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**POLICY #3.20** 

## CLOSURE OF SCHOOLS FOR REASON S OF WEATHER OR OTHER CAUSES

## PREAMBLE:

If the health or safety of students is endangered, the Board or the Medical Health Officer may close a school building or a number of school buildings temporarily. Depending on the specific conditions the Board may also close a school building or a number of school buildings for educational purposes, in which case the building(s) may be closed to students but open for staff or groups of staff to continue working, as appropriate.

The most frequent causes of closure are heavy snowfall, power failure, breakdown of the heating plant, disruption of water supply and fire.

A heavy snowfall will not automatically result in closure. Because snowfall varies from location

## POLICY:

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