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Vision and Mission

- Our vision: women and girls are educated and empowered to make transformative change in the world.
- Our mission is to promote and enable women's fellowship, continuous learning, and empowerment to achieve educational and economic equality and social justice.

We aspire to continue building a federation that:

- creates a sense of belonging to a national and international women's movement with the education and skills to change the world.
- encourages clubs to engage in advocacy
- facilitates advocacy to support national and international initiatives and priorities
- enables members' lifelong learning
- is well organized, sustainable, flexible and innovative.

National Initiatives

- **Early Learning and Child Care:** high quality, accessible, affordable system and coordinated well-funded action from federal, provincial/territorial and municipal governments.
- **Long Term Care and Elder Rights:** high quality, accessible, affordable and publicly funded system of senior in-home and long-term care.
- **Indigenous People's Rights:** promote & advance the recommendations of the Truth and Reconciliation Commission and the MMIWG's Commission.
- **Climate Change:** promote & advance the recommendations of the Paris Accord 2015 and the declaration and creation of action plans on the climate change emergency at all levels.
- **Gender Based Violence:** reduction of GBV; adoption of policies on GBV at the university level and support gender diversity.
- **Pay Equity:** awareness, knowledge and skills on pay equity (Sustainable Development Goals #5- Gender Equality and #8- Decent work and Economic Growth)