

NIPISSING-PARRY SOUND CATHOLIC DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD

PUPIL ACCOMMODATION

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POLICY:

IT SHALL BE THE POLICY OF THE NIPISSING-PARRY SOUND CATHOLIC DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD to use the pupil accommodation grants to address pupil accommodation issues such as repairs or renovations to existing schools or to acquire new facilities in order to provide the best possible education environment for its pupils subject to the following regulations:

REGULATIONS:

1. New Pupil Places

- a. Grants generated by new pupil places will be deposited in Pupil Accommodation Reserve Funds.
- b. Funds from the Reserve may be used to:
 - acquire new facilities;
 - meet debenture payments for capital projects (e.g., new schools or additions) which would be owned by the Board;
 - enter into long- and short-term lease arrangements with the private sector;
 - enter into multi-use partnership agreements with other school boards, municipalities or the private sector; or
 - provide temporary accommodation for students in areas where enrolment is anticipated to decline in the short to medium term.

2. School Renewal

- a. Grants generated for school renewal will be deposited in Pupil Accommodation Reserve Funds.
- b. Funds from the Reserve may be used to renovate or repair existing facilities according to the Board's own priorities.

3. School Operation

- a. Grants generated for school operation will be used to heat, light, clean and undertake ongoing maintenance of schools.
- b. Savings from this grant may be used according to the Board's priorities such as:
 - augmenting the pupil accommodation reserve;
 - augmenting classroom allocations (e.g., classroom computers, textbooks, software or learning materials).