



## POLICY

Title: **HOME INSTRUCTION**

Policy No.: **4009**

Effective Date: **1999 Mar. 30**

Department: Learning Support Services

Reference(s): Education Act 21.(2) O. Reg. 298 11., (11)

It is the policy of the Board to ~~will~~ provide Home Instruction service to registered pupils in appropriate circumstances, and to commit to excellence in education and equitable educational outcomes for all students.

This service is a short-term solution for those students who, for medical reasons, are unable to access the learning at school. It is not intended to be a long-term replacement for attending school. This is outlined in the Education Act.

Parents are required to submit a doctor's note to the Principal and/or Vice Principal, that includes the nature of the health concern, confirmation that the student is unable to attend school and the anticipated duration of the absence. Through collaboration with families, the Principal and/or Vice Principal will determine a learning plan designed to meet the needs of the student. This may include, but is not limited to, instruction taking place at an alternate location such as a library, at the student's residence and/or a virtual learning platform. The proposed plan as submitted by the Principal and/or Vice Principal is subject to the approval of the designated Supervisory Officer.

Administered By: **Learning Support Services**

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