
PARENTS' ADVISORY COUNCILS

Background

The District values the input of parents, and supports the establishment of parent organizations, which promote open, two-way communication and cooperation between parents, schools, the District, and the Board.

Procedures

1. The District supports the establishment of a Parents' Advisory Council at each school, as defined in the School Act.
2. All parents of children attending a school in the District are eligible to be members of the Parents' Advisory Council, to attend Parents' Advisory Council meetings, and to vote on decisions made by the Parents' Advisory Council, including the election of executive officers.
3. A Parents' Advisory Council, through its elected officers, may advise the Board and the Principal and the staff of the school respecting any matter relating to the school.
4. Parameters
 - 4.1. There shall be only one Parents' Advisory Council for each school.
 - 4.2. The Parents' Advisory Council, in consultation with the Principal, shall make bylaws governing its meetings and the business and conduct of its affairs.
 - 4.3. A copy of the bylaws of the Council shall be provided to the Secretary-Treasurer.

Reference: Section 8, 20, 22, 23, 65, 85 School Act
Societies Act
Statement of Education Policy Order OIC 1280/89

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