



POLICY SECTION 1014: Student Government

POLICY

The Ahkwesahsne Mohawk Board of Education encourages and sanctions the formation of an elected student council for the student body. The Board believes that such an organization can play an important role in teaching students about democratic government and the joint responsibility students have for the effective delivery of student programs and services.

GUIDELINES

1. The Principal and staff shall promote and encourage the formation of a student council for the school if appropriate.
2. All students are eligible to be a part of the student council.
3. A charter of organizational beliefs and objectives shall be developed by the student council with assistance provided by the staff.
4. A staff member shall be assigned as student council advisor and shall attend all meetings of the council.
5. Student activities including fund raising, educational trips, dances, festivals, concerts, etc., may be sponsored by the student council.
6. Elections shall be held annually or as determined by the student council membership.
7. The Principal shall meet with the student council at regular intervals to support the effort of the council and to ensure effective communication.