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ROLE OF THE BOARD

The Board's prime responsibility is to ensure students receive learning opportunities that are consistent with provincial requirements and delivered within the context of the board's vision, mission and beliefs.

Accordingly, the Board shall:

- Govern rather than manage the operations of the division
- Make decisions as a corporate body ensuring that committees, representatives or individual board members act for the board only if specifically authorized to do so.
- Link with its electors to ensure that the system is aware of community values.
- Establish policies reflecting the values and perspectives of the board's communities.
- Direct and monitor the division through policies which:
 - Articulate expected outcomes of the division.
 - o Establish processes by which the board will conduct its business.
 - Establish processes which will reflect how the board will relate to staff.
 - Set expectations for staff action.
- Advocate for appropriate funding.
- Approve the budget.
- Act as the final authority for appeals.

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