

DUFFERIN-PEEL CATHOLIC DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD

BOARD POLICY / REGULATIONS

Board Policy Number:	4.06
Subject:	Environmental
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The Dufferin-Peel Catholic District School Board is committed to complying with environmental legislation and to providing leadership and direction for the protection and conservation of the environment.

REGULATIONS

4.06 ENVIRONMENTAL

GENERAL

1. The Director of Education shall assign responsibility for environmental education and sound environmental practices to appropriate supervisory personnel.
2. Concern for detrimental effects on the environment shall be reflected in all system-wide practices and procedures.

ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

The Board shall ensure Due Diligence by maintaining an environmental management program which will include, but not be restricted to, the following:

Environmental Audit/Inventory
Board Environmental Management Structure
Control Program and Regular Reporting
Proper Documentation
Adequate Research, Development, and Training
Preventative Maintenance
Monitoring of Changes in Legislation and Policy

ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION

The Board shall promote leadership and encouragement for community-based, system-based, and school-based programs, projects, and special events designed to promote environmental awareness and conservation.

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PURCHASING

The Board shall consider "environmentally-friendly" criteria in the purchasing of goods and services which meets its standards of performance. Tender specifications will include a statement to this effect.

WASTE MANAGEMENT

The Board endorses and promotes the 4 R's of responsible waste management -- refuse, reduce, reuse, and recycle; and, all Board personnel and students are expected to promote and participate in the Board's waste management.

MAINTENANCE AND HOUSEKEEPING

Maintenance and Housekeeping products that are environmentally-friendly shall be used and disposed of in an appropriate manner.

SITES/FACILITIES

Environmental principles shall be considered when choosing building sites, designing, and constructing new facilities and/or renovations.