

CALGARY SCIENCE SCHOOL SOCIETY

Policy Title: **School Evaluation**

Policy No. **2.02**

RATIONALE: The Board believes that all programs should be evaluated on a continuous basis, and that specific emphasis should be placed on how the results of the program evaluation can improve student learning.

POLICY: The school will be evaluated on a periodic basis in congruence with obligations identified by Alberta Learning to assist schools in the management and operation of the physical, human, and financial resources for the optimal benefit of students within the jurisdiction.

PRINCIPLES:

1. The school, its programs and support structures, need to be evaluated on a periodic basis.
2. The Board recognizes its legal obligations under the Statutes of Alberta and its responsibility for fulfilling the high expectations of the public.
3. As many of those as possible, who have a stake in the education process, should be involved in the evaluation process.
4. The evaluation will include subjective and objective data.
5. How the school is perceived to operate is an important measure of its effectiveness.

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Amended _____

PROCEDURES

Calgary Science School shall

1. Conduct an annual survey of parents, students and staff.
2. Comply with evaluation criteria established by Alberta Learning.
3. Analyze the information from the survey and use it in the development of the education plan.
4. Report results of evaluations on the Calgary Science School website and in the Annual Education Results Report (AERR).