



## ACSTA STUDENT VIDEO CONTEST - NOW OPEN

### Begin Working on Your Video - God's Riches Alive in Catholic Education (G.R.A.C.E.) 2 - Student Short Video Contest

The ACSTA is pleased to announce the return of the God's Riches Alive in Catholic Education (G.R.A.C.E.) 2 video contest.

With over 40 entries last year from schools across Alberta, we are excited to bring this student short video contest back.

Students are encouraged to create a maximum 2 minute video that highlights the unique and distinctive way Catholic education has helped or inspired their educational and faith journey. The winners will receive a cash prize.

More details on the contest can be found on the ACSTA website at: <http://www.acsta.ab.ca/resources/acstavideocontest>



## REGISTER NOW Growing Forward: Catholic Education Symposium

In an exciting two day symposium, Dr. Reginald Bibby and Most Rev.

Michael Miller will explore the current questions in Catholic education. Their focus will be not only on addressing the contemporary challenges in Catholic education, but also on moving forward and growing Catholic education into reaching its fullest potential. This will be a weekend

of discovery, discussion, and discernment. We will engage in community and faith. We invite trustees, school administrators, school council members, parents, clergy, and anyone interested in Catholic education to join us for the symposium.

Register now at: <http://www.acsta.ab.ca/events/symposium>

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## Excellence in Teaching Awards - APPLICATION NOW OPEN

Do you have a teacher or administrator in your school that exemplifies excellence? Nominate them for an Alberta Education Excellence in Teaching Award. Deadline for applications is February 7, 2014. More information: <http://education.alberta.ca/teachers/excellence.aspx>

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## REGISTER NOW S.P.I.C.E. and Blueprints 2014

Registration is now open for S.P.I.C.E. and Blueprints. Both retreats will feature keynote speaker, David Wells speaking on Catholic education in the era of Pope Francis and the Gospel message. For more information and to register, visit: <http://www.acsta.ab.ca/events>

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The ACSTA congratulates the following principals for winning the 2014 Outstanding Principals Award: Sharon Brinsmead (Calgary Catholic); Simone Gessler (Yellowknife Catholic); Kathleen Kostiuk (Calgary Catholic); Deneen Nolan (Calgary Catholic); Dorothy White (Christ the Redeemer).