

GREERTON VILLAGE SCHOOL BOARD OF TRUSTEES

POLICY: HEALTH AND SAFETY

Rationale:

All staff and children will be safe.

Purposes:

1. To ensure that the requirements of the Board under the Health and Safety in Employment Act 1992 and the Health and Safety in Employment Amendment Act 2002 are met.
2. To ensure that the school is a safe place of work, both physically and emotionally, for staff, students, visitors, and contractors.
3. To ensure that the school practices zero-tolerance towards all types of bullying, intimidation, harassment and physical violence.
4. To establish safe work practices and to implement procedures which ensure these practices are followed.

Guidelines:

1. Ongoing evaluation and review of the Board's compliance with its health and safety programme and this policy will be undertaken.

Next Review Date: 2020