

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 73 (KAMLOOPS/THOMPSON)

POLICY 603.1

Effective Date, September 22, 2008

STUDENT ATTENDANCE

The Board of Education recognizes the importance of regular student attendance. Reasons for absences must be acceptable to the principal.

Schools shall develop policies, procedures and interventions that encourage regular school attendance.

REGULATIONS

1. Principals may accept student absences for participation in community activities that complement the school program.
2. Students are expected to be responsible for their actions including attendance and punctuality at school. When it appears to the school staff and administration that a student's attendance is irresponsible, due disciplinary process will be followed.