



Governance Policies

4.0 EXECUTIVE PARAMETERS

4.3 PROGRAMS AND SERVICES

The Superintendent shall permit only programs and services which support achievement of 1.0 Expected Outcomes policies.

Consequently, the Superintendent shall:

- 4.3.1 Permit schools to offer only those courses which have been approved by the Ministry of Education or the Board.
- 4.3.2 Permit the creation of only those new programs or significant changes in services which have been approved by the Board.
- 4.3.3 Permit only those practices which:
 - (a) are consistent with provincial and/or local policy;
 - (b) are consistent with sound teaching methods/practices;
 - (c) protect and promote the safety and well-being of students.
- 4.3.4 Permit only those educational programs, teaching methods and assessment and evaluation practices which:
 - (a) ensure achievement of provincial goals and local Expected Outcomes policies;
 - (b) foster an effective and efficient school system;
 - (c) provide opportunities, where appropriate and feasible, for the involvement of students, staff, parents and community;
 - (d) provide for self-evaluation;
 - (e) solicit feedback from appropriate sources;
 - (f) promote growth and improvement.
- 4.3.5 Hire or retain only those staff with the qualifications, competence and commitment to provide effective and efficient programs and services.
- 4.3.6 Hire or retain principals, vice-principals, any administrative officer or senior executive only after full consultation of the Board.