

POLICY NO. ASD-W-350-5

INCLUSIVE EDUCATION EDUCATION SUPPORT SERVICES TEAMS

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Policy Statement

The school Education Support Services Team (ESST) will provide coaching, mentoring, training and support to the classroom teacher in accommodations, instructional strategies and other related practices. Recognizing the complexity of providing programs and services, the District is committed to cooperation among parent(s) or guardian(s), school and district staff, and external specialists in reviewing the needs of students requiring extra supports.

Procedures

ESST will be involved in programs, initiatives and will support classroom teachers. ESST will meet on a regular basis (every 10 school days minimally) to focus on collaboration, peer support, problem-solving and practices to support teachers and students.

A written record of all team meetings shall be kept and made available to ESST and District. These reports will be uploaded to the District Education Support Services Portal.

DISTRICT EDUCATION SUPPORT SERVICES

- ESS Resource Coordinator
- ESS Guidance Coordinator
- ESS Leads
- Other district staff

SCHOOL EDUCATION SUPPORT SERVICES TEAM

- Education Support Teacher- Resource
- Education Support Teacher-Guidance
- Education Support Teacher-Numeracy
- Education Support Teacher-Literacy
- Administration
- Teacher
- Other school staff



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Reference

- New Brunswick <u>Education Act, Section 12</u>
- Inclusive Education 2009
- Guidelines and Standards Educational Planning for Students with Exceptionalities, Department of Education, NB 2002
- Strengthening Inclusion, Strengthening Schools 2012-13
- Department of Education and Early Childhood Development Policy 322: Inclusive Education
- Behavior Intervention Map <u>Intervention Process Map</u> (interactive intervention process map)