# NIPISSING-PARRY SOUND CATHOLIC DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD

### **SUPERVISION OF PUPILS**

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### **POLICY:**

IT SHALL BE THE POLICY OF THE NIPISSING-PARRY SOUND CATHOLIC DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD to provide for the supervision of pupils in accordance with the Education Act and Ministry regulations as follows:

### The Education Act stipulates that:

"It is the duty of a principal of a school, in addition to his/her duties as a teacher,

- a) to maintain proper order and discipline in the school;
- b) to develop co-operation and co-ordination of effort among the members of the staff of the school;"

## The Education Act stipulates that:

"It is the duty of a teacher,

a) to maintain, under the direction of the principal, proper order and discipline in his/her classroom and while on duty in the school and on the school ground;"

#### Ontario Regulations state that:

- 1) "The principal of a school is in charge of the management and discipline in the school...
- 2) In addition to his/her duties under the Act, the principal of school shall,
  - a) make allowance in the timetable for duties required of teachers in charge of organizational units or programs and for special duties required of any teacher;
  - b) make provision for adequate supervision during the period determined by his/her board under sub-section 8 of section 3, and for the supervision and conducting of any other school activity authorized by his/her board."

### Ontario Regulations state that:

"A teacher shall, in addition to his/her duties under the Act,

a) carry out the supervisory duties assigned to him/her by his/her principal."

Replaces former Section A6

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### **ADMINISTRATIVE REGULATIONS**

- The principal, or his/her designate, will prepare a list to be posted in his/her school that will include the names of staff members and the time and areas of supervision assigned to each of them. A copy of these lists shall be kept on file in the school for a period of one (1) year.
- 2) The principal will be responsible to ensure that adequate supervision is arranged for all pupils:
  - a) during the period beginning ½ hour before classes start for the day and 15 minutes after classes end for the day;
  - b) during authorized school activities, including those outside regular school hours;
  - c) while pupils are loading or unloading in clearly marked bus loading zones;
  - d) special supervision should be given to pupils of Junior Kindergarten and Kindergarten age.
- 3) The principal will see that during severe or inclement weather, pupils are admitted, under supervision, to the school building.
- 4) The principal, or his/her designate, will in case of an apparently serious accident or illness befalling any pupil, implement the following emergency procedures:
  - a) Notify:
    - i. parent and/or family physician,
    - ii. supervisory officer,
    - iii. police, if necessary;
  - b) Arrange transportation to hospital, as required;
  - c) Complete and submit the required OSBIE insurance form:
  - d) Where appropriate, gather evidence immediately and maintain all pertinent documentation and investigation notes on file for future reference.
  - N.B. The sequence of the above steps or procedures may vary depending upon the nature of the accident or illness.