



KAWARTHA PINE RIDGE DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD

POLICY STATEMENT

Policy Name: Naming/Renaming of Schools and Board Facilities

Policy Code: BA-6.1

Section: Business and Administrative Services

Established: April 29, 1999

Revised or

Reviewed: October 27, 2005; October 29, 2009; April 16, 2014; April 25, 2019; May 28, 2024

1. POLICY STATEMENT

The Kawartha Pine Ridge District School Board recognizes that schools and Board facilities are an integral part of the community in which they are situated and serve. As such, the naming and/or renaming of a school or facility will be determined by the Board of Trustees in keeping with its commitment to consultation with students, staff, families, local communities and local partners.

This policy will establish the parameters for the naming and renaming of Board facilities. This policy will ensure clarity, fairness and transparency in the process of naming and renaming through consultation.

- 3. **DEFINITIONS**
 The corporate Board which maintains the daily operation of the system is the Kawartha Pine Ridge District School Board; a reference specifically pertaining to the District School Board as a legal entity; also referred to as KPR or

Board of Trustees

The elected governance branch of the Board.

Facility

A building that is owned by KPR but is not functioning as a school.

Policy

A statement of intent, governing principle or end result, adopted by the Board of Trustees in open public session; it is intended to articulate what must be done, the rationale for it and a framework for the system.

School

A place of teaching and learning for KPR students.

4. APPLICATION

This policy applies to all trustees and staff members who are involved in naming and renaming schools or Board facilities.

5. RESPONSIBILITY

The Board of Trustees will have final approval for the naming or renaming of a school or Board facility based on names as recommended by the ad hoc naming committee.

The Director of Education will ensure the establishment of the ad hoc naming committee and will determine and allocate staff and other resources required to support this policy and related administrative regulation.

6. POLICY

As identified in the guiding principles, as outlined in this policy's associated Administrative Regulation BA-6.1.1, Naming/Renaming of Schools and Board Facilities, principles of fairness and transparency

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8. REFERENCE DOCUMENTS

Legislation:

[Education Act](#)

[Human Rights Code](#)