

## Administrative Procedure 110-2 Appendix B - Suggested Code of Ethics for School Council Members

A member shall:

- Be guided by the mission statement of the Division.
- Endeavour to be familiar with school procedures and operating practices and act in accordance with them.
- Practice the highest standards of honesty, accuracy, integrity and truth.
- Recognize and respect the personal integrity of each member of the school community.
- Encourage a positive atmosphere where individual contributions are encouraged and valued.
- Apply democratic principles.
- Consider the best interests of all students.
- Respect the confidential nature of some school business and respect limitations this may place on the operation of the School Council.
- Not disclose confidential information.
- Limit discussions at School Council meetings to matters of concern to the school community as a whole.
- Use the appropriate communication channels when questions or concerns arise.
- Promote high standards of ethical practice within the school community.
- Accept accountability for decisions.
- Declare any conflict of interest.
- Accept no payment for school council activities.