

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 64

POLICY 303 Accident Prevention and Safety Procedures

"Inspire learners, Integrate sustainability, Involve community"

Section: Health and Safety Dates of Revisions: Date of Adoption and

Resolution Number: June 13, 2018 -76/18

Rationale:

The School District No. 64 Board of Education recognizes that the health and safety of all employees and students is of primary concern and, therefore, it commits to providing a healthy and safe working and learning environment.

Policy:

The Board of Education will

- a. place overriding emphasis on the prevention of accidents, through the development and continual review of sensible and clear safety procedures throughout the school district and all its activities;
- adopt standards and practices that are in compliance with, but not limited to, legal and regulatory requirements in order to take all reasonable steps to protect employees and students against health hazards and accidents;
- c. develop specific policies and regulations pertaining to emergency procedures in case of fire, earthquake, and other disasters;
- d. ensure that school principals set specific, detailed safety procedures for their own buildings and schools.

School level safety procedures, as well as the board's general policies pertaining to safety, will be brought to the attention of all employees and students affected by them, and will be continually reviewed and modified to ensure that everyone remains alert to safety matters.