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602.1 Early Childhood Services

Policy

The design and delivery of Early Childhood Services shall be consistent with provincial requirements, coordinated with elementary programming and provided in a cost efficient manner.

Regulations

1. Early Childhood Services encompasses all Division programming for children up to 6 years of age including early education, kindergarten, and Division programming offered in private and community-based programs.
2. The number and location of Early Childhood Services programs shall be determined by the Superintendent or designate.
3. Any Early Childhood Services program fee shall be subject to annual review and approval by the Board.
4. The Division may allocate funding beyond that available through provincial grants to the provision of Early Childhood Services.
5. Transportation for Early Childhood Services children shall be provided in accordance with Division policy and provincial legislation.

References

Alberta School Act:	Section 30
Division Policies:	605.2 Inclusive Learning Supports – Out of Division Placements 502.5 Student Transportation, Bussing 802.2 Student Fees