

French Advisory Committee Meeting  
May 23, 2019 (4:00 - 5:00 p.m.)  
*Agenda*

1. Late French Immersion

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Overview of Late French Immersion Program

- Where it has been offered
- Registration process
- Historic registration trends
- Late immersion for 2019

2. Challenges in offering late immersion at 5 dual track middle schools

- Actual enrolment demand
- Future space in schools
- Continuity for parents, students and staff
- Equitable registration process

3. Board motion regarding Late Immersion

**C8. Late French Immersion**

Trustee Ferris chaired the meeting so that Chair Duncan could present her motion.  
Trustee Duncan provided an explanation and rationale for the motion.  
Trustees and stakeholders provided comments and asked questions.

Chair Ferris called for a vote on the motion.

It was moved by Trustee Duncan:

That the Board of Education of School District No. 61 (Greater Victoria) direct the Superintendent to establish and document a process for undertaking a review of Late French Immersion programming that takes into account the current Ministry of Education policy on French Immersion programs and that includes a consultation process which involves relevant stakeholders prior to implementing a change to the program, in line with Policy 1163 - *Consultation*.

**Motion Carried**

For: Trustees Duncan, McNally, Painter and Watters

Abstained: Trustee Ferris