

Responsibilities of the Board

The mission of CILA is to provide a rigorous academic program, designed to make the student fluent in English and another major language and culture; provide an academically challenging, content-rich curriculum; develop citizens of good character and discipline.

As the highest leadership body of the organization and to satisfy its fiduciary duties, the board is responsible for

- determining the mission and purposes of the organization
- selecting and evaluating the performance of the school's leadership
- strategic and organizational planning
- ensuring strong fiduciary oversight and financial management
- fundraising and resource development as needed
- enhancing the school's public image
- assessing its own performance as the governing body of the school

Responsibilities of Individual Board Members

Each individual board member is expected to

- know the organization's mission, policies, programs, and needs
- faithfully read and understand the school's financial statements
- serve as active advocates and ambassadors for the school and fully engage in identifying and securing the financial resources and partnerships necessary for the school to advance its mission
- leverage connections, networks, and resources to develop collective action to fully achieve the school's mission
- prepare for, attend, and conscientiously participate in board meetings
- participate fully in one or more committees