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LUCIA REECE

Lucia Reece has been the Director of Education for the Algoma District School Board since 2012, the first female to be appointed to the position. Serving as a Superintendent, Principal, Vice Principal and teacher, Lucia brought 18 years of Administrative/ Teaching experience and 7 years Supervisory Officer experience to the position of Director of Education.

Currently Lucia has also served as the Chair of both the Public Council of Ontario Directors of Education (PCODE) and the Council of Ontario Directors of Education (CODE).

Lucia holds a Master's Degree of Education from Nipissing University in North Bay. Additionally, she has her Bachelor of Education and Bachelor of Arts from Lakehead University in Thunder Bay and is currently a PhD Candidate. While maintaining a constant focus on student achievement and improvement planning, she is an advocate for, and a model of, life-long learning and professional development, as she has continued to expand her qualifications and skills with additional courses and workshops.

In her roles as Principal, Superintendent and Director, Lucia has overseen curriculum implementation and supervision, school and Board improvement planning, capital planning, the Board's leadership development strategy, negotiations and implementing healthy schools and character education initiatives, to name a few.

Lucia is currently the co-chair of the Algoma Leadership Table and a member of the Ontario Public School Board Association's Labour Council.

In addition to her academic experience, Reece's leadership experience extends beyond education to community contributions and she has been a volunteer with the Sault Ste. Marie Endometriosis Support Group and the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation. She has also supported a variety of local activities such as Community Christmas for Children, Kidz Summer Safety Festival, Christmas Cheer and Family Literacy Day.

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