

Title	HEALTHY SCHOOLS	Policy No.	5010
Department	Operations Services Program Services		
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It is the policy of the Board to continue to promote healthy schools through initiatives which include the Healthy Schools Recognition program of the Ministry of Education. The Ministry of Education defines the foundations of a healthy school as having high quality instruction and programs, a healthy physical environment, a supportive social environment, and community partnerships.

Healthy Schools contribute to improved student learning and a focus on a caring and safe learning community.

Our schools and their communities will be encouraged to share best practices, initiatives and successes with a focus on student leadership development. Staff, students and parents play an active role in promoting the physical, mental and social health of all.

All schools shall make an ongoing commitment to keep their school a healthy school through collaborative and sustainable efforts.

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