

CATHOLIC EDUCATION
BOARD COMMITTEES



It is generally accepted that the “real work” of the board is done in the committees. The bulk of board meetings usually is taken up with committee reports and consideration of committee recommendations for board action. It is, therefore, important for board committees be “up and running” in order for the board to be effective.

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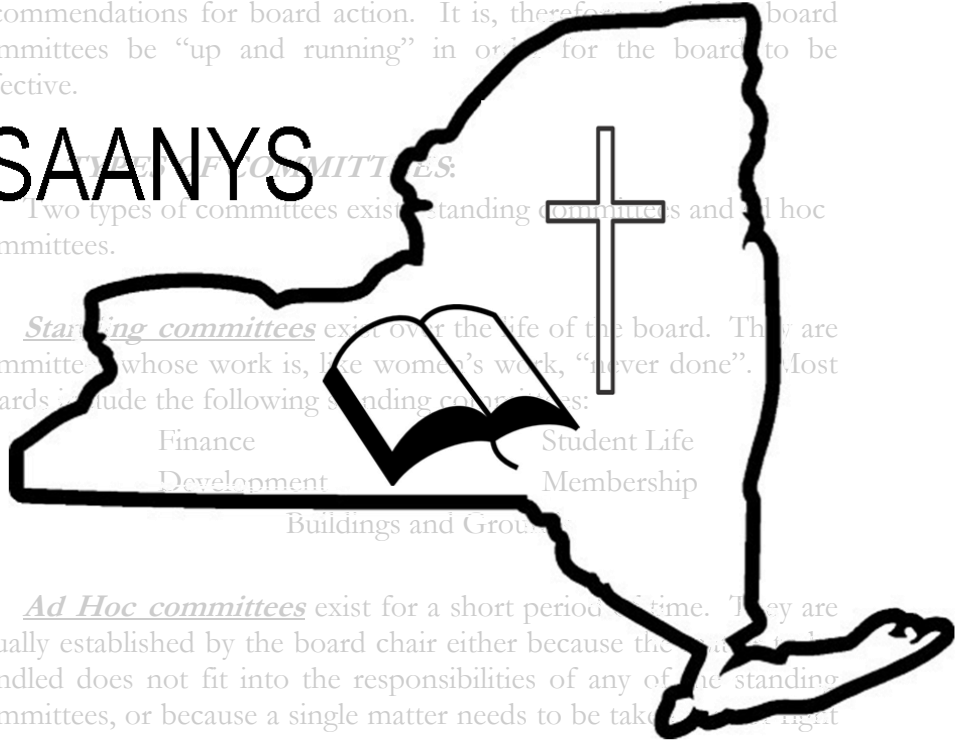
TYPES OF COMMITTEES:

Two types of committees exist: standing committees and ad hoc committees.

Standing committees exist over the life of the board. They are committees whose work is, like women’s work, “never done”. Most boards include the following standing committees:

- Finance
- Development
- Buildings and Grounds
- Student Life
- Membership

Ad Hoc committees exist for a short period of time. They are usually established by the board chair either because the matter to be handled does not fit into the responsibilities of any of the standing committees, or because a single matter needs to be taken care of and put away.



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This publication is written for Catholic School Advisory Boards. It outlines what committees are needed for an effective board, their duties, and provides committee report forms to ensure efficiency.

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