeholders.

Accountability Statement:

The Annual Education Results Report for Holy Family Catholic Regional Division No. 37 for the 2006-2007 school year was prepared under the direction of the Board, in accordance with the responsibilities under the *School Act and the Government Accountability Act*. The Board is committed to using the results in this report, to the best of our abilities, to improve the outcomes fro students in our jurisdiction. We will use the results to develop sound strategies for our three-year education plan to ensure that all our students can acquire the knowledge, skills and attitudes they need to be self-reliant, responsible, caring and contributing members of society.



D.W. (Bill) Mitchell, Chairman

Rick Berry, Superintendent



Performance Measures

Overriding Goal: To strengthen the Catholic school experience for students by supporting permeation of Catholic teaching in all aspects of the school program.

Outcome: Schools have a distinctive Catholic atmosphere.

Performance Measure	2002 -03	2003 -04	2004 -05	2005 -06	2006 -07
Percentage of parents satisfied with the Catholic atmosphere of the schools.	97%	97%	96%	98%	98%
Percentage of parents who attend mass at least once monthly.			48%	50%	49%
Percentage of staff who attend mass at least once monthly.			73%	76%	74%

Outcome: Schools incorporate Catholic teaching into the school environment.

	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
Performance Measure	-03	-04	-05	-06	-07
Percentage of parents who are satisfied that Catholic teaching permeates the school environment.	97%	97%	96%	98%	98%
Percentage of staff who participate in religious professional development.	94%	98%	95%	96%	93%



Outcome: Schools work closely with parishes and families in the community.

Performance Measure	2002 -03	2003 -04	2004- 05	2005 -06	2006- 07
Percentage of parents who are satisfied with the parish, the school and the family working closely together.	93%	92%	93%	95%	94%
Percentage of teachers who are satisfied with the parish, the school and the family working closely together.		74%	74%	72%	79%

Comment:

▶ Work needs to be done to increase the involvement and visibility of Parish Priests in some schools.

Outcome: Students value the spiritual and religious dimension of the school.

	2002	2003	2004-	2005	2006-
Performance Measure	-03	-04	05	-06	07
Percentage of students who are satisfied with the	83%	71%	76%	76%	77%
spiritual and religious dimension of the school.					

Outcome: Students actively live their faith.

Performance Measure	2002 -03	2003 -04	2004 -05	2005 -06	2006- 2007
Percentage of Catholic grade 6 students who have received		45%	55%	69%	70%
the sacrament of First Communion.					
Percentage of Catholic grade 9 students who received the sacrament of Confirmation.		36%	44%	56%	47%



Students actively live their faith. (continued)

		2002-03	2003	2004	2005	2006
Performance Measure			-04	-05	-06	-07
Percentage of grades 4 -	None			32%	24%	18%
6 students who attend	1 to 2 times/month			21%	29%	30%
Mass on a regular basis.	3 or < times			14%	24%	22%
	/month					
	I'm not Catholic			32%	24%	30%
Percentage of grades 7 - 12 students who attend	None			31%	35%	22%
Mass on a regular basis.	1 to 2 times/month			21%	26%	34%
iviass on a regular basis.	3 or < times			13%	13%	11%
	/month					
	I'm not Catholic			34%	26%	23%

Highlights of Accomplishments

- Participation of staff in the Diocesan Faith Formation Program.
- Successful Religious Institute hosted by École Providence School.
- ▶ 98% of parents are satisfied the Catholic atmosphere is prevalent in schools.
- ► Comprehensive Youth Ministry continues to link schools and parishes.
- ▶ Monthly religious education coordinators meetings.
- ► Participation at Catholic Congress of Religious Education, Blueprints and Spice.
- ► A Division teacher received a graduate diploma in religious education from Newman College.
- Significant increase in the number of students participating in the Shine Retreats.
- Over 200 students trained as leaders through the Shine Program.
- Successful student participation in the Regional Youth Rally.









- Active engagement of students in parishes.
- Sacramental preparation of students.
- Recruitment of Catholic teachers.
- Strengthening school/parish partnership.Maintaining Comprehensive Youth Ministry Initiative.





Accountability Pillar Overall Summary

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October 1, 2007

Goal	Measure Category	Measure Category Evaluation	Measure	Ju	risdiction Res	ults	P	rovincial Resu	its		Measure Evaluation		
					Current Result	Prev Year Result	Prev 3 yr Average	Current Result	Prev Year Result	Prev 3 Yr Average	Achievement	Improvement	Overall
	Safe and Caring Schools	Good	Safe and Caring	84.9	83.7	82.9	84.2	84.4	82.7	High	Improved	Good	
			Program of Studies	76.0	74.8	73.6	78.5	78.1	76.9	Intermediate	Maintained	Acceptable	
Goal 1: High Quality Learning Opportunities for	Photos I contro		Education Quality	87.7	85.9	85.3	87.6	87.7	86.0	High	Improved	Good	
All	Student Learning Opportunities	Acceptable	Drop Out Rate	5.7	6.7	6.1	4.7	4.9	5.3	Intermediate	Maintained	Acceptable	
		ALL	High School Completion Rate (3 yr)	61.1	61.6	60.7	70.4	70.4	69.1	Low	Maintained	Issue	
	Student Learning		PAT: Acceptable	77.2	75.1	72.8	75.9	76.9	77.1	Intermediate	Improved	Good	
	Achievement (Grades K-9)	Good	PAT: Excellence	13.7	12.5	11.5	19.5	19.1	19.3	Low	Improved	Acceptable	
			Diploma: Acceptable	76.9	72.3	71.2	85.4	84.7	85.4	Low	Improved	Acceptable	
		evernent (Grades Issue	Diploma: Excellence	12.2	13.3	11.9	23.3	23.0	22.7	Low	Maintained	Issue	
Goal 2: Excellence in Learner Outcomes	Student Learning Achievement (Grades 10-12)		Diploma Exam Participation Rate (4+ Exams)	8.00	45.7	40.1	53.7	53.5	52.4	Low	Maintained	Issue	
			Rutherford Scholarship Eligibility Rate	33.3	35.6	32.9	37.2	35.3	33.9	Intermediate	Maintained	Acceptable	
	Preparation for Lifelong		Transition Rate (4 yr)	39.1	38.5	34.1	39.5	37.0	34.6	High	Maintained	Good	
	Learning, World of	Good	Work Preparation	82.1	78.6	77,4	77.1	77.0	74.7	High	Improved	Good	
	Work, Citizenship		Citizenship	749	73.8	73.5	76.6	76.8	74.7	Intermediate	Maintained	Acceptable	
Goal 3: Highly Responsive	Parental involvement	Good	Parental involvement	79.2	76.9	78.5	77.5	77.9	76.0	High	Maintained	Good	
and Responsible Jurisdiction (Ministry)	Continuous Improvement	Good	School Improvement	80.0	75.8	75.9	76.3	76.8	73.2	High	Improved	Good	

Gozi Mezsi	Measure Category	Measure	Ju	risdiction Res	ults	Provincial Results			
			Current Result	Prev Year Result	Prev 3 Yr Average	Current Result	Prev Year Result	Prev 3 Yr Average	
ACOL measure		Satisfaction with Program Access	72.5	70.3	70.3	68.2	68.5	67.8	
	ACOL measure	In-service Jurisdiction Needs	87.1	86.7	83.5	78.8	78.2	77.3	

Notes:

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Data Current as of September 18, 2007 Report Generated October 3, 2007

¹⁾ Student Learning Achievement: PAT Values reported are weighted averages of PAT Acceptable and PAT Excellence results. Courses included: ELA (Grades 3, 6, 9), Math (Grades 3, 6, 9), Social Studies (Grades 6, 9), Science (Grades 6 only), French Language Arts (Grades 6, 9), Français (Grades 6, 9).

²⁾ Student Learning Achievement: Diploma Exam Values reported are averages of Diploma Acceptable and Diploma Excellence results, weighted by the number of students enrolled in each course.

³⁾ Overall evaluations can only be calculated if both improvement and achievement evaluations are available.

⁴⁾ The ACOL measures are not evaluated as they are not part of the Accountability Pillar and are included only to enable inclusion in the AERR and 3-Year Education Plan reports.

⁵⁾ Data values have been suppressed where the number of respondents is less than 6.



Goal One: High Quality Learning Opportunities for All

Outcome: Schools provide a safe and caring environment for students.

			Res	ults		Target	
Performance Measure		2003/04	2004/05	2005/06	2006/07	2006/07	
Percentage of teachers, parents and	Overa	II					3.0
students who agree that students are safe at school, are learning the	Jurisdictio	n 82.6	82.4	83.8	84.9	if set	REQUIRED
importance of caring for others, are	Provinc	e 80.7	83.1	84.4	84.2		RE
learning respect for others and are	Teacher	S					
treated fairly in school.	Jurisdictio	92.0	87.4	89.6	91.3		
	Provinc	90.6	92.3	92.8	92.6	l	
	Parent	8	I		ı	ı	
	Jurisdictio		82.0	86.1	82.3		OPTIONAL
	Provinc		79.9	82.1	81.7		OPII
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	Student			75.5	81.0		
	Provinc	71.0	77.7	75.5 78.4	78.5		
	TTOVITIC	e 73.5	77.2	70.4	76.5		
Comments on Results	G	raph of O	verall Juris	sdiction F	Results		
Safe and Caring programs such a			Holy Family	Catholic Regional	Division No. 37		
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and "Why Try" are assisting in me our targets.	eung		*			→ Parent → Student → Teacher	
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Outcome: The education system meets the needs of all K – 12 students, society and the economy.

				Res	ults		Target	
Performance Measure			2003/04	2004/05	2005/06	2006/07	2006/07	
Percentage of teachers, parents and	Over	rall						A L
students satisfied with the	Jurisdict	ion	73.9	72.1	74.8	76.0	if set	KEWUIKE
opportunity for students to receive a broad program of studies, including	Provi	nce	75.8	76.7	78.1	78.5		7
fine arts, career, technology, and	Teache	ers						
health and physical education.	Jurisdict	ion	80.9	78.7	81.7	83.3		
	Provi	nce	83.5	83.6	85.2	85.7		
	Parer	nts.						
	Jurisdict	_	73.9	72.6	73.3	76.0		OPTIONAL
	Provi	nce	75.4	75.0	76.6	76.9		OPT.
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	Jurisdict	_	66.7	65.1	69.4	60.0		
	Provi					68.8		
			68.5	71.5	72.6	72.9		
Comments on Results	•	Gra	ph of Ov	erall Juris	sdiction F	Results		
► Targets for 2005/06 have been read	ched			Holy Family C	atholic Regional	Division No. 37		
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		~	40					
			20					
			2003/20	04 2004/200	5 2005/20	06 2006/20	007	



Outcome: The education system meets the needs of all K – 12 students, society and the economy. (continued)

		Results				Target	
Performance Measure		2003/04	2004/05	2005/06	2006/07	2006/07	
Percentage of teachers, parents and	Overalı						G)
students satisfied with the overall quality of basic education.	Jurisdiction	86.0	83.9	85.9	87.7	if set	REQUIRED
quality of basic education.	Province	84.1	86.1	87.7	87.6		RE
	Teachers						
	Jurisdiction	93.4	89.2	91.3	93.0		
	Province	92.6	93.9	94.8	94.7		
	Parents						-1
	Jurisdiction	84.4	79.0	80.8	82.1		OPTIONAL
	Province	76.6	78.9	81.6	81.8		ō
	Students						
	Jurisdiction	80.3	83.6	85.8	88.0		
	Province	83.2	85.6	86.6	86.4		

Comment on Results

Parents, students and teachers are satisfied with the overall results although the 2005/06 Target was not met.

Holy Family Catholic Regional Division No. 37 Overall Parent Student Teacher 100 2003/2004 2004/2005 2005/2006 2006/2007



Outcome: The education system meets the needs of all K – 12 students, society and the economy. (continued)

				Res	ults		Target	
Performance Measure		[2	2003/04	2004/05	2005/06	2006/07	2006/07	
Percentage of teachers, parents and	Over	all						
students satisfied with access and imeliness of services for students in	Jurisdict	ion		70.4	70.3	72.6	if set	
schools (e.g., academic counseling,	Provir	nce		67.2	68.5	68.2		L
career counseling, library services,	Teache	ers						
supports for students with special needs).	Jurisdict	ion		74.3	75.8	78.8		1
ieeus).	Provir	nce		70.0	71.5	72.0		
	Parer	nts –						1
	Jurisdict	_		63.0	60.7	61.4		
	Provir	nce		54.9	56.9	55.9		ĺ
	Studer	nte				ı		
	Jurisdict	_		73.9	74.2	77.4		_
	Provir	nce		76.7	77.1	76.8		
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Overall results are equal or high				Holy Family	Catholic Regiona	l Division No. 37		
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Outcome: Children at risk have their needs addressed through effective programs and supports.

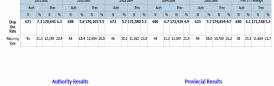
Performance Measure				Results			Target
Performance weasure		2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05	2005/06	2006/07
Annual dropout rate of	Jurisdiction	7.3	5.8	5.7	6.7	5.7	if set
students aged 14 to 18.	Province	6.3	5.5	5.3	4.9	4.7	

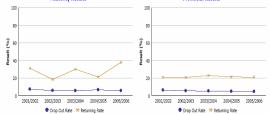
Comment on results

Comment on progress toward 2008/09 target (if applicable)

State the target, progress to date toward achieving the target, actions taken to improve results to date and in the future.

Graph of Overall Jurisdiction Results





Note: * Data values have been suppressed where the number of respondents is less than



Outcome: Students complete programs.

Performance				Results			Target
Measure		2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05	2005/06	2006/07
Percentages of	Within 3 years:	2001/02	2002/00	2000/01	200 1/00	2000/00	2000/01
students who	Jurisdiction	59.2	62.3	58.2	61.6	61.1	if set
completed high	Province	65.6	67.8	69.3	70.4	70.4	II SEL
school within three,	Į.	05.0	07.0	09.3	70.4	70.4	
four and five years of entering Grade 10.	Within 4 years:			ı			
critering Grade 10.	Jurisdiction	67.4	68.9	66.5	72.3	70.2	if set
	Province	71.8	72.3	73.4	75.1	76.2	
	Within 5 years:						
	Jurisdiction	80.5	71.3	70.5	73.9	78.9	if set
	Province	75.1	75.2	75.5	77.4	78.6	
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Include a note indicating that the 3-year rate is the Accountability Pillar measure, which is evaluated and reported in the Accountability Pillar Summary

Highlights of Accomplishments

- ▶ Students, parents and teachers recognize that schools are safe and caring.
- Virtual school alternative is available.
- Schools to develop support for the First Nations, Métis and Inuit Learner Program Outcomes.
- ▶ High levels of satisfaction expressed with the overall quality of education.
- Broad range of services available for at-risk students.
- ▶ Parent Link Centres are being established in our communities.
- Assistive Technology is being introduced through the Division.

Future Challenges

- ▶ Elimination of school fees and reliance on fundraising.
- ▶ Meeting the needs of a more diverse student population.
- ► The delivery of Professional Development to allow teachers to remain in their classrooms.
- ▶ Full incorporation of First Nations, Métis and Inuit Learner Outcomes.
- Accessing Professional Services.
- ► Recruiting and maintaining First Nation, Métis and Inuit staff (Cree Language Instructors, FNMI School Workers).

Goal Two: Excellence in Student Learning Outcomes

Outcome: Students demonstrate high standards.

Performance Meas	sure		Results	(in percen	tages)		Target
Percentages of stuachieve the accept standard and the percentages who a standard of excelled Grades 3, 6 and 9	table achieve the ence on						
Achievement Tests		A E*	A E*	A E*	A E [*]	A E*	A E *
results). Grade 3		2002/03	2003/04	2004/05	2005/06	2006/07	2006/07
Language	Jurisdiction	89 3/13 6	88.8/6.3	86 1/11 1	87 9/10 7	84.8/14.7	if set
Arts	Province		81.7/15.1			80.3/17.7	11 001
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Mathematics	Jurisdiction Province		82.6/18.8 81.4/27.2			79.4/23.3	if set
Grade 6	FIOVILICE	01.0/29.0	01.4/21.2	60.0/26.2	01.4/27.1	79.4/23.3	
Language	Jurisdiction	83.8/13.8	74.3/6.3	72.5/10.9	79.0/5.9	88.8/14.3	if set
Arts	Province		79.1/15.5			80.3/19.8	551
French LA	Jurisdiction	100.0/0.0	73.3/6.7	83.3/16.7	92.3/7.7	75.0/0.0	if set
Tronon Ex	Province		88.5/12.8			87.4/11.0	11 301
Mathematics	Jurisdiction		68.2/11.4	74.0/9.9	68.4/6.9	82.7/11.3	if set
Watnematics	Province	77.7/17.5	77.8/20.9		74.5/15.3		11 361
	l.						
Science	Jurisdiction		71.0/15.3			81.9/21.5	if set
	Province	79.6/24.2	81.1/26.5	79.6/26.4	77.7/28.1	74.7/26.8	
Social Studies	Jurisdiction	71.1/14.5	71.0/9.1	65.7/10.5	75.3/10.3	84.6/15.4	if set
	Province	78.5/20.6	78.3/20.2	78.1/21.8	78.2/23.2	77.0/22.7	
Grade 9							
Language Arts	Jurisdiction		73.4/4.9	66.7/8.7	74.7/11.4		if set
	Province	78.0/13.5	77.6/12.4	77.9/14.0	77.4/13.6	77.5/14.8	
French LA	Jurisdiction	60.0/0.0	85.7/0.0	100/0.0	83.3/0.0	100/20.0	if set
	Province	89.2/18.1	83.4/11.7	85.9/13.6	83.3/10.9	81.3/12.9	
Mathematics	Jurisdiction	58.5/8.7	67.4/10.3	51.4/9.8	63.0/12.1	51.8/10.4	if set
	Province	62.3/16.8	65.1/18.3	67.0/19.1	66.4/17.0	65.2/17.8	



Outcome: Students demonstrate high standards. (continued)

Science	Jurisdiction	81.3/25.0	64.7/3.3	45.4/4. 9	61.8/4.8	54.9/4.9	if set
	Province	70.0/12.9	65.8/12.1	66.9/12.9	66.7/13.5	68.8/14.6	
Social Studies	Jurisdiction	68.3/10.8	67.8/9.0	48.6/9.5	66.0/12.6	61.0/8.5	if set
	Province	72.0/18.7	72.4/20.1	70.6/18.5	71.9/19.0	70.6/19.0	
Overall	Jurisdiction	77.3/12.0	74.0/8.5	70.8/10.7	75.9/10.6	77.0/12.5	if set
	Province	78.1/18.2	77.7/17.7	77.4/17.6	77.1/17.4	76.3/17.9	

Comment on Results

- ► Gr. 3 Targets met or exceeded Acceptable levels are excellent.
- ► Gr. 6 Approaching the acceptable provincial average. Division needs to focus on improving Math 6 levels.
- ▶ Gr. 9 Although regular students are at provincial average, special needs students struggle, therefore, cohort results are below average.

Comment on progress toward 2008/09

target (if applicable)

State the target, progress to date toward achieving the target, actions taken to improve results to date and in the future.

Graph of Overall Jurisdiction Results

^{* &}quot;A" = Acceptable; "E" = Excellence — the percentages achieving the acceptable standard include the percentages achieving the standard of excellence.



Outcome: Students demonstrate high standards. (continued)

Performance Measure			Results	(in perce	ntages)		Target
Percentages of student achieve the acceptable and the percentages when the percentages where the percentages when the percentages where the percentage where the percentages where the percentage where t	standard						
the standard of exceller		$A \mid E^*$					
diploma examinations.		2002/03	2003/04	2004/05	2005/06	2006/07	2006/07
English 30-1	Jurisdiction		96.9/7.7	96.7/18.5	97.0/19.4	95.6/10.3	if set
	Province		98.0/21.3	97.6/21.0	97.3/22.3	97.1/21.7	
English 30-2	Jurisdiction		93.0/4.7	96.8/6.5	97.9/0.0	97.2/0.0	if set
	Province		94.0/3.9	95.8/5.7	94.6/5.1	95.7/5.8	
French LA 30	Jurisdiction	100/11.1	100/0.0	100/22.2	100/60.0	100/42.9	if set
	Province	98.3/24.7	99.2/27.3	99.4/29.6	99.1/30.0	99.4/32.5	
Social Studies	Jurisdiction	90.7/8.0	95.7/10.1	93.5/19.6	90.2/23.0	95.9/19.2	if set
30	Province	96.7/23.4	96.8/24.9	96.8/25.7	96.7/25.7	97.0/26.4	
Social Studies	Jurisdiction	91.7/8.3	86.3/0.0	90.7/4.7	81.3/4.2	82.4/8.8	if set
33	Province	92.2/8.5	92.8/9.4	94.3/11.2	93.5/11.5	93.8/13.0	
Pure Math 30	Jurisdiction	76.2/9.5	83.7/18.6	91.2/12.3	91.5/21.3	94.1/19.6	if set
	Province	92.8/27.5	92.7/32.1	91.9/28.6	92.6/29.9	91.7/28.7	
Applied Math 30	Jurisdiction	89.3/3.6	100/7.7	90.3/9.7	85.7/0.0	82.4/11.8	if set
	Province	92.6/9.5	92.9/10.5	94.2/14.6	89.6/10.0	89.9/10.8	
Biology 30	Jurisdiction	87.0/15.6	82.5/17.5	90.0/27.8	91.8/32.8	94.9/29.1	if set
	Province	92.0/25.2	93.0/28.7	92.8/29.8	93.1/29.9	93.6/30.5	
Chemistry 30	Jurisdiction	93.9/9.1	83.3/16.7	92.7/26.8	92.9/39.3	97.4/35.9	if set
	Province	92.9/26.1	94.1/29.3	95.1/33.0	95.1/36.3	95.5/37.2	
Physics 30	Jurisdiction	81.0/4.8	80.0/8.0	80.0/11.1	75.0/10.0	94.6/13.5	if set
	Province	93.0/28.5	94.3/32.8	94.0/32.9	94.2/34.1	94.5/34.4	
Science 30	Jurisdiction	100/0.0	100/0.0	100/20.0			if set
	Province	93.9/15.6	93.3/13.9	93.8/17.5	93.5/15.9	93.9/16.9	
Overall	Jurisdiction	90.0/7.8	91.0/8.3	92.9/16.3	90.0/21.0	93.5/19.1	if set
	Province	93.8/21.0	94.6/21.3	95.1/22.7	94.5/22.8	94.7/23.5	

^{* &}quot;A" = Acceptable; "E" = Excellence — the percentages achieving the acceptable standard include the percentages achieving the standard of excellence.



Comment on Results	Graph of Overall Jurisdiction Results (optional)
 Continue to have a high participation rate. Language Arts 30-1 and 30-2 are at a high level of acceptable standard. Improvement show in Pure Math 30. Continue to struggle in the Sciences. 	
Comment on progress toward 2008/09	
target (if applicable)	
State the target, progress to date toward achieving the target, actions taken to improve results to date and in the future.	

Outcome: Students demonstrate high standards. (continued)

				Results			Target
Performance Measure		2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05	2005/06	2006/07
Diploma examination	tion Jurisdiction	44.8	42.9	31.6	45.7	39.8	if set
participation rate: Percentages of	Province	50.1	51.4	52.4	53.5	53.7	

students who have written four or more diploma exams by the end of their third year of high school.

Comment on Results

Comment on progress toward 2008/09 target

State the target, progress to date toward achieving the target, actions taken to improve results to date and in the future.

Graph of Overall Jurisdiction Results (optional)

Percentage of students writing 0 to 6 or more Diploma Examinations by the end of their 3rd year of high school

		Holy Fami	ly Catholic Re	gional Divisio	n No. 37		Province					
	2001/2002	2002/2003	2003/2004	2004/2005	2005/2006	Prev 3 Yr Average	2001/2002	2002/2003	2003/2004	2004/2005	2005/2006	Prev 3 Yr Average
N	186	153	142	162	149	152	42,709	43,372	43,223	43,033	43,933	43,209
% Writing 0 Exams	20.8	20.5	23.8	22.5	29.3	22.3	20.3	19.1	18.3	18.1	17.8	18.5
% Writing 1+ Exams	79.2	79.5	76.2	77.5	70.7	77.7	79.7	80.9	81.7	81.9	82.2	81.5
% Writing 2+ Exams	74.2	72.8	69.0	71.2	67.3	71.0	75.4	77.0	77.9	78.2	78.5	77.7
% Writing 3+ Exams	59.8	56.3	51.7	61.0	48.1	56.3	61.9	63.2	64.1	65.6	65.6	64.3
% Writing 4+ Exams	44.8	42.9	31.6	45.7	39.8	40.1	50.1	51.4	52.4	53.5	53.7	52.4
% Writing 5+ Exams	23.8	28.1	20.1	28.0	23.3	25.4	31.0	32.9	33.9	34.5	34.6	33.7
% Writing 6+ Exams	10.5	12.7	11.5	13.3	7,6	12.5	10.7	12.0	12.8	12.8	13.0	12.5

Note:

Results are based upon a cohort of grade 10 students who are tracked over time. The table shows the percentage of students in this cohort who complete diploma exams by the end of their third year of high school.

Data values have been suppressed where the number of respondents is less than 6.

Outcome: Students demonstrate high standards. (continued)

				Results			Target
Performance Measure		2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05	2005/06	2006/07
Percentages of Grade	Jurisdiction	33.6	34.4	28.9	35.6	33.3	if set
12 students meeting the Rutherford	Province	31.2	32.5	33.8	35.3	37.2	

Scholarship eligibility criteria.

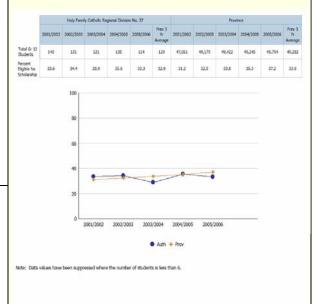
Comment on Results

(contextual information, factors affecting performance, analysis of results).If results on Accountability Pillar measures have an improvement evaluation of "Improved" or "Improved significantly," identify the strategies or action taken by the jurisdiction (or schools) that may have contributed to this improvement.

Comment on progress toward 2008/09 target (if applicable)

State the target, progress to date toward achieving the target, actions taken to improve results to date and in the future.

Graph of Overall Jurisdiction Results (optional)





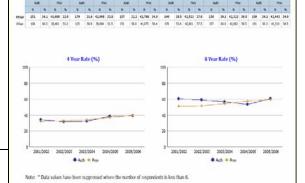
Outcome: Students are well prepared for lifelong learning.

Performance				Results			Target
Measure		2001/02	2002/03	2003/04	2004/05	2005/06	2006/07
High school to post-	Within 4 years:						
secondary transition rate within four and six years of entering Grade 10.	Jurisdiction	34.1	31.6	32.2	38.5	39.1	if set
	Province	32.0	32.8	34.0	37.0	39.5	
	Within 6 years:						
	Jurisdiction	60.3	58.9	56.6	53.4	60.6	if set
	Province	51.2	51.5	54.4	57.5	59.5	

Comment on Results

Our transition rate is above provincial average.

Graph of Overall Jurisdiction Results (optional)



Comment on progress toward 2008/09

target (if applicable)

State the target, progress to date toward achieving the target, actions taken to improve results to date and in the future.

Include a note indicating that the 4 year rate is the Accountability Pillar measure, which is evaluated and reported in the Accountability Pillar Summary.

Outcome: Students are well prepared for employment.

			Res	ults		Target	
Performance Measure		2003/04	2004/05	2005/06	2006/07	2006/07	-
Percentages of teachers and	Overall						Ī
parents who agree that students are	Jurisdiction	79.9	73.8	78.6	82.1	if set	
taught attitudes and behaviours that will make them successful at work	Province	72.2	74.9	77.0	77.1		
when they finish school.	Teachers						Ī
	Jurisdiction	91.1	88.8	87.3	92.6		
	Province	87.3	89.1	89.4	89.2		
	Parents				ı		
	Jurisdiction	68.7	58.8	69.8	71.5		
	Province	57.1	60.8	64.6	65.1		
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Outcome: Students model the characteristics of active citizenship.

			Res	ults		Target	
Performance Measure		2003/04	2004/05	2005/06	2006/07	2006/07	
Percentages of teachers, parents	Overall	'		1	•		١
and students who are satisfied that students model the characteristics	Jurisdiction	74.3	72.5	73.8	74.8	if set	
of active citizenship.	Province	67.5	70.3	72.4	72.6		
•	Teachers						
	Jurisdiction	85.4	84.8	82.8	85.9		
	Province	86.1	89.5	90.3	89.9		
	Parents						
	Jurisdiction	77.8	69.1	74.4	72.1		
	Province	67.5	70.3	72.4	72.6		1
	Students						
	Jurisdiction	59.8	63.6	64.2	66.5		
	Province	63.0	66.1	67.5	67.1		
Comment on Results • We need to discuss with our to	oooboro w		ph of Ove	rall Juris	diction R	esults	
they have a lower perception students modeling active citiz	of our	Overall Reserve States	2001/2004 2004/2003 2001/2004 2004/2003 2001/2004 2001/2005 2001/2004 2001/2	d Driver No. 37 300/2007 Re- 210 300/2007 Re- 210 No. No. No. No. 738 735 Mai 662 723 13 642 643 646 428 623 9 642 843 646 428 623 9 642 843 646 428 623 9	\$200000 2004/2001 2004/2004 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10	2004/2007	
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Also report results on all local jurisdiction Goal Two measures from the jurisdiction's Three-Year Education Plan 2006/07 – 2008/09 in relation to Goal 2, Goal 2 outcomes and targets for 2006/07. Minimum one year of results – Jurisdictions are encouraged to provide multi-year results for trend analysis.



Comments and Highlights of Accomplishments

- Improved achievement in early literacy and numeracy.
- Successful early literacy program.
- Successful integration of technology.
- ► High levels of satisfaction on quality of education expressed by First Nations parents.
- ► Increase First Nations, Métis and Inuit programming resources and personnel support.
- Average class size provincial targets met all categories.
- Regular students are performing very well.
- Successful completion of cycle II of AISI Differentiated Instruction by meeting all goals.

Future Challenges

- Having specialized teachers in specialized programs.
- Improving standards of excellence.
- ▶ Timetabling issues in small high schools.
- ▶ Improving overall achievement at grade 6 and 9 levels.
- ▶ Improving achievement in Physics 30, Biology 30 and Social 30.
- ▶ Improving the 3-year high school completion rate.
- ▶ Improving achievement levels of grade 9 special needs students by ensuring they are in appropriate programs (i.e. Knowledge and Employability).
- ▶ Place high school students in programs that they can be successful in.





Goal Three: Highly Responsive and Responsible Jurisdiction

Outcome: The jurisdiction demonstrates effective working relationships with partners and stakeholders.

			Res	ults		Target	
Performance Measure		2003/04	2004/05	2005/06	2006/07	2006/07	
Percentages of teachers and	Overall						e.
parents satisfied with parental involvement in decisions about their	Jurisdiction	80.1	78.6	76.9	79.2	if set	
child's education.	Province	74.1	76.1	77.9	77.5		
	Teachers						
	Jurisdiction	89.7	84.2	83.0	85.1		
	Province	85.4	87.0	87.6	87.1		
	Parents						ANOHO
	Jurisdiction	70.5	72.9	70.8	73.3		
	Province	62.8	65.2	68.1	67.9		
Parents are satisfied with their level of involvement in decisions about their child's education yet teacher want more parental involvement.		2003/2004 2004/2005 N 9e N 196 90.1 268 ant 135 70.5 133 her 61 89.7 135 (72.9 120 70.8 134 7 94.2 144 83.0 137 8 Ic Regional Division No. 37	Prev 3V 2003/2004		2004/1007 Pee 37 Arrange Arran	96 76.0 65.4 86.7
		based upon survey of all grade	2005/2006 2004/2007 where the number of respondents and their to 4, 7 and 10 students and their				ers ar

Outcome: The jurisdiction demonstrates leadership and continuous improvement.

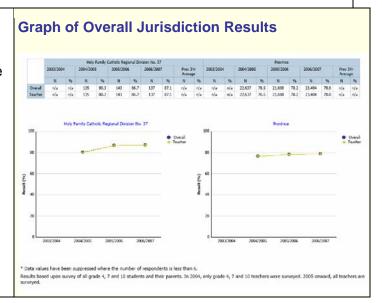
			Res	ults		Target	
Performance Measure		2003/04	2004/05	2005/06	2006/07	2006/07	
Percentages of teachers and	Overall						ΚE
parents indicating that their school	Jurisdiction	78.1	73.8	75.9	80.0	if set	REGUIK
and schools in their jurisdiction have improved or stayed the same in the	Province	68.8	73.9	76.8	76.3		KE
last three years.	Teachers						
	Jurisdiction	79.2	70.1	77.6	79.3		
	Province	67.2	73.1	75.5	74.5		A.
	Parents				1		OPTIONAL
	Jurisdiction	79.4	73.6	74.2	77.9		
	Province	65.3	70.9	75.4	75.1		
Comment on Results ► Meeting targets.			Perall Juris			d the same the last three years	1.
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Outcome: The jurisdiction demonstrates leadership and continuous improvement. (continued)

			Res	ults		Target
Performance Measure		2003/04	2004/05	2005/06	2006/07	2006/07
Percentages of teachers reporting	Teachers					
that in the past 3-5 years the	Jurisdiction		80.3	86.7	87.1	if set
professional development and in- servicing received from the school	Province		76.5	78.2	78.8	
authority has been focused, systematic and contributed significantly to their ongoing professional growth.						

Comment on Results

 Continue to focus on Professional Development and teachers recognize this focus.



Highlights of Accomplishments

- ▶ Parents satisfied with their involvement in decisions about their child's education.
- ▶ High levels of teacher engagement in Differentiated Instruction (AISI).
- ▶ High levels of support for staff professional development.
- ▶ Agreement from students and parents that the education system is improving.
- ▶ Parents, teachers, students believe our jurisdiction has improved in the last three vears.



Future Challenges

- Providing on-going support for leadership in jurisdiction.
- Providing support in Catholic leadership.
- ▶ Ensuring effective school partnerships are maintained.
- Developing a culture of assessment for learning.

Highlights of Capital and Facilities Projects

The Division maintains a Ten-Year Facility Plan. All school facilities have been audited through Alberta Infrastructure's School Facility Evaluation Program and the RECAPP system. The information was used to develop the Three-Year Capital Plan which outlined the short-term needs for capital upgrades relating to addition space requirements and high priority needs for major modernizations.

Holy Family School in Grimshaw and École Providence in McLennan have been identified for major capital upgrades in the Three-Year Capital Plan. Holy Family School requires a major modernization to improve building components to enhance the learning environment and improve facility functionality for K-9 delivery. École Providence would be right-sized and mechanical, structural and electrical upgrades would improve the learning environment and would result in a more functional facility for providing a K-9 program.

CTS lab additions at Glenmary School in Peace River are a high priority for facility additions within the Division's Three-Year Capital Plan. Such an addition will accommodate a variety of CTS programming allowing for more choices for students. In the interim, space to provide CTS programming is leased from a business across the street. Temporary modifications have been made through the IMR funding. The gymnasium floor was replaced to improve safety conditions.

Construction of the new replacement school for St. Stephen's School in Valleyview began in July 2005 and was completed in September 2006. Landscaping was completed in the Spring of 2007. The new facility will provide the students with a very modern and functional facility that will provide for a K – 9 program.

A major modernization and addition to Rosary School in Manning was completed in 2002. The project provided for a modern and functional learning environment as well as appropriate space for a K – 9 program.





St. Andrew's School has been identified as requiring a new gymnasium to accommodate the high school program. The present facility has several safety issues around court size. The needs of this school have been added to the Three-Year Capital Plan. A modular classroom

has been added to Good Shepherd School to accommodate the class size initiative. This allows for improved programming.

As Capital Funding for major capital projects from Alberta Infrastructure is not forthcoming in the short term, Infrastructure Maintenance Renewal Program funding was used with many smaller projects to upgrade facilities to an acceptable standard, thus, ensuring a good learning environment.

The Corporate Secretary is the Division's contact person for further information of any school facility and can be contacted at 780-624-3956. The Division's Facility Plans are also available on the Division's webpage at www.hfcrd.ab.ca.





Financial Summary

The Holy Family Catholic Regional Division No. 37 closed the 2006/07 fiscal year with revenues of \$24,695,258 and expenses of \$22,709,680 resulting in a surplus of \$985,578

The Division operates on a site-based management system where each school and other operational departments are considered as separate sites. The instructional block consisted of 76.7% of our total expenditures. 4.4% was spent on administration and the remainder was dedicated to operation and maintenance of schools and transportation.

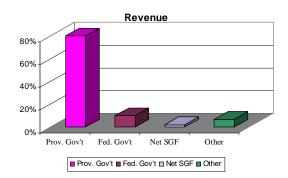
As of August 31, 2007, Holy Family Catholic Regional Division held \$5,057,336 in Operational Reserves to aid in the day-to-day and year-to-year budget plans of each site. A further \$1,693,512 was held in Capital Reserves for future capital purchases.

The following chart on revenues, expenditures by function and object are provided for your information. Detailed financial information is available at www.hfcrd.ab.ca or by contacting the Corporate Treasurer at 780-624-3956 or toll free at 1-800-285-8712.

In addition, comparative information is available in the provincial report at www.edc.gov.ab.ca/funding/afs.

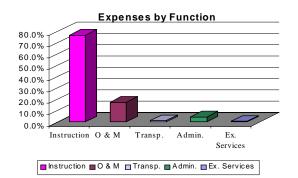
Revenue Summary

Total Expenses by Object	24,695,258 - 100%
Other Revenue	<u>1,759,590 - 7%</u>
Net School Generated Funds	538,530 - 2%
Federal Government/First Nations	2,527,164 - 10%
Provincial Government	19,869,974 - 80%



Expenses by Function

Total	23,709,680- 100%
External Services	115,033 - 5%
Administration	1, 032,502 - 4.4%
Transportation	264,825 - 1.1%
O & M	4,116,222 - 17.4%
Instruction	18,181,098 - 76.7%





Financial Summary (Continued)

Expenses by Object

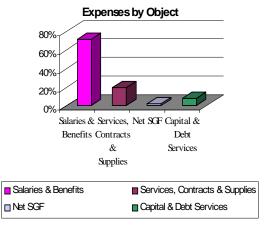
 Salaries and Benefits
 16,844,103
 71%

 Services, Contracts & Supplies
 4,492,604
 19%

 Net School Generated Funds
 538,530
 2%

 Capital & Debt Services
 1,834,443
 8%

 23,709,680
 100%



Total Spending Per Student

Instruction	2,098 FTE	\$ 8	3,666
Operations and Maintenance	2,098 FTE	\$ 1	,962
Administration	2,098 FTE	\$	492
September 30, 2006 Total FTE		2,098	
Total spending per student excluding External Services			1,246



Division Profile

Holy Family Catholic Regional Division No. 37 was formed on September 1, 1997, through the regionalization of the former Holy Family Catholic Separate Regional Division No. 17 and North Peace Roman Catholic Separate School District No. 43. This report reflects the 10th year of operation of the regional division. The results achieved will be used to establish goals in future education plans of the Division.

The Regional Division provides Catholic education to the northern communities of Fort Vermilion, Manning, Grimshaw, Peace River, McLennan, Valleyview and High Prairie. A virtual school in McLennan provides a grades 7 – 12 program in which students from across the province are enrolled. An agreement with Fort Vermilion School Division No. 52 provides for that Division to operate St. Mary's School which is owned by Holy Family Catholic Regional Division No. 37. The Catholic Regional Division also operates the school in the Youth Assessment Centre (St. Francis Holistic Learning Centre) in High Prairie.

A comprehensive range of programs was provided for 2,178 students enrolled in the following nine schools.

SCHOOL	GRADES	# OF STUDENTS	PRINCIPAL
Rosary – Manning	ECS to 9	193	Mrs. Sheila Dillman
Holy Family - Grimshaw	ECS to 9	220	Mr. Charlie Bouchard
Good Shepherd – Peace River	ECS to 6	391	Mr. Patrick Connellan
Glenmary – Peace River	7 to12	397	Mr. John Kuran
St. Andrew's - High Prairie	ECS to 12	561	Mr. Marc Lamoureux
Providence – McLennan	ECS to 9	92	Mr. Gary Fisher
St. Stephen's – Valleyview	ECS to 9	249	Mrs. Augusta Parker
Cyberhigh – High Prairie	7 to 12	71	Mrs. Linda Vandenberg
St. Francis Holistic Learning Centre	7 – 12	4	Mr. Marc Lamoureux