



Quality Framework

A) Governance, Anchor Documents and Sustainable Directions

	Element	Good	Great	Excellent
Governance, Anchor Documents and Sustainable Directions	A1) High quality Anchor documents (School Vision, Values and Purpose) are in place.	Anchor documents reflect a degree of innovation and aspiration for the school community. Some Anchor documents refer to valuing student learning. Some members of the staff and community could point to them having had input into the development of the documents. Members affirmed that their input had been honored.	Anchor documents reflect a high degree of innovation and aspiration for the school community. Anchor documents make some reference to learning at all levels and value student learning. Most members of the staff and community could point to them having had significant input into the review and development of the documents. Members affirmed that their input had been honored.	Anchor documents consistently reflect a comprehensive degree of innovation and aspiration for the school. Anchor documents clearly value learning at all levels, reinforce high expectations and focus on student success. All members of the staff and community indicate having had significant input into the review, development and application of the documents through a number of forums. All members strongly affirmed that their input had been honored.
	A2) The school's Anchor documents are clear and aligned, are prominently displayed and a understood by the community.	Anchor documents have not been reviewed in recent years and show some inconsistencies across the various documents. There is a loose alignment with the documents and other strategic documents. Aspects of the Anchor documents are referred to in some other strategies and policies. They are displayed in some areas of the school and are distributed irregularly. They are understood by some members of staff and the community.	The documents have been reviewed in recent years and show connections across the various documents. They are clearly displayed in various areas of the school and are distributed on a regular basis. There is a clear alignment with the documents and most other strategic documents. Many aspects of the documents are regularly and clearly referred to in other strategies and policies. Most school members could connect the documents with theirs and others' behaviours. They are well understood by most members of staff and the community, who could refer to some aspects of them.	The Anchor documents have been regularly reviewed and refined with strong connections across the various documents. They are clearly prominent in all key areas of the school and are referred to directly by leaders on a regular basis. There is a strong alignment with the documents and all other key documents. All aspects of the documents are directly referred to in other strategies and policies. All school members could connect the documents with theirs and others' behaviours. They are well understood by members of staff and the community, who could refer to many specific aspects of them.
	A3) There are clear and consistently followed decision- making and governance processes that span all key areas.	Governance has a futures orientation and is constituted to enable the school to have a sense of purpose and direction. The governance structure is aligned to support the Principal and leadership team. There are clear role statements for key governance members. They sometimes refer to the Anchor documents and consider the Strategic Plans.	Governance has a clear futures orientation and is constituted to enable the school to have a clear and sustainable sense of purpose and direction. The governance structure is clearly aligned to support the Principal and leadership team. There are clear role statements for key governance members. They often refer to the Anchor documents and closely consider the Strategic Plans.	Governance has a clear futures orientation and is constituted to enable the school to have a clear, comprehensive and sustainable sense of purpose and direction. The governance structure is clearly aligned to support the Principal and leadership team, and is reviewed for this purpose. There are clear role statements for key governance members that are adjusted upon review. Governance frequently refer to the Anchor documents and Strategic Plans and lead their review and ongoing refinement with the Principal.