

GREATER ESSEX COUNTY DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD

REGULATION: Environmental Education and Stewardship

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The Board is committed to environmental education and stewardship. Environmental impact will be considered in all decision-making. Concern for the quality of the natural environment will be reflected in the daily choices and actions of students and staff. This commitment will be implemented through the following:

1. Teaching and Learning – Students and staff will develop and apply the necessary knowledge and skills to be environmentally active and responsible citizens.
2. Student Engagement and Community Connections – Students will be active participants in shaping their future. Student engagement involves a strong voice and social conscience in decision-making and an active involvement in school, local and global communities.
3. Environmental Leadership – The Board has a responsibility to serve as a model of corporate citizenship for students and the broader community. System leaders play a critical role in promoting the importance of environmental education and stewardship.