## **BSJ Documents**

## The purpose of the BSJ

The Pastor has ultimate responsibility for the parish, and within it for the school. It is the **Pastor** (or in AIM Schools, the **Superintendent** or her representative, the **Assistant Superintendent** for the Vicariate) who establishes the **Board of Specified Jurisdiction**.

The BSJ is intended to bring professional expertise in the specified areas of

Planning,

Development,

Finances and Facilities Maintenance,

Marketing, Recruitment, and Enrollment Management

to enhance the educational and spiritual leadership of the principal and pastor. The Pastor and Principal do not relinquish their leadership in education and Catholic identity and practice; they welcome the Board to collaborate in providing for a strong and vital infrastructure for the school in the specified areas.

Areas reserved to the Office of Catholic Schools.

**Selection of Board Members** 

**Skill Sets** 

Balancing membership on the board

Term on Board

**Exclusions** 

By-laws (Parish-Operated, InterParish-Operated)