

## POLICY 120 DISTRICT CODE OF CONDUCT

The Board of Education of School District No. 83 (~~North Okanagan-Shuswap~~) (K̓wsaltktnéws ne Secwepemcúl'ecw) recognizes its responsibility in providing safe, respectful and inclusive learning, and working environments for all members of its school communities.

The Board expects staff, students, ~~parents/guardians/caregivers~~, and guests to promote both physical and online environments that align with the District's core beliefs and values, ~~Belonging, Respect, Reconciliation, Empathy, Equity, and Perseverance~~, as well as the guiding principles of the [B.C. Human Rights Code](#).

~~The Board requires school communities to create written codes of conduct/values that align with this policy and the accompanying regulations. In the event that a District site does not have a written code of conduct, District Policy will apply.~~

The Code of Conduct applies to behaviour on District and off-site premises during activities organized or sponsored by the District. It also extends beyond the typical school or workday, in-person or online, when such behaviour affects the provision of a safe, respectful, and inclusive learning and working environment. This includes social media, online activity, and other interactions that may impact the safety of the environment for members of the school community.

Related Legislation: School Act [RSBC 1996, Part 6, Division 1, Section 65], [Human Rights Code](#) [RSBC 1996, Sections 3-14], ~~Administrative Procedure 140 Parent/Guardian Code of Conduct, District Strategic Plan 2023-2028, Page 7~~

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