

DUFFERIN-PEEL CATHOLIC DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD
BOARD POLICY / REGULATIONS

Board Policy Number:	8.02
Subject:	Physical Restraint
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The Board recognizes that in the process of using a broad range of techniques to manage conflict, it may sometimes be necessary to use physical restraint. For the purpose of this policy, the term physical restraint means the direct restriction of a student's movements by applying force to his or her limbs, head, or body. (Schloss & Smith, 1987)

It is the policy of the Dufferin-Peel Catholic District School Board that the use of physical restraint may be necessary with a student who endangers his or her own safety, the safety of others, or the safety of the environment.

(Reference General Administrative Procedure No. 533.00)