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SCHOOL BOARD POLICY

The Sooke Board of Education recognizes schools are foundational, as part of a larger community, to promote mental and physical health. Schools strive to provide learning environments where students can attend without fear or threat of unsafe conditions, violence or harassment. The establishment and maintenance of safe learning environments for all students is a high priority for the Board. The Board recognizes an important connection between health, safety and the many benefits to students, including a student's ability to learn, flourish, and become healthy, active and engaged citizens. To build safe and healthy schools the Board acknowledges the value of relationship, choice, respect, integrity, trust and safety as paramount.