

FORT LA BOSSE SCHOOL DIVISION

TITLE - **CURRRICULUM DEVELOPMENT**

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Manitoba Education mandates the curricula standards and outcomes for student learning in all subjects and for all grade levels. These curricula "guides" and other approved programs will form the basis for all classroom instruction in Fort La Bosse schools.

Notwithstanding the Department's role in curriculum development, the Board also supports the concept of curriculum creation, modification or improvement from within the Division. Proposals for change should be motivated by the desire to improve student learning, based upon thorough research and planning and conform to Department guidelines. All school initiated curriculum development programs involving either significant change to existing curricula or the development of new curriculum must be referred to the Curriculum, Instruction and Assessment Consultant. The Superintendent, Board and/or Department must approve new program proposals before they may be implemented.

Curriculum development will be under the direction of the Curriculum, Instruction and Assessment Consultant working in consultation with the Superintendent. It is recognised, however, that it is at the school base where program development is implemented through the efforts of the Division' s instructional staff. These trained professionals will be the ones most responsible for the renewal of programs, the implementation of new curricula and the continuous improvement of the conditions of student learning.

