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## **Turtle River School Division - Administrative Procedure**

## Section A – General Administration Education for Sustainable Development

# **Turtle River School Division Education for Sustainable Development**

Sustainable development is development that meets the needs of the present without compromising the ability of future generations to meet their own needs. Sustainable development is a way of thinking about how we organize our lives and work. It encourages us to explore profound interdependencies of ecological, societal, and economic systems.

#### Mission:

To ensure that students have access to an array of educational opportunities so that every learner experiences success through relevant, engaging and high quality education that prepares them for lifelong learning and citizenship in a democratic, socially just and sustainable society.

### Goals:

Sustainability is a "division" approach, one that extends beyond the curriculum and addresses the entire planning and management of the school division. Turtle River School Division seeks to meet the following goals:

- 1. To develop a systematic approach to implementing sustainable development.
- 2. To equip students with the knowledge, skills, attitudes, and life practices that contribute to a sustainable future.
- 3. To ensure that human resources policies, practices, and development plans are aligned with sustainable development principles.
- 4. To apply sustainability principles to the design, construction, and renewal of school buildings.
- 5. To apply sustainability principles to all aspects of school management, procurement, resource use, and transportation.

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