Mission and Vision

**STANDARD 1:**

The School Is Mission Driven.

**OVERVIEW:**

List significant changes that have been made by your school in this area during its previous accreditation cycle.

Since our last accreditation, we studied our mission statement, which was “Our mission is proclaiming the Gospel of Jesus Christ in an atmosphere of Christian Love. Together with parents and church, we help our students grow spiritually, mentally, academically, physically, and socially.” Our new mission statement is “Leading our students to know and share Christ.”

**REQUIRED INDICATORS OF SUCCESS:**

Indicate whether or not the school meets the required indicators of success by circling **Yes** or **No**.

**YES**  NO \*1:01 The written mission statement reflects a school philosophy and purpose rooted in Holy Scripture.

**YES**  NO \*1:02 The school’s mission statement, beliefs, and the school’s expectations for student learning guide the procedures, policies, and decisions of the school and is evident in the culture of the school.

**GENERAL INDICATORS OF SUCCESS:**

Evaluate the level of implementation for each of the other indicators of success. Tally and record your point total at the end of this section.

1:03 The school’s mission is aligned with its core values and those of its various stakeholder groups and organizations.

 **\_3\_\_Met in Full (3) \_\_\_Mostly Met (2) \_\_\_Rarely Met (1) \_\_\_Not Presently Met (0) \_\_3\_\_\_**

 COMMENTS: Refer to Core Values and Mission Statement as written in handbooks.

1:04 The school’s vision aligns with its core values and charts the course for accomplishing its mission.

 **\_3\_\_Met in Full (3) \_\_\_Mostly Met (2) \_\_\_Rarely Met (1) \_\_\_Not Presently Met (0) \_3\_\_\_**

 COMMENTS: School board minutes align with stated core values and indicate time lines for accomplishing.

1:05 The school’s mission was developed in accordance with governance policy.

 **\_3\_\_Met in Full (3) \_\_\_Mostly Met (2) \_\_\_Rarely Met (1) \_\_\_Not Presently Met (0) \_\_\_3\_\_**

 COMMENTS: Voter's meetings minutes give details.

1:06 The school’s mission and vision are communicated effectively to staff, parents, students, and operating

 congregation(s).

 **\_\_\_Met in Full (3) \_2\_\_Mostly Met (2) \_\_\_Rarely Met (1) \_\_\_Not Presently Met (0) \_\_2\_\_**

 COMMENTS: Communication could be better - The February Church Newsletter gives a summarized report, but perhaps more regular information and updates could be relayed via our webpage under "Board Minutes."

1:07 The school’s goals, learner outcomes, and activities are aligned to the school’s mission

 and vision.

 **\_\_3\_Met in Full (3) \_\_\_Mostly Met (2) \_\_\_Rarely Met (1) \_\_\_Not Presently Met (0) \_\_3\_\_\_**

 COMMENTS: Refer to various handbooks - Parent-Student, Preschool, Athletic - to view goal statements and objectives.

1:08 The school annually reviews its core values, mission and vision.

 **\_\_3\_Met in Full (3) \_\_\_Mostly Met (2) \_\_\_Rarely Met (1) \_\_\_Not Presently Met (0) \_3\_\_\_**

 COMMENTS: School Board Minutes

1:09 The school uses a variety of data indicators to ensure that expectations for student learning reflect student needs, community expectations and local, state and national standards.

 **\_\_\_Met in Full (3) \_2\_\_Mostly Met (2) \_\_\_Rarely Met (1) \_\_\_Not Presently Met (0) \_\_2\_\_\_**

 COMMENTS: St. John’s has begun utilizing the state and national standards in curriculum decisions as it pertains to student learning.

 Total: 19

**ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS:**

A. Are all Required Indicators of Success complete and available for review? \_Yes\_

B. What is your point total for Standard 1? \_\_\_19\_\_\_\_\_\_

C. Is the total for the GENERAL Indicators of Success a minimum of 14 points? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_Yes\_\_\_\_\_\_

D. Have you provided comments of explanation or proposed actions to meet any of the GENERAL Indicators of Success that are not fully met? Yes