

FAMILY LIFE AND SEX EDUCATION

Background

The Division will offer family life and sex education programs and information at various grade levels in accordance with the following procedures.

Procedures

1. Courses and materials are to be appropriate to the age of the student.
2. The provincial health curriculum is to be used as a general outline in planning local family life and sex education programs to meet student and community needs.
3. The program is to be approved by the Principal.
4. Elementary and middle level health programs are to be compulsory.
5. Parents are to be informed about the sexual health curriculum. See AP 205 APPENDIX A - Example letter for Parents/Guardians.
6. Parents may withdraw a student from this instruction through direct communication with the school's administration.
7. Only teachers, not outside third parties, will be able to present sexual education materials. This directive does not include professionals employed by government ministries or the Saskatchewan Health Authority.

Reference: Sections 85, 87, 175, 176, 177 Education Act
The School Division Administration Regulations 45

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