



Policy 14 – Learning Environment/Programs and Services

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In response to stated vision, mission, values and beliefs, the Board expects effective, engaging and caring learning communities.

The Superintendent/CEO will:

- 14.1 Ensure that programs and services comply with provincial requirements.
- 14.2 Implement assessment and evaluation practices which
 - a) Ensure the achievement of provincial, division and school goals;
 - b) Foster an effective and efficient school system;
 - c) Promote growth and improvement.
- 14.3 Establish and enforce administrative procedures to maintain safe and effective environments for all students and staff.
- 14.4 Establish a dispute resolution process to be followed if there is disagreement about the appropriateness of the educational programming being provided to a student.
- 14.5 Take appropriate action with staff, students or volunteers who demonstrate behaviours, actions, or attitudes that threaten the academic progress and/or well-being of students.
- 14.6 Ensure a culture characterized by mutual respect.
- 14.7 Inform the Board before implementing a new program if it is potentially controversial.

Legal Reference: *The Public Schools Act*

Policy 2 – Vision and Mission

Policy 3 – Values and Beliefs

Policy 6 – System Goals and Indicators of Success

Policy 11 – Board and Superintendent/CEO Relationship