

Administrative Procedure 7025

Alternate Delivery of Curriculum

Preamble

The purpose of this policy is to explain how students and their parents/guardians may, in consultation with their school, arrange for alternative delivery of instruction with regard to specific prescribed learning outcomes in the Health curriculum organizer of HCE K to 7, HCE 8 and 9 and Planning 10 and in the Personal Development curriculum organizer of Personal Planning K to 7.

Policy Statement

The Health curriculum organizer of HCE K to 7, HCE 8 and 9, and Planning 10, and the Personal Development curriculum organizer of Personal Planning K to 7 include prescribed learning outcomes that some students and their parents/guardians may feel more comfortable addressing by means other than instruction by a teacher in a regular classroom setting.

In such instances, students with their parents'/guardians' consent and in consultation with their school may arrange to address the prescribed learning outcomes by agreed upon alternative means.

It is expected that students will, in consultation with their school, demonstrate their knowledge of the specific prescribed learning outcome(s) they have arranged to address by alternative means.

There are several ways in which schools can accommodate student and/or parent/guardian preference to address prescribed learning outcomes in the Health curriculum organizer by alternative means. Some examples include:

- home instruction using a school-determined package of materials or other agreed upon materials;
- distributed Learning (formerly distance education/distance electronic learning);
- Self directed studies;
- suggestions for assessment as included in The Classroom Assessment Model component of the IRPs for HCE K to 7, HCE 8 and 9, and Planning 10; and
- distributed Learning (formerly distance education/distance electronic learning);
- self directed studies;

- suggestions for assessment as included in The Classroom Assessment Model component of the IRPs for HCE K to 7, HCE 8 and 9, and Planning 10; and
- suggestions for instruction and assessment as included in the Personal Planning K to 7 IRP.

Schools may also invite parents/guardians to propose means for alternative delivery.

The policy applies only to the prescribed learning outcomes in the Health curriculum organizer of Health and Career Education K to 7, Health and Career Education 8 and 9, Planning 10, and in the Personal Development curriculum organizer of Personal Planning K to 7. The policy does not apply to any other prescribed learning outcomes in these IRPs, nor does it apply to any other provincial curriculum/IRP.