



**DISTRICT EDUCATION COUNCIL**  
**Superintendent's Monitoring Report**

<b>Policy Name</b>	<b>Communication to the Council</b>	
<b>Policy Number</b>	<b>ASD-W-EL8</b>	<b>Number of Reports per year</b> <b>1</b>
<b>Policy</b>	<i>With respect to providing information and recommendations to the Council, the Superintendent shall not fail to keep the Council informed.</i>	
<b>Date of Report</b>	<b>October 29, 2020</b>	
<b>Date of Previous Report (s) This School Year</b>	<b>N/A</b>	
<b>Date of Future Report (s) This School Year</b>	<b>N/A</b>	
<b>Report Filed by:</b>	<b>David McTimoney, Superintendent</b>	
<b>Report Supported by:</b>		

**Interpretation:**

- **Policy requires the Superintendent to maintain open and effective communication with the Council by sharing information on all key matters related to the responsibilities of Councilors as outlined in the *Education Act*. This information shall come in forms of data, sharing of trends, and internal and external changes to the education system**
- **The Superintendent will provide Superintendent Reports for each DEC policy listed under Executive Limitations and End Results, as well as any information that may alter a previous established DEC policy.**
- **The Superintendent will provide for reports of significant media coverage to be shared with the DEC.**
- **The Superintendent will advise the DEC in a timely manner if there is anticipated or actual district non-compliance with any policy of the Council as well as advise if the DEC, itself, is not in compliance with the governance process or council/staff relations.**

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**Justification:**

- In accordance with the Education Act, the duties of the superintendent include ensuring effective communication links, procedures and mechanisms are in place (Education Act, 48(2)(h)).
- The District Education Council must align DEC policies with provincial policies, legislation and regulations. (Education Act, 36.9(5a)). Therefore, any changes to provincial policies or regulation must be shared with Council in order for it to reflect on the impact to current DEC policy.
- Council members maintain communication links with Parent School Support Committees (Education Act, 36.9(5f)) within their sub-districts. This provides a link to the communities they serve. Awareness of significant media coverage allows Council to be informed of stories and topics which may affect public opinion and decision-making by government. Council members are better prepared for their role when they are informed of key issues affecting education.

**Compliance:**

- DEC reports are submitted following the Council's annual reporting cycle, unless adjusted by Council during a public meeting or, in the case of the 2019-20 school year, the formal reporting by the Superintendent is canceled due to the global pandemic.
- Regular updates and reports are provided to Council through email on media inquiries, media coverage and current media trends. Although regular updates have been paused for September and October, 2020, significant events have been shared by the Superintendent, including messages of interest sent to families and staff mostly pertaining to the global pandemic. ASD-W has been without a Director of Communications since July 1, 2020, with a new Director beginning on November 9, 2020.
- DEC is informed of changes to provincial policy when relevant to the work they do.
- Responsible communication between the Superintendent and DEC occurs as needs arise regularly and in between formal Council meetings.

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**Evidence:**

- **DEC Planning Cycle - 2019-2020**
- **Superintendent Monitoring Reports - 2019-2020**
- **Superintendent Report - ASD-W ER2.0: Mission, Vision and Core Values Statement**
- **Superintendent Report - ASD-W ER2.1: Academic Excellence**
- **Superintendent Report - ASD-W ER2.2: School Culture**
- **Superintendent Report - ASD-W ER2.3: Healthy Living**
- **Superintendent Report - ASD-W ER4: Sexual Orientation and Gender Identities**
- **Superintendent Report - ASD-W EL0: Global Executive Limitations**
- **Superintendent Report - ASD-W EL1: Emergency Superintendent Succession**
- **Superintendent Report - ASD-W EL2: Staff Treatment**
- **Superintendent Report - ASD-W EL4: Budgeting/Forecasting**
- **Superintendent Report - ASD-W EL5: Asset Protection**
- **Superintendent Report - ASD-W EL6: Effective Use of Schools**
- **Superintendent Report - ASD-W EL8: Communication to Council**
- **Education Act**
- **Spreadsheet of Media Contacts - Appendix B**

**Compliance: I report compliance with this policy.**

**Superintendent's Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**DEC Chair Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

Date	Media outlet	Reporter	Topic	Specifics	Response
3-Jul-19	Jordan Gill	CBC News	Industrial arts in Minto	Looking for information on industrial arts cuts at Minto Memorial High	Statement provided.
4-Jul-19	Aidan Cox	Daily Gleaner	Harassment data	Wants to know what was think of moving staff involved to different school	Statement provided.
4-Jul-19	Adam Bowie	Daily Gleaner	Industrial arts in Minto	Looking for information on industrial arts cuts at Minto Memorial High	Statement provided.
4-Jul-19	Gail Harding	CBC News	Industrial arts in Minto	Looking for more information on industrial arts cuts at Minto	Statement provided
5-Jul-19	Jocelyn Turner	Victoria Star	New principal at TVHS	Looking for information on the new principal at Tobique Valley High School.	Information provided.
9-Jul-19	Bill Hunt	Daily Gleaner	Firing of basketball coach	Looking for information regarding the dismissal of a basketball coach at LHS	Information provided.
10-Jul-19	Payge Woodward	Daily Gleaner	Outdoor classroom	Looking for information on the outdoor classroom at Nackawic Elementary	Information provided.
10-Jul-19	Bill Hunt	Daily Gleaner	Firing of basketball coach	Looking for more information on the dismissal of a basketball coach at LHS	Statement provided.
12-Jul-19	Catherine Harrop	CBC News	Enrollment numbers	Looking for information on enrollment numbers for the coming school year	Information not available until Sept.
12-Jul-19	Aidan Cox	Daily Gleaner	Harassment policy	Looking for link to provincial harassment policy	Information provided.
13-Jul-19	Jordan Gill	CBC News	Students in accident	Looking for information on fatal accident in Boiestown involving students	Information provided.
14-Jul-19	Catherine Harrop	CBC News	Enrollment numbers	Looking for information on enrollment numbers for the past four years	Information provided.
14-Jul-19	Aidan Cox	Daily Gleaner	PSSIT World	Looking for stats and information on PSSIT World reporting system.	Information provided.
5-Aug-19	Gail Harding	CBC News	Minto High shop classes	Looking for an update on cuts to shop classes at Minto High	Statement provided.
12-Aug-19	Aidan Cox	Daily Gleaner	Journalism course at LHH	Looking for information on cuts to journalism course at Leo Hayes High	Information provided.
14-Aug-19	Cindy Grant	CBC News	McTimoney return	Looking for information on whether district teaching vacancies have been filled	Information provided.
15-Aug-19	Andrew Vaughn	Brunswick News	Teaching vacancies	Looking for clarification on whether ramp up for French teachers is over	Information provided.
19-Aug-19	Andrew Vaughn	Brunswick News	Country 94 & 97.3	Looking for interview with superintendent about his return to the job	Interview booked.
21-Aug-19	Brad Perry	Information Morning	McTimoney return	Looking for interview with superintendent about his return to the job	Interview already booked by CBC.
21-Aug-19	Shawn Waters	Information Morning	William McLeod obit	Looking for comments about former principal of schools in ASD-W	Referred to EECD
22-Aug-19	Aidan Cox	Daily Gleaner	William McLeod obit	Looking for info on a stolen minibus at Harvey High School	Referred to RCMP
23-Aug-19	Don MacPherson	Daily Gleaner	Stolen min bus	Looking for LHS and FHS principals to do interview about vapping at school	Interview with LHS principal
26-Aug-19	Shawn Waters	CBC Info Morning	Vapping at school	Looking for info about possible stolen vehicle from George Street School	Story not confirmed.
26-Aug-19	Gary Moore	CBC News	Stolen school vehicle	Looking for update on busing in relation to Florenceville Bridge project	Information provided.
27-Aug-19	Mark Rickard	Bugle-Observer	Florenceville bridge	Looking for info about possible stolen vehicle from George Street School	Organized for Kingsclear Consolidated School
28-Aug-19	Aidan Cox	Daily Gleaner	Photo shoot	Wants a school to shoot stock photos for education stores	Interview booked.
30-Aug-19	Heidi Petracek	CTV News Halifax	Vapping at school	Looking for interview with LHS principal about vapping	Visit arranged for Gibson Neill
3-Sep-19	Catherine Harrop	CBC News	Paper use at schools	Looking to visit Gibson Neill School for story about paper use vs technology	Interview booked.
3-Sep-19	Jessica Ng	CTV News	Teacher shortage	Looking for interview with super about teacher shortage for French Immersion	Information provided.
3-Sep-19	Josh Lewis	Kings County Record	Policy on vapping	Looking for information on policy on vapping at school	Interview with Principal of Bliss Carman
5-Sep-19	Mike Staples	Daily Gleaner	Energy Star Certification	Looking for interview school principal about the certification	Interview declined.
10-Sep-19	Andrew Vaughn	Brunswick News	What to do about vapping	Looking for an interview with Superintendent about vapping in schools	Reporter cancelled request, reassigned to another story
11-Sep-19	Jessica Ng	CTV News	Blues in Schools	Looking to visit Leo Hayes High to see and interview Morgan Davis in concert with students for Harvest Jazz and Blues Festival.	Referred to Social Development
11-Sep-19	Lauren Bird	CBC News	Wellness Grants	Looking for information on Wellness Grants affecting breakfast programs	Statement provided.
13-Sep-19	Derek Haggitt	Times & Transcript	Enrollment Numbers	Looking for further information on the demolition of the school and the impact on enrollment at other	Statement provided.
13-Sep-19	Rebecca Howland	Bugle-Observer	Bath Middle School	Looking for information on Wellness Grants affecting breakfast programs	Referred to Social Development
16-Sep-19	Sarah Morn	CBC News	Wellness Grants	Looking for interview with LHS principal about vapping at school.	Interview being arranged.
19-Sep-19	Aidan Cox	Daily Gleaner	Vapping at school	Looking for more info on resources for schools on vapping	Referred to DEC chair
20-Sep-19	Mark Rickard	Bugle-Observer	DEC meeting	Looking for info on the number of school psychologists working in the district.	Information provided.
26-Sep-19	Derek Haggitt	Times & Transcript	School psychologists	Looking for information on services for students with autism.	Information provided.
26-Sep-19	Aidan Cox	Daily Gleaner	Autism Services	Looking for information on EA layoffs/supply in schools	No interview, statement provided.
30-Sep-19	Andrew Vaughn	Brunswick News	EA layoffs/EA supply	Looking for information on whether there is still a police officer on site at LHS	Referred to city police
1-Oct-19	Shawn Waters	CBC Info Morning	EA layoffs/EA supply	Looking for interview with the superintendent on EA layoffs/supply in schools	Referred to DEC chair
1-Oct-19	Phillip Drost	CBC News	Police officer at LHS	Looking for information on sustainability studies by the DEC	Statement provided.
2-Oct-19	Rebecca Howland	Bugle Observer	Sustainability Studies	Looking for information on an assault of a student at Devon Middle School	The answer is no.
3-Oct-19	Aidan Cox	Daily Gleaner	Assault at school	Wants to know if teachers or EAs are wearing body armor at school.	Media will visit Keswick Ridge School
4-Oct-19	Shawn Waters	CBC News	Body armor at schools	Looking for interview on multi-age classes and how they work	Media will visit Townsview School
7-Oct-19	Jennifer Sweet	CBC News	Multi-age classes	Looking for photos of students at Townsview School laping their news show	Referred to Public Health
8-Oct-19	Rebecca Howland	Bugle Observer	Thunder Express News	Looking for interview on school health inspection reports	Supervendent interviewed.
9-Oct-19	Michael Robinson	Telegraph Journal	Health inspections	Looking for interview about new police model at high schools	
10-Oct-19	Elizabeth Fraser	CBC News	Police model at FHS		

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10-Oct-19	Mike Staples	Daily Gleaner	Police model at FHS	Looking for interview about new police model at high schools	Superintendent interviewed.
15-Oct-19	Philip Drost	CBC News	Feed the Family campaign	Looking to book a jazz band from FHS for the campaign at Christmas	Referred to FHS music dept.
18-Oct-19	Mark Rickard	Bugle Observer	Thunder Express news	Looking for further comments from Townsview School about their news show	Referred to principal for comments
22-Oct-19	Shaun Waters	CBC News	Air quality at Connaught Street School	Looking for information about air quality at Connaught Street School – floor varnish – school closed for the day	Statement provided. Interview with Superintendent requested. Declined.
22-Oct-19	Sarah Morn	CBC News	Air quality at Connaught Street School	Looking for interview about air quality at Connaught Street School – floor varnish – school closed for the day	Interview with Superintendent requested. Declined.
22-Oct-19	Adam Bowie	Daily Gleaner	Air quality at Connaught Street School	Looking for information about air quality at Connaught Street School – floor varnish – school closed for the day	Statement provided.
22-Oct-19	Adam Bowie	Daily Gleaner	Social media post	Looking for information about an alleged kidnapping at Priestman Street School posted on social media	Statement provided.
22-Oct-19	Katelyn Taylor	CBC Toronto	Violence policies	Looking for information on violence policies in the district	Interview with resource staff
23-Oct-19	Jessica Ng	CTV News	Thunder Express News	Looking for an interview with Townsview School about Thunder Express Show	Interview with school staff
23-Oct-19	Jessica Ng	CTV News	Social media post	Looking for information about an alleged abduction at Priestman Street School posted on social media.	Statement provided.
24-Oct-19	Aidan Cox	Daily Gleaner	EA funding/psychologists	Looking for background info on funding/budget for EAs and psychologists as discussed at DEC meeting	Information provided.
24-Oct-19	Shaun Waters	CBC News	Fighting at high schools	Looking for interview on letter to parents about fighting at high schools	Interview conducted with another CBC reporter
25-Oct-19	Gary Moore	CBC News	Fighting at high schools	Looking for interview on letter to parents about fighting at high schools	Interview conducted
25-Oct-19	Callum Smith	Global News	Fighting at high schools	Looking for interview about letter to parents about fighting at high schools	Interview conducted
25-Oct-19	Sarah Morn	CBC News	Fighting at high schools	Looking for information on letter to parents about fighting at high schools	Information provided.
25-Oct-19	Aidan Cox	Daily Gleaner	Fighting at high schools	Looking for information on letter to parents about fighting at high schools	Information provided.
27-Oct-19	Lauren Bird	CBC News	Fighting at high schools	Looking for interview with superintendent about letter to parents and fighting at high schools	Interview declined
27-Oct-19	Megan Yomoah	Global News	Fighting at high schools	Looking for interview with superintendent about letter to parents and fighting at high schools	Interview declined
28-Oct-19	Michel Corriveau	Radio Canada	Fighting at high schools	Looking for interview with superintendent about letter to parents and bullying at schools	Interview declined. Background provided.
28-Oct-19	Philip Drost	CBC News	Fighting at high schools	Looking for new information on fighting at area high schools	Nothing new to report.
28-Oct-19	Adam Bowie	Daily Gleaner	Policing at high schools	Looking for interview about loss of police resource officers at area high schools	Interview postponed
29-Oct-19	Steve Lewellyn	Daily Gleaner	Fighting at high schools	Looking for interview about situation at local high schools	Interview with Superintendent
29-Oct-19	Laura Brown	CTV News	Fighting at high schools	Looking for interview about situation at local high schools	Interview with Superintendent
29-Oct-19	Shaun Waters	CBC News	Fighting at high schools	Looking for interview about situation at local high schools	Information provided
29-Oct-19	Aidan Cox	Daily Gleaner	Fuel and heating costs	Looking for information on annual fuel and heating costs in the district	Information provided
4-Nov-19	Andrew Vaughn	Telegraph Journal	Storm days	Looking for the storm day count for each school year since 2012	Information not tracked.
6-Nov-19	Silas Brown	Global News	Quiet rooms in schools	Wants to know how often quiet rooms are used during the school day	Statement provided.
12-Nov-19	Silas Brown	Global News	Quiet rooms in schools	Wants an interview about quiet rooms being used inappropriately at John Caldwell School	Statement provided.
12-Nov-19	Laura Brown	CTV News	Keeping a promise to student	Wants to interview teacher Susan Weaver collecting bread bags as promised to student	Interview with teacher
14-Nov-19	Adam Bowie	Daily Gleaner	EA funding	Wants to interview the DEC chair regarding funding for EAs in the budget	Interview with DEC chair
15-Nov-19	Aidan Cox	Daily Gleaner	Vaping in high schools	Wants to talk to principal at LHS about vaping and prevention strategies	Interview with Principal
21-Nov-19	Adam Bowie	Daily Gleaner	Climate change	Wants to attend a presentation on climate change at FHS	Presentation attended
25-Nov-19	Shaun Waters	CBC News	Snow Days	Looking for information on the town hall meeting about pupil transportation	Information provided
25-Nov-19	Shaun Waters	CBC News	Town Hall Meeting	Wants an interview with the superintendent about town hall meeting	Interview with Superintendent
28-Nov-19	Shaun Waters	CBC News	Cell phone use at school	Looking for information on cell phone use in schools	Information provided.
3-Dec-19	Laura Brown	CTV News	Believe in Wishes Train	Interested in covering the Believe in Wishes Train Ride at McAdam High	Interview being arranged
3-Dec-19	Rebecca Howland	Bugle Observer	Christmas story	Wants to interview elementary students in Woodstock about Christmas	Interview arranged.
4-Dec-19	Angela Bosse	CBC News	Modular classrooms	Looking for the number of modular classrooms in the City of Federation	Request abandoned
4-Dec-19	Mark Rickard	Bugle Observer	Clarification on estimates	Looking for clarification on estimates discussed at Bath school meeting	Information provided.
5-Dec-19	Steve Lewellyn	Daily Gleaner	Christmas Angel Tree	Looking for an interview with student at GNMS who raised funds for angel tree	Interview booked.
19-Dec-19	Aidan Cox	Daily Gleaner	Shop tool partnership	Looking for information on Build for the Future program – shop tools with NB Construction Association and EECD	Referred to EECD for interview. Background info provided by district.
6-Jan-20	CBC News	Ton Weldon	International students	Looking for information on the process of taking international students, how many, and what if any financial benefit there is to the district.	Background information and stats provided.
13-Jan-20	CTV News	Laura Brown	First logo memo	Wants to know why we sent a memo out from EECD to school staff about the first logo t-shirts for CUPE members not to be worn at work	Referred to EECD as their memo.

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17-Jan-20	Telegraph Journal	Andrew Waugh	First logo memo	Requested a copy of the memo sent from EECD to district and school staff about the first logo t-shirts for CUPE members not to be worn at work.	Referred to EECD as their memo.
20-Jan-20	Daily Gleaner	Aidan Cox	International students	Looking for data on newcomer registrations for international students	Data numbers provided for past 3 years
23-Jan-20	Daily Gleaner	Adam Bowie	French Immersion pilot	Looking for comments on status of French Immersion pilot in the fall	Superintendent gave comments
25-Jan-20	Daily Gleaner	Mike Staples	Brad Sturgeon resignation	Looking for comments and reaction to principal's resignation at LHHS	Statement to be provided.
25-Jan-20	CBC News	Lauren Bird	Illness at Prestman	Looking for information on flu outbreak at Prestman Street School	Referred to Public Health
27-Jan-20	CBC News	Sarah Morin	New Hanwell School	Looking for information on where the new school will be built in Hanwell	Information provided
28-Jan-20	CBC News	Jennifer Sweet	Consultant's Study	Looking for a copy of a 2016 consultant's study on new school in Hanwell	Information provided.
28-Jan-20	CBC News	Lauren Bird	Corona virus	Looking for information on Chinese students not coming to Canada	Information provided.
28-Jan-20	CBC News	Philip Drost	Internal review at LHHS	Looking for information on internal review at LHHS re: personnel matter	Advised to file RTIPPA request
30-Jan-20	Bugle Observer	Rebecca Howland	Essential Skills Pathway	Looking for info on pilot project at Hartland Community School	Interview with teacher leading pilot
3-Feb-20	CTV News	Laura Brown	Susan Weaver bread tags	Looking for interview with Susan Weaver about her bread tags project	Information provided.
3-Feb-20	CBC News	Jennifer Sweet	Consultant's report	Looking for copy of the full 2016 consultant's study related to new school in Hanwell	Interview conducted off campus
3-Feb-20	Daily Gleaner	Bruce Hallinan	Senior project	Requested interview with student at Oromocto High without notifying principal	Interview conducted by phone
4-Feb-20	Daily Gleaner	Aidan Cox	Susan Weaver bread tags	Requested interview with Susan Weaver about her bread tags project	Interview being organized
4-Feb-20	Bugle Observer	Doug Dickinson	Homeless project	Requested interview with students at Hartland Community School collecting donations for the homeless	Interview being organized
4-Feb-20	CBC News	Jennifer Sweet	Consultant's report	Looking for further info and clarification on 2016 consultant's report	Information provided
4-Feb-20	Maritime Noon	David Pale	Susan Weaver bread tags	Looking for interview with Susan Weaver before noon	Teacher was in class
4-Feb-20	Global News	Travis Fortnum	Lego project at OHS	Looking for interview with student and teacher involved in Lego mural project	Interview organized.
5-Feb-20	CBC News	Jocelyn Elsdon	Valentines for Vets	Looking for interview with students and staff at Hubbard Avenue Elementary	Interview organized
5-Feb-20	Daily Gleaner	Mike Staples	Valentines for Vets	Looking for interview with students and staff at Hubbard Avenue Elementary	Interview organized
6-Feb-20	Telegraph Journal	John Chilliack	Tools for schools	Looking for info on which schools in the district received donated tool kits from NB Construction Association	Interview could not be arranged on deadline
7-Feb-20	Bugle Observer	Rebecca Howland	Essential Skills Pathway	Looking for info on Essential Skills Pathway program for high schools	Referred to EECD with background provided and interview with teacher
11-Feb-20	CBC News	Jennifer Sweet	Consultant's report	Looking for further clarification and details on additional info surrounding 2016 Consultant's report	Further clarification and details provided.
12-Feb-20	Bugle Observer	Rebecca Howland	Canadian Youth Ambassador	Looking for photo and comments from new Canadian Youth Ambassador at Woodstock High School	Photo and interview with student organized.
12-Feb-20	CBC News	Elizabeth Fraser	International students	Looking for info on Chinese family/student who lost their visitors visa and cannot attend school	Statement provided.
12-Feb-20	CBC News	Jennifer Sweet	Consultant's report	Looking for projection number for kindergarten students for Hanwell area for next school year	Information provided.
13-Feb-20	Daily Gleaner	Steve Lewellyn	International students	Looking for info on Chinese family/student who don't have valid status and cannot attend school	Statement provided.
14-Feb-20	CBC News	Elizabeth Fraser	Safety of bus route	Looking for info on safety of bus route at Beaver Brook Road near Glassville	Statement provided.
19-Feb-20	Bugle Observer	Rebecca Howland	Agenda for DEC meeting	Looking for a copy of the agenda for the next DEC meeting at FEC	Agenda provided
24-Feb-20	Global News	Shelley Steeves	Cooking with seniors	Looking for an interview with students and staff at Minto High School	Interview granted
25-Feb-20	Daily Gleaner	Aidan Cox	Coronavirus	Looking for information on cancelled student trips to or from China	Referred to AEI
25-Feb-20	CBC News	Philip Drost	CBC News	Looking for information on cancelled student trips to or from China	Referred to AEI
26-Feb-20	CBC News	Lauren Bird	Netherlands Liberation	Looking for interview with teacher at Liverpool Elementary - students writing biographies of five soldiers involved in the Liberation of the Netherlands during the Second World War	Interview will proceed once consent from all parties is received.
27-Feb-20	Daily Gleaner	Adam Bowie	TNB performances	Looking for information about TNB performances in schools on gender identity	Statement provided
27-Feb-20	CBC News	Shaun Walters	TNB performances	Looking for information about TNB performances in schools on gender identity	Statement provided.
3-Mar-20	CBC News	Shaun Walters	TNB performances	Looking for a list of cancellations for TNB performances on gender identity play	No list available at district office
4-Mar-20	Global News	Shelley Steeves	Cooking with seniors	Wants to visit Minto High School for a story on students cooking with seniors	Interview booked
6-Mar-20	CBC News	Lauren Bird	Eco School event	Information morning show interested in interview about Eco School event at Garden Creek Elementary School	Interview being arranged.
10-Mar-20	Daily Gleaner	Aidan Cox	Minister's travel ban	Questions about coronavirus and Minister's travel international restrictions	Referred to EECD
10-Mar-20	Bugle Observer	Mark Rickard	Minister's travel ban	Questions about coronavirus and Minister's travel international restrictions	Referred to EECD
11-Mar-20	CBC News	Haddell Ibrahim	FHS students sent home	Wants confirmation students were sent home from FHS for not following international travel restrictions for COVID-19 virus	Confirmation given and referred to EECD
12-Mar-20	Daily Gleaner	Aidan Cox	Update on virus situation	Looking for update and numbers on the impact of the Coronavirus on schools	Statement and info to be provided.
12-Mar-20	CTV News	Laura Brown	Update on virus situation	Looking for numbers on the impact of the Coronavirus on schools	Info to be provided.
23-Mar-20	Daily Gleaner	Aidan Cox	Update on virus situation	Wants to know what is going to happen to the rest of the school year	Statement provided. Referred to EECD
23-Mar-20	Telegraph Journal	Aaron Sousa	Update on virus situation	Wants to know what is going to happen with graduation, prom, etc.	Statement provided. Referred to EECD
27-Mar-20	CTV News	Laura Brown	Homeless living at FHS	Wants to shoot footage of the shelter set up at FHS due to virus situation	Referred to Social Development

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27-Mar-20	CBC News	Lauren Bird	Update on virus situation	Looking for interview with Superintendent about rest of school year, etc.	Interview with Superintendent
30-Mar-20	Daily Gleaner	Aidan Cox	Update on virus situation	Wants to know what will happen to rest of school year	Interview with Superintendent
1-Apr-20	Bugle Observer	Rebecca Howland	Sustainability study	Wants to know how study of Carleton North schools will be completed	Referred to DEC chair
2-Apr-20	Bugle Observer	Doug Dickinson	Backpack program	Wants to know about future of backpack program in Florenceville-Bristol	Referred to Valerie Carmichael, community coordinator
3-Apr-20	Telegraph Journal	Robin Grant	Graduation/prom	Wants to know what will happen with graduation, prom, Grade 12 courses with virus closing schools for rest of year	Referred to EECD
7-Apr-20	CBC News	Shaun Waters	Update on virus situation	Wants to know how delivery of education is going since school closure	Interview with Superintendent
14-Apr-20	CTV News	Laura Brown	Update on connecting with students	Looking for data on how the district is reaching out to students through technology for online learning and how help is provided to those who do not have access to technology.	Background information from student survey provided.
15-Apr-20	Times & Transcript	Derek Haggert	Special needs students	Wants to know what is being done to support special needs students during school closures due to the virus situation	Statement provided.
21-Apr-20	Daily Gleaner	Adam Bowie	Tech upgrades during virus	Looking for an interview about the technology and password resetting that had to be done for students to work at home during the pandemic	Interview with Superintendent
21-Apr-20	Bugle Observer	Rebecca Howland	DEC meetings	Wants to know if DEC meetings are cancelled during pandemic	Information provided
22-Apr-20	CBC News	Jacques Poiras	Online learning	Wants to know of success stories with online learning during pandemic	Interviews with teachers arranged.
23-Apr-20	Daily Gleaner	Aidan Cox	Community kitchens	Wants a statement from Superintendent about community use of LHS for food distribution project	Statement provided.
28-Apr-20	Bugle Observer	Rebecca Howland	Virtual DEC meetings	Looking for interview about DEC meetings being held online due to pandemic	Referred to DEC chair
30-Apr-20	Global News	Tim Roszell	Visiting schools	Looking for information about students being allowed to visit schools to pick up their personal items during pandemic since school will not reopen this year.	Statement provided.
4-May-20	Bugle Observer	Rebecca Howland	Virtual DEC meetings	Looking for update on virtual DEC meetings for May and June	Information provided.
5-May-20	Bugle Observer	Doug Dickinson	Parade for graduates	Wants to know process for Town of Hartland to hold parade for graduates	Statement provided.
7-May-20	Bugle Observer	Rebecca Howland	DEC meeting	Has questions about savings during pandemic/bus drivers have been laid off	Interview with Superintendent
7-May-20	Telegraph Journal	Caitlin Dutt	DEC meeting	Has questions about Policy 409 and study of Carleton North schools	Referred to DEC chair
7-May-20	Daily Gleaner	Aidan Cox	DEC meeting	Has questions about EECD investments in technology, impact of pandemic on mental health/domestic abuse; food insecurity for students during pandemic, overcrowding at Gibson Neil Memorial School	Interview with DEC chair and Superintendent
11-May-20	CBC News	Jocelyn Elsdon	Graduation videos	Would like to have valedictorians participate in a video of speeches to help celebrate graduation during the pandemic	Discussion with district staff for follow up
11-May-20	River Valley Sun	Theresa Blackburn	Think Tank on Graduation	Wants an interview to talk about provincial Think Tank on graduation during pandemic	Referred to EECD
13-May-20	CBC News	Katessa Donkin	Online Learning	Looking for information and stats about online learning during pandemic	Information provided
18-May-20	Daily Gleaner	Don MacPherson	Teacher Return Date	Looking for information on teachers return date to school during pandemic	Referred to EECD
20-May-20	CBC News	Lauren Bird	Graduation plans	Looking for information on graduation plans during pandemic	Referred to EECD
20-May-20	CBC News	Shaun Waters	Graduation plans	Looking for interview on graduation plans during pandemic	Referred to EECD
21-May-20	Daily Gleaner	Aidan Cox	Graduation plans	Looking for interview on graduation plans during pandemic	Referred to EECD
22-May-20	Daily Gleaner	Aidan Cox	Grading system	Looking for information on how grading of report cards will work	Information provided
26-May-20	Daily Gleaner	Adam Bowie	Community support at NMES	Wants to interview principal at Nashwaakasis Memorial School about community support for families during pandemic	Interview with Principal
26-May-20	CBC News	Shaun Waters	Graduation plans	Wants interview with principal at Leo Hayes High School about graduation plans during pandemic	Interview arranged
26-May-20	CBC News	Lauren Bird	Graduation plans	Wants videos with principal or teachers for graduation message during pandemic	Videos requested.
26-May-20	CTV News	Laura Brown	Graduation plans	Wants interview with Principal of FHS about graduation plans	Interview arranged
26-May-20	CTV News	Shaun Waters	Graduation plans	Wants interview with Superintendent about graduation plans during pandemic	Interview arranged
26-May-20	CTV News	Shaun Waters	Graduation plans	Wants details on in-school support for students with complex needs during pandemic	Statement provided
27-May-20	CBC New	Hadel Ibrahim	In-school support	Looking for names of valedictorians and salutatorians for VHS and HCS.	Information provided
28-May-20	Bugle Observer	Mark Rickard	Graduation	Wants interview with regard to memo from Superintendent about graduation ceremonies	Interview arranged.
28-May-20	Daily Gleaner	Aidan Cox	Graduation plans	Wants interview with Superintendent about graduation ceremonies	Interview arranged.
28-May-20	KHU Radio	Brent Buchanan	Graduation plans	Looking for interview on graduation plans for his weekly column	Interview arranged.
29-May-20	Bugle Observer	Rebecca Howland	Graduation plans	Wants to change interview time with Superintendent and principal of LHS on graduation plans	Interview time changed.
31-May-20	CBC News	Philip Frost	Graduation plans	Wants interview on graduation plans for his weekly column	Interview being discussed.
31-May-20	Daily Gleaner	Bill Hunt	Graduation plans	Wants interview local principals about graduation plans	Interviews arranged.
1-Jun-20	Bugle Observer	Rebecca Howland	Graduation plans	Wants an interview with Superintendent about teachers return to school	Interview arranged.
1-Jun-20	Global News	Megan Yamoah	Teachers return to school	Wants some videos with principals and teachers for graduation message	Videos requested
3-Jun-20	CBC News	Lauren Bird	Valedictorian Videos	Wants to interview a teacher at OHS about Hub Learning grants	Interview arranged.
3-Jun-20	Global News	Megan Yamoah	Hub grants at OHS	Wants to interview principal of LHS about graduation plans during the pandemic	Format changed to student focus.
3-Jun-20	CBC Maritime	Katy Parsons	Graduation plans	Wants to interview principal of LHS about graduation plans during the pandemic	Interview cancelled.

Date	Media outlet	Reporter	Topic	Specifics	Response
4-Jun-20	CTV National News	Devon Johnson	Impact of pandemic on schools	Wants to interview a teacher at FHS about how schools and teachers are helping students through the pandemic with their work, graduations.	Interview arranged.
4-Jun-20	CBC Saint John	Cindy Grant	Cuts to program specialists	Looking for information about cuts to program specialists by EECD	Referred to EECD
4-Jun-20	CBC News	Jocelyn Elsdon	List of high schools	Looking for list of high schools for background to valedictorian videos	List provided
5-Jun-20	CBC News	Shaun Waters	Cuts to program specialists	Wants interview with Superintendent to discuss cuts to program specialists (leads)	Referred to EECD
5-Jun-20	CTV News	Tash Bradley	Impact of pandemic on schools	Wants interview with Principal of Chipman Forest Avenue School about graduation plans during the pandemic	Interview cancelled.
8-Jun-20	Bugle Observer	Mark Rickard	Graduation coverage	Looking for information on covering graduations during the pandemic	Information provided.
9-Jun-20	CBC News	Karissa Donkin	Online learning	Looking for update from district on online learning for students	Information provided.
15-Jun-20	Global News	Megan Yamoah	Graduation	Looking to cover graduation at Frederick High School	Information provided.
16-Jun-20	Daily Gleaner	Adam Bowe	Fire at FHS	Looking for information on a small fire in the shop area at FHS	Information provided.
16-Jun-20	Global News	Megan Yamoah	Graduation	Looking to cover graduation at Leo Hayes High School	Information provided.
16-Jun-20	CBC News	Jocelyn Elsdon	Report cards	Wants to get a shot of drive-thru report card pick up at Garden Creek	Photo shoot arranged.
16-Jun-20	Daily Gleaner	Aidan Cox	Graduation	Wants to cover graduation at FHS and Leo Hayes High School	Information provided.
19-Jun-20	CBC News	Shaun Waters	Gym class	Wants to know if there will be gym classes in the fall.	Information provided.