

## AP 100 – Strategic Plan

### Background

Planning in public education is an essential part of ensuring that all students have equitable opportunities to acquire the knowledge, skills and attitudes they need to be self-reliant, responsible, caring and contributing citizens. Planning ensures resources for public education are used for optimal results.

Following each election, the Board develops a four year strategic plan that outlines key District directions for their term.

### Procedures

1. System Planning Guidelines
  - 1.1 The vision, values and strategic issues of the District will provide strategic direction for system planning.
  - 1.2 The planning process will recognize priorities identified by the province and the Board.
  - 1.3 The actions and endeavors of the District and its schools must be guided by sound planning processes.
2. Strategic Plan
3. A strategic plan that meets local needs and fulfils accountability requirements will be developed and implemented.
  - 3.1 The strategic plan shall be kept current to ensure focused, efficient and effective change and improvements.
  - 3.2 Progress reports on the strategic plan will be presented to the Board as deemed necessary.
  - 3.3 The Superintendent shall:
    - 3.3.1 Provide administrative support to the Board to develop the plan.
    - 3.3.2 Develop a communications strategy advertising the key actions to be undertaken during the upcoming strategic plan cycle; and
    - 3.3.3 Make provision for distribution of the strategic plan and its placement on the District website.