

# SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 48 (SEA TO SKY)

## POLICY SERIES 600 - EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

605	<b>ASSESSMENT &amp; EVALUATION</b>
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The Board of Education, School District No. 48 (Sea to Sky), recognizes that there should be two types of ongoing assessment and evaluation.

1. Student Assessment and Evaluation
  - 1.1 The Board expects that there will be ongoing student assessment and evaluation procedures in place to ensure that all students are learning to their maximum potential.
  - 1.2 The Board expects that appropriate student assessment procedures will be in place in all schools. The procedures should ensure that student progress is monitored regularly and accurately reported to parents.
  - 1.3 Further, the Board expects that current and accurate pupil records will be maintained.
  
2. Program Assessment and Evaluation
  - 2.1 The Board expects that a cycle of implementation, review and evaluation will be in place to analyze the effectiveness of program implementation.
  - 2.2 During all phases of the cycle the focus should be on improving the effectiveness of the program in order to demonstrate and improve student learning outcomes.
  - 2.3 The Board recognizes that the provincial school accreditation program provides a systematic and cyclical process for whole school review and growth and, therefore, fully supports the accreditation expectations for all schools.

The Board expects that, in keeping with its mandate to ensure that it is accountable to the public for the effectiveness of the educational programs and for student achievement, that there will be appropriate reporting mechanisms developed and such reports will be made to the Board annually.