2025-2026 School Year



Thank you for your interest in the position of student trustee for the 2025-2026 school year. Learn more about the role of student trustees and the application process at www.yrdsb.ca/studenttrustees.

Application Process

1. Application. Applications are due by December 9, 2024 and must include:

- This completed student trustee application form. Please ensure that your school principal knows you are applying and has signed your application form.
- A poster created in Google docs or Google slides. The poster will include ONLY:

 Student name -Image of student or image representing student -Top three reasons for seeking the role of student trustee
- Completed Google form that can be found at www.yrdsb.ca/studenttrustees. You can upload your completed application form and poster to the Google form.

All candidates will be contacted via email to their gapps account. The information you share in this application form will be posted to a Google site that students in Grades 5-12 in your area can access.

2. Area campaign and voting (January 2025)

Students will visit an internal website and vote for the student trustee candidate who will represent their area (Central, East, North or West).

3. Final four candidates campaign period (February 2025)

One candidate from each area will be selected by students to run for the two positions of student trustee. Each of the final four candidates are required to film a short video, which will be posted on the Board website to help promote your candidacy.

4. Voting period (February 2025)

Voting for the two student trustees who will represent students in the 2025-2026 school year will take place. All students in Grades 5-12 can vote for student trustee.

Please complete the following information. If you have any questions about this process or the application form, please contact studenttrustee.elections@yrdsb.ca

Student Name:	GAPPS email:
School:	Grade in 2025-2026 school year:
	Grade 11 Grade 12

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Student Trustee Candidate Profile

Please answer the following questions. This information will be shared on a Google site for students to review when making decisions about voting.

Maximum 300 words for each response.

1. Why are you running for the position of student trustee?

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Please answer the following questions. This information will be shared on a Google site for students to review when making decisions about voting.

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2. What do you wish to accomplish during your term?

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3. How do you intend to fulfill your role and accomplish your goals?

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Application Criteria

I have read the roles and responsibilities of a student trustee at www.yrdsb.ca/studenttrustees and information about the application process above. I am interested in applying for the position of student trustee for the 2025-2026 school year.

Privacy

Personal information on the Student Trustee Application form is collected pursuant to the Education Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. E.2, O. Reg. 7/07, section 4(1), as amended, and will be used to inform the 2025–2026 Student Trustee election process. Applicant responses will be made available to the students of the York Region District School Board to inform their selection of a Student Trustee.

The final four (4) candidates will be required to film a short video that will be made available to the school community on the York Region District School Board's public website.

If you have questions or concerns about this collection and use, please contact Trustee Services at 60 Wellington Street West, Aurora or studenttrustee.elections@yrdsb.ca for more information.

By submitting this application form, you acknowledge that your responses will be shared with the students and school community of the York Region District School Board for the Student Trustee election process.

Signatures

Candidate:	Parent/Guardian:	
Principal:	Principal email address:	