



FACILITIES

2300

ESTABLISHMENT OF NEW SCHOOLS

2316

1. Rationale

Population demographics within Simcoe County will require the opening of new schools. This policy and associated procedures will provide a consistent framework to determine which students will attend new schools when they are opened.

2. Policy

To maximize the effective use of existing and new permanent pupil places, it is the policy of the Simcoe County District School Board that students living within the approved attendance area for a new school will be expected to attend that school.

3. Guidelines

3.1 Attendance areas for new schools will be established according to Policy 4170, School Attendance Areas, and approved by the Board:

3.1.1 no later than February for elementary schools opening the following September;

3.1.2 no later than October for secondary schools opening the following September.

3.2 All students residing within the approved attendance area will be expected to attend the new school.

4. Administration Procedures

The Director of Education is authorized to establish administrative procedures to implement this policy.

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