

## **POLICY DA – Records Management**

A Records Management Program is essential to manage and control PWPSD records.

## **PURPOSE**

To provide guidelines for management of PWPSD records.

## **GUIDELINES & PROCEDURES**

- 1. The Board's records must be maintained using a standardized records classification and retention schedule. This will allow PWPSD to:
  - a. meet all legal, legislative and corporate requirements for record keeping;
  - b. respond to Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy inquiries;
  - c. enhance their ability to share information and improve retrieval time;
  - d. safeguard the history of the division and ensure that all records of long-term value or required for research are securely stored;
  - e. reduce storage and equipment costs by creating the ability to destroy outdated records in accordance with an authorized business process.
- 2. Student records shall be maintained in accordance with the Student Record Regulation. This will allow the PWPSD to provide the best possible education program for students by:
  - a. providing appropriate and timely access to student information;
  - b. protecting the student's privacy.

## **REFERENCES**

Cross References: Legal Reference:

**Education Act** 

Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act

**Student Record Regulation** 

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