



Lester B. Pearson School Board

Central Students Committee

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Budget Consultation Response

2020-2021

Student voice question of the month in relation to budget consultation:

Where do you think the school board should invest:

- a) *Student services:*
- b) *Student recreation:*
- c) *Facilities:*

General Priorities:

- The consideration of allocating more teachers to have smaller class sizes (maximum 25), as this is more conducive to personalized learning.
- The provision of additional professional services (i.e. counselors, therapists, mental health professionals, etc...), especially post-COVID.
- There is a need for more after-school academic support (i.e. tutors, etc...) and a virtual platform for these services would be very beneficial.

School-Specific Priorities:

Beaconsfield High School: Student recreation in terms of extracurricular activities

John Rennie High School: Facilities in terms of sports space and washroom accessibility.

Lindsay Place High School: Student Recreation, funding for preserving strings program as well as more student recreation opportunity events.

Macdonald High School: Student recreation, need for band instrument funding, and extracurricular activity presence.

Pierrefonds Community High School: Student professional services needed such as mental health support, as well as school nurse services.

St Thomas High School: Student recreation, more need for after school programs.

Westwood Senior.:Student services, Additional homework and mental health help, need for improvements to classrooms and washrooms.