

## Administrative Procedure 280

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### PROGRAM EVALUATION

#### Background

Programs may be reviewed and evaluated for the purpose of ensuring that program goals and objectives are being pursued and achieved in an efficient and effective manner.

#### Procedures

1. The principal has the primary responsibility for the evaluation of programs in the school.
2. The Superintendent has the primary responsibility to carry out program evaluations at the Division level.
3. Evaluations will be used to make decisions in regard to:
  - 3.1 The maintenance, modification or discontinuation of existing programs
  - 3.2 The need for the development and implementation of other programs
  - 3.3 The ways in which existing or proposed objectives can be achieved in a more efficient manner.

Reference: Section 18, 20, 39, 60, 61, 77, 78, 113, School Act  
School Authority Accountability Policy 2.1.1  
Use and Reporting of Results on Provincial Assessments Policy 2.1.3  
Accountability in Education – Policy Framework, June 1995  
Guide for Education Planning and Results Reporting