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A: POLICY

1. 1.1 The Thunder Bay Catholic District School Board will, on an annual basis, make available Student Accident Insurance for purchase by parents/guardians through approved insurance carriers.

1.2 Student Accident Insurance is valuable coverage for students who suffer dental or other accidental injuries while involved in sports or routine activities around the school. ***The Board does not provide accident insurance for students.*** The Board's liability insurance will provide coverage when "proven" negligence on the part of the Board or its staff resulted in any injury to a student. Parents/guardians should be encouraged to purchase this low cost coverage for the protection of their children and to insure against financial hardship to the family particularly for expensive dental work.

B: GUIDELINES

2. Annually, the Superintendent of Business and Corporate Services will receive proposals for student accident insurance. A maximum of two (2) insurance carriers will be granted permission to distribute their materials to parents/guardians through the schools.

3. Processing of applications, including payment of premiums, will be done by direct mailing between the parents/guardians and the insurance carrier.

4. Annually, the insurance carrier(s) will provide each school with a listing of students for whom insurance has been purchased. A master list of all schools will be forwarded to the Superintendent of Business and Corporate Services for information purposes.