CMEC STRATEGIC PLAN, 2023–27



MISSION

Providing an intergovernmental forum for provincial and territorial education ministers to collaborate on shared educational priorities



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Inclusive and quality education for all



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VALUES

- Truth and Reconciliation
- Equity
- Inclusion
- Collaboration
- Innovation



POTENTIAL LEVERS

- Documentation and dissemination of knowledge and research
- Policy options analysis
- Assertion and defence of the exclusive jurisdiction of provinces and territories over education
- International collaboration and engagement
- Large-scale learning assessments
- English and French language programs
- Sharing and use of data and indicators
- Canadian Information Centre for International Credentials

The CMEC Strategic Plan, 2023–27 outlines the priorities of mutual interest that members of CMEC wish to collaborate on in support of provinces' and territories' exclusive jurisdiction over education. The plan does not signify a desire to establish a single, harmonized approach to education common to all provinces and territories. The strategic plan will continue to emphasize CMEC as an intergovernmental forum for the exchange of best practices and collaboration on priorities of mutual interest.



STRATEGIC DIRECTIONS AND GOALS



Competitive Advantage: Leveraging education to enable Canada and its people to compete on a global scale

- Discussing methods to foster the post-pandemic recovery of academic achievement and improve the academic success of students
- Exploring and discussing the means to leverage technology to enhance learning
- Sharing best practices to attract international students in targeted educational programs and help ensure their success
- Leveraging reliable data to inform policy decisions, including participating in pan-Canadian and international student and adult assessment programs

Equity and Inclusion: Fostering access to lifelong learning for all

- Discussing best practices to support all students to acquire the skills and competencies for today and tomorrow as they move through educational levels
- Actively participating in major international meetings to advocate for equitable, inclusive, and effective educational policy

Indigenous Education: Facilitating dialogue so that Indigenous ways of knowing can be taken into account by provinces and territories in their education systems

- Fulfilling the Truth and Reconciliation Commission of Canada's Call to Action #63
- Discussing Indigenous ways of knowing, doing, being, and becoming, in all levels of education, for all students
- Contributing to the preservation and revitalization of Indigenous languages

Mental Health and Well-being: Supporting students and educators to learn and teach

 Supporting students to acquire the skills and competencies for good lifelong mental health and well-being by identifying and sharing best practices