

Congratulations to EcoSchools

Toronto Catholic District School Board congratulates its 53 elementary and secondary schools that successfully qualified this year as Ontario EcoSchools. There are now over 900 Ontario eco-schools from 40 different Boards in the Province. TCDSB now has 1/4 of its schools certified. To achieve EcoSchool status takes a lot of hard work and dedication from the school's eco-team along with support from administration, teaching and maintenance staff, students and the local community. It is truly an honour to become a Certified Ontario EcoSchool.

Of special note are the five schools that have now been certified for the past four years. All were pioneers in the first year of TCDSB striving for EcoSchool status. These include:

Loretto Abbey Catholic Secondary School

Marshall McLuhan Catholic Secondary School

Nativity of Our Lord Catholic School

St. Dunstan Catholic School

St. Monica Catholic School

All five of these schools went through great pains and trial and error that very first year and continue to lead the way for our TCDBB schools.

St. Paschal Baylon Catholic School, who took a rest last year, came back with a vengeance this year with the highest number of points: 97/100. Twenty-one new schools have made the list this year and we have many that achieved EcoSchool status for three years now. There are several schools that have begun the process, creating strong eco-teams, who we know will be successful next year!

TCDSB Certified Ontario EcoSchools 2009-2010

School	Year	Level
St. Boniface	2	Bronze
St. Jerome	3	Bronze
St. Lawrence	1	Bronze
St. Philip Neri	1	Bronze
Blessed Sacrament	2	Silver
Blessed Trinity	1	Silver
Cardinal Newman	2	Silver
Father Serra	3	Silver
Francis Libermann	1	Silver
Holy Cross	1	Silver
Holy Spirit	1	Silver
Loretto Abbey	4	Silver
Madonna	1	Silver
Marshall McLuhan	4	Silver
Mary Ward CSS	3	Silver
Michael Power/St. Joseph	1	Silver
Our Lady of Fatima	2	Silver
Our Lady of the Assumption	2	Silver
Precious Blood	1	Silver

St. Barnabas	1	Silver
St. Brendan	1	Silver
St. Cecilia	1	Silver
St. Elizabeth	1	Silver
St. Gregory	2	Silver
St. Joachim	2	Silver
St. John	2	Silver
St. Joseph's College	2	Silver
St. Jude	1	Silver
St. Marguerite Bourgeoys	1	Silver
St. Mary (secondary)	2	Silver
St. Michael's Choir	1	Silver
St. Norbert	2	Silver
St. Rose of Lima	1	Silver
Blessed Margherita	2	GOLD
Chaminade College	3	GOLD
Holy Child	3	GOLD
Holy Name	3	GOLD
Msgr. Percy Johnson	1	GOLD
Nativity of our Lord	4	GOLD
Our Lady of Sorrows	3	GOLD
Pope John Paul II	2	GOLD
St. Agatha	1	GOLD
St. Alphonsus	3	GOLD
St. Brigid	3	GOLD
St. Clement	1	GOLD
St. Dunstan	4	GOLD
St. Henry	3	GOLD
St. Mary of the Angels	1	GOLD
St. Monica	4	GOLD
St. Paschal Baylon	3	GOLD
St. Timothy	3	GOLD
St. Wilfrid	3	GOLD
Sts. Cosmas and Damian	3	GOLD