



POLICY SECTION 216: Community Information Program

POLICY

The Ahkwesahsne Mohawk Board of Education believes that the release of pertinent information regarding its philosophies, policies and operations is an important community strategy. The purpose therefore, is to inform, enlighten, and educate with regard to the direction education is taking and in so doing, increase community awareness, understanding, and involvement.

GUIDELINES

The Board expects the Director of Education to institute and maintain effective and appropriate procedures for the prompt dissemination of information through the following activities:

- A) Notice of Board Meetings will be made available to the public in advance of each regular meeting.
- B) News releases of community interest may be issued after meetings of the Board if so determined by the Director of Education and Chairperson.
- C) Information items and newsletters which promote the schools in the community may be released to the media by the Principals or Director of Education.
- D) All prepared news releases issued to the media from the Board's schools and programs shall be reviewed by the Director of Education.
- E) The Director shall host meetings called for the purpose of informing parents about educational matters and issues.
- F) The Director shall organize an annual general informational meeting about Board schools and programs.