

# Staff Report



June 18, 2024

**To** Board of Education (Public Meeting)  
**From** Sean Nosek, Superintendent/CEO  
**Re** Board Policy 15 – Student Code of Conduct

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## RECOMMENDATION:

THAT the Board of Education approve revised Board Policy 15 – Student Code of Conduct, as presented.

## BACKGROUND:

The *Provincial Standards for Codes of Conduct Order* has been [amended](#), effective July 1, 2024, to require all boards of education to include one or more statements restricting student use of personal digital devices (including cell phones) at school to promote focused learning environments and safety. Codes of Conduct are required to be updated to align with the amended *Provincial Standards for Codes of Conduct Order* by July 1, and submitted by August 15, 2024 to the Ministry of Education and Child Care.

Changes to Board Policy 15 – *Student Code of Conduct* were presented at the May 14, 2024 Board meeting.

The policy changes align with the order mentioned above and with new Administrative Procedure 345, *Student Use of Personal Digital Devices in Schools*.

As agreed to at the May 14<sup>th</sup> Board meeting, and in accordance with Board Policy 10 - *Policy Formation and Review*, the proposed revised Policy 15 was posted to the School District's website for a consultation period.