

## AP XXX Access to Student Records

Legislative References: Policy Reference: Collective Agreement References: Date:

## RE: FORMER POLICY 5050 ACCESS TO STUDENT RECORDS

## REGULATIONS

- 1. When parents wish to view the files of their children, they shall request an appointment with the Principal or a person designated by the Principal.
- 2. Students wishing to view their files shall follow the same procedure as described in Regulation No. 1.
- 3. The Principal or a person designated by the Principal shall be in attendance at all times to present and interpret the information included in the file.
- 4. Upon written authorization of a custodial parent, a non-custodial appropriate professional may be permitted to view the file under the same conditions as in Regulation No.1.
- 5. No item(s) shall be removed, however, notes may be taken and photocopies provided upon request.
- 6. Only School District No. 51 professional staff and those expressly named by this policy and these regulations shall be permitted to view a child's file.
- 7. A current custody order, where applicable, shall be requested of the parent and a copy kept in the student's file. This shall enable legal guardian(s) to access the student's file.
- 8. Should any uncertainties arise over unusual requests or interpretation of these regulations, clarification and/or direction should be sought from the Superintendent of Schools.