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RURAL SCHOOL LIGHTHOUSE PROGRAMS

School Board	School	Region	Description
Algoma District School Board	Elliot Lake	North	<i>Alternative Program Focus (Late School):</i> re-engaging students through enhancement of classroom resources, technology and transportation
Algoma District School Board	Central Algoma	North	<i>ON-SITE:</i> implementation of a specialized and integrated school-to-work transition experience
Algoma District School Board	W.C. Eaket	North	<i>Enhancement to existing student programs:</i> programs focus on areas such as credit recovery, packaging courses around horticulture, aboriginal arts and crafts and design/technology; focus on parent/school relationship building through the creation of a parent and community access room and resource centre
Avon Maitland District School Board	Mitchell District	London	<i>Complementing resources in Cosmetology and Healthy Living Pathways:</i> maintenance and expansion of cosmetology, agricultural and literacy/numeracy program supports
Bluewater District School Board	Chelsea District	Barrie	<i>Agri-Business:</i> authentic farm-based co-operative education and classroom experiences
District School Board of Niagara	Beamsville/South Lincoln	London	<i>Building Construction Partnerships in Rural Areas:</i> provision of workplace opportunities with increased technology, e-learning, transportation and partnerships
District School Board of Niagara	Beamsville/South Lincoln/E.L.Crossley/ Niagara District Secondary/Ridgeway/ Crystal Beach	London	<i>Visit Wine Country – Explore the Possibilities:</i> provision of agricultural and viticultural co-operative education opportunities supported through e-learning, development of horticultural programming and community partnerships

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District School Board of Ontario North East	Cochrane	North	<i>Supporting Aboriginal Students with Alternative Learning:</i> creation of an alternative learning centre and virtual co-operative education access; emphasis on Aboriginal literature and music in curriculum development
District School Board of Ontario North East	Timiskaming	North	<i>Enhancement of Cooperative Education Programs (Agri-Tech and Tool Time):</i> a focus on building partnerships in the community, updating technology and curriculum development
District School Board of Ontario North East	Roland Michener	North	<i>Enhancement of Transportation Technology program:</i> expansion of partnerships with local businesses and industry, furthering links to Northern College and providing new e-learning opportunities for technology students
Bruce-Grey Catholic District School Board	Sacred Heart - Walkerton	Barrie	<i>Agriculture/Rural Technology:</i> school-to-work and college preparation focus on farming recreational transportation programming
Catholic District School Board of Eastern Ontario	St. Michael Catholic	Ottawa	<i>Rural Resources Management:</i> establishment of a two-credit multi-level program focusing on environmental issues in science and geography
Catholic District School Board of Eastern Ontario	St. Francis Xavier/St. Thomas Aquinas	Ottawa	<i>Rural Transportation Technology Program:</i> multi-credit transportation technology package creation including three courses for workplace, college and apprenticeship destination pathways
Conseil scolaire de district des écoles publiques de l'Est de l'Ontario	École secondaire publique Gisèle Lalonde	Ottawa	<i>Technological Studies in Construction and Communication:</i> a new model for course delivery and programming based on two dynamic technological approaches to technological studies in construction and communication
Conseil scolaire catholique de district des Grandes Rivières	École secondaire Nouveau-Regard (Cochrane)	North	<i>Technological Education:</i> the school will offer a new range of courses in technological education for students in Grades 9 through 12

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Conseil scolaire de district catholique du Nouvel Ontario	École secondaire catholique Trillium	North	<i>CONNECT</i> makes it possible to increase access to learning and instruction by integrating technology into high-quality instruction
Conseil scolaire de district catholique du Nouvel Ontario	École secondaire catholique Champlain (Chelmsford)	North	<i>Specialization Program – Fabrication-Welding</i> : the school will offer a new study program to students who want to specialize in fabrication welding
Conseil scolaire de district catholique Franco-Nord	École secondaire catholique Franco-cité	North	<i>Welding Program</i> : this program will provide a smooth transition from school to work in various industries that require welding. Students will have an opportunity to earn credits in partnership with <i>Collège Boréal</i> and employers in the region
Conseil scolaire de district catholique Franco-Nord	École secondaire catholique F.J. McElligott	North	<i>My Choice, My Future</i> : a course providing an introduction to the job market. Programming for school-to-work transition that draws on the advantages of the Trans-Canada Highway and Mattawa's natural resources. This new program in hospitality and tourism will make it possible to capitalize on employment opportunities in the industry
Conseil scolaire de district catholique de l'Est ontarien	École secondaire catholique de Plantagenet	Ottawa	<i>Specialization project providing an advanced level of skill in agriculture and rural affairs</i> : this project brings together various elements of a study program that will provide the foundation for a specialization with an advanced level of skill in agriculture and rural affairs. There is a partnership with <i>Collège d'Alfred</i> and the University of Guelph
Conseil scolaire de district catholique de l'Est ontarien	École secondaire catholique d'Embrun	Ottawa	<i>Specialization project providing an advanced level of skill in agriculture and rural affairs</i> : this project brings together various elements of a study program that will provide the foundation for a specialization with an advanced level of skill in agriculture and rural affairs. In partnership with <i>Collège d'Alfred</i> , courses will be offered in modules via distance education
Conseil des écoles catholiques de langue française du Centre-Est de l'Ontario	Béatrice-Desloges	Ottawa	<i>Technological Education Initiative</i> : the creation of new possibilities for technological education through the creation of multiple-component courses. A credit recovery project with individual programs for Grade 9 and Grade 10 students and an extension of the co-

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Conseil scolaire de district du Grand Nord de l'Ontario	Wawa, Long Lac, Marathon, Noelville, Manitouwadge	North	<i>An e-learning network</i> : the creation of networks of resources and the creation of a network for electronic learning. This project will support the overall PARÉ plan, through the delivery of courses in the pre-employment and pre-college streams
Conseil scolaire de district des écoles catholiques du Sud-Ouest	École secondaire catholique St-François Xavier:	South western	<i>Training and the Transition to Work</i> : to increase credits earned in the field of technological education (welding) and to enable a targeted clientele consisting of students who are interested but who have a profile of under-achievement to pursue studies and acquire knowledge and also skills in various aspects of a life-relevant field related to services and industries in the region.
Conseil scolaire de district des écoles catholiques du Sud-Ouest	École secondaire catholique Pain Court	South western	<i>De la terre à la table</i> : to enable a targeted clientele of students who are interested, but who have a profile of under-achievement, to pursue studies and earn credits in the field of agriculture, to acquire knowledge and skills in various aspects of a life-relevant field related to agriculture
Conseil scolaire public du Nord-Est de l'Ontario	École secondaire publique Northern	North	<i>Career Paths</i> : the school offers an authentic experience of technology through the addition of a small motor program in Transportation Technology. At the same time, an intensive credit recovery process will enable students to take advantage of this grouping
Dufferin-Peel Catholic District School Board	Archbishop Oscar Romero	Toronto	<i>Adventure-Based Learning Experience</i> : needs of learners will be met through active, experiential, managed risk-taking and student-directed learning
Durham District School Board	Cartwright	Barrie	<i>Multi-media Program Pathway</i> : expansion of programming alternatives including experiential education, graphic arts, communication technology, and media studies
Durham District School Board	Brock	Barrie	<i>Expansion and enhancement of existing programs</i> : strengthening the 'Pathways to Graduation Model' and 'Community Learning Program'

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Grand Erie District School Board	Grand Erie Virtual Campus	London	<i>Virtual Campus:</i> development and implementation of a synchronous e-learning model that would connect all rural schools in the area, thus creating a virtual campus with open accessibility and support for all students
Greater Essex County District School Board	Harrow District	London	<i>Pathways for Success:</i> provision of adequate infrastructure to offer complete programming in the fields of health care, agriculture, agriculture research and environmental and resource management
Halton Catholic District School Board	Bishop Paul F. Reding	Toronto	<i>Enhancement of Pathways destination Apprenticeship:</i> introduction of new school-to-work construction program; purchase of mobile cross-curricular computer lab; and, relocation of OYAP Electrical Program to Bishop Reding
Hamilton - Wentworth District School Board	Waterdown District	London	<i>Expanded Student Success opportunities:</i> creation of an Industry Certification Centre to provide access for specialized training and certification including employability skills, e-learning offerings, and a variety of technical training courses
Hamilton - Wentworth District School Board	Saltfleet District	London	<i>Agriculture and Horticulture High Skills Major:</i> development of agriculture/horticulture courses with components including landscape technology, small engine repair, lawn maintenance, apprenticeships, equipment technician and cooperative education programs
Hastings and Prince Edward District School Board	North Hastings	Ottawa	<i>Enhancement of Specialized Resources:</i> enhancement of programming in Northern Outdoor Studies and Forestry/Industry-related skills training
Hastings and Prince Edward District School Board	Prince Edward Collegiate	Ottawa	<i>Expansion of Specialized Instructional Training Resource Centre:</i> provision of introductory training sections to prepare students for work experience sessions
Huron Perth Catholic District School Board	St. Anne's Secondary School	London	<i>Direct Connect Your Future:</i> development and implementation of an agriculture-based pre-apprenticeship program that increases student pathways in agriculture and agriculture-based technology

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Kawartha Pine Ridge District School Board	Norwood District	Barrie	<i>Sustainable Forestry Management and Wood Product Manufacturing:</i> enhancement and expansion of existing programs as well as the delivery of a comprehensive pre-employment student program in co-operative education and related fields
Kawartha Pine Ridge District School Board	Lakefield District	Barrie	<i>Agricultural At-Risk Cooperative Education Program:</i> expansion of cooperative education opportunities especially in the area of agriculture and outdoor education; program addresses largely bussed student population including support of Aboriginal students
Keewatin-Patricia District School Board	Beaver Brae/Dryden/Red Lake/Queen Elizabeth and Ignace	North	<i>Enhancement of technology and literacy programming:</i> enhancing ESL and culturally-appropriate curriculum and software with a focus on boys and First Nations students; enhancing computer programs in each of five schools; and building supportive learning environments
Lambton Kent District School Board	Ridgetown	London	<i>Dedicated e-learning:</i> enhancement of technology and lab to provide increased e-learning and academic offerings in a Good Schools Open facility
Lambton Kent District School Board	North Lambton	London	<i>Dedicated e-learning:</i> enhancement of technology to provide increased e-learning and alternative courses for students including First Nations population
Limestone District School Board	Sharbot Lake	Ottawa	<i>Anything Fabric:</i> enhancement of existing technology and school-to-work programming
Limestone District School Board	North Addington Education Centre	Ottawa	<i>Learning from our Roots:</i> enhancement of the current construction program to allow students practical application of knowledge and skills
Near North District School Board	Almaguin/F. J. McElligott/Northern	North	<i>Development and implementation of 'e-learning' and 'distance education' at three schools through wireless computer initiatives:</i> setting up 'smart classrooms' and video conferencing systems

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Ottawa Carleton District School Board	Osgoode/South Carleton/West Carleton	Ottawa	<i>Establishment of Student Success Resource Centre:</i> creation of dedicated space for computers and resources with a focus on e-learning and independent learning delivery models
Peterborough Victoria Northumberland and Clarington Catholic District School Board	St. Mary	Barrie	<i>Agriculture Career Academy:</i> a multi-phase program to support student learning of practical knowledge and skills related to the maintenance of agricultural enterprise including a technology-based High Skills Major in agriculture
Peterborough Victoria Northumberland and Clarington Catholic District School Board	St. Thomas Aquinas	Barrie	<i>The Lighthouse Wireless Access:</i> build a high-speed wireless network that will serve St. Thomas Aquinas and its feeder schools by providing technology for video conferencing with fellow students in urban centres, and also with peers in rural areas throughout North America
Rainbow District School Board	Manitoulin	North	<i>Beedaban:</i> creation of a Student Success Centre which will provide an alternative environment for tutoring, remediation, assistance with literacy/numeracy and exposure to the arts
Rainbow District School Board	Chelmsford Valley	North	<i>Enhancement of Project Northern Enrichment of Advancing Pathways (NEAP):</i> emphasizing student development of literacy and math skills through specific programming, establishing new cooperative education partnerships and increased course selection
Rainy River District School Board	Atikokan	North	<i>Creation of an Outdoor Facility:</i> provision of opportunities for students to explore career pathways in the trades and to provide work experience opportunities as part of the Student Success initiative
Rainy River District School Board	Rainy River	North	<i>Integrated Student Success Learning Centre:</i> within the proposed Centre, existing programs will be integrated with initiatives designed to provide a greater variety of programs and an increased level of support for learners

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Rainy River District School Board	Fort Frances	North	<i>Development of a Commercial Grade Kitchen:</i> emphasis on creating pathways for students entering careers in hospitality and/or culinary arts; implementation of a hot breakfast program through the kitchen
Renfrew County District School Board	Opeongo	Ottawa	<i>Farming and rural specialist:</i> High Skills Major course development and implementation; the provision of curricular and experiential programs related to farming to better prepare students for careers in the rural community
Renfrew County District School Board	MacKenzie	Ottawa	<i>Two Pathways Development:</i> creation of construction specialist and hospitality specialist programs
Simcoe County District School Board	Elmvale District	Barrie	<i>Celebrating Rural Elmvale:</i> specialized course options including integrated music programming, science/outdoor education, and cooperative education through targeted timetabling with a focus on students in ESL
Simcoe County District School Board	Stayner Collegiate Institute	Barrie	<i>Cultivating Rural Roots:</i> provision of opportunities for viable pathways in agriculture industry, experiential education and the trades with strong Family of Schools and community connections
Simcoe County Muskoka Catholic District School Board	St. Thomas Aquinas C.S.S.	Barrie	<i>Transportation Technology in Agriculture:</i> introduction of High Skills Major programming geared to agriculture with enhanced cooperative education, pathways, and partnership opportunities
Superior-Greenstone District School Board	Geraldton/Lake Superior/ Manitouwadge/ Marathon/Nipigon Red Rock	North	<i>Enhancement of distance learning opportunities:</i> increasing the quality of video conference technology; purchasing of computers and creation of new e-learning opportunities
Thames Valley District School Board	Glencoe/Dorchester/ Middlesex/Norwich	London	<i>Consortium of Rural Schools:</i> collaborative focus on video conferencing; increased effective e-learning opportunities; communications technology and arts programming enhancements; and offering the Specialist High Skills Major Diploma

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Thames Valley District School Board	West Elgin	London	<i>Expansion of Work Internship Programs:</i> development of curricula and additional work internship and cooperative education programming with a focus on agriculture technology, horticulture, agri-business and inter-disciplinary studies
Trillium Lakelands District School Board	Huntsville	Barrie	<i>Creation of a Hospitality and Tourism Classroom:</i> authentic learning experiences through planned, supported four-year program pathways
Trillium Lakelands District School Board	Fenlon Falls	Barrie	<i>Technological Education in a Rural Community:</i> support and enhancement of existing 'Destination Success' initiative that establishes program pathways extending the construction, renovation and materials-handling focus with increased literacy, numeracy, workplace, co-operative education and workplace courses
Upper Canada District School Board	Rothwell-Osnabruck	Ottawa	<i>Making it Real at R.O.:</i> provision of opportunities for students to develop trades and literacy and numeracy skills, as well as experiential work placements in agri-business and related industries
Upper Canada District School Board	North Dundas	Ottawa	<i>Project Gaining Rural Opportunities in the Workforce (GROW):</i> increasing rural opportunities in the workforce; high skills agricultural pathways with mentorship experiences and certification programs; and enhancing co-operative education through e-learning
Upper Grand District School Board	Norwell	Toronto	<i>Additional pathway in Personal Service (Cosmetology):</i> creation of a salon to offer students hands-on experience in cosmetology
Upper Grand District School Board	Erin District/Centre Dufferin	Toronto	<i>Gaining Credits Through Enhanced Credit Recovery and Cross-District Video Conferencing:</i> enhancement of curriculum resources and technology, providing a two-way video conference link between both schools for increased access to courses

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Waterloo Region District School Board	Waterloo-Oxford District	London	<i>Expansion of Agriculture and Horticulture Programs:</i> extension of cooperative education, library, Student Success and agriculture/horticulture programming with a focus on e-learning/technological support and hands-on/greenhouse and experiential education for students
Windsor-Essex Catholic District School Board	Cardinal Carter	London	<i>Excellence in Horticulture Program:</i> support of a seamless transition into postsecondary, apprenticeship programs, or workplace placements and partnerships
York Region District School Board	Stouffville	Toronto	<i>Development of a specialized school-work transition program:</i> scaffolding, authentic and experiential learning opportunities through the curriculum

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