Living Sky School Division No. 202
BOARD POLICY

1020 – MISSION, VISION, GUIDING VALUES, ORGANIZATIONAL PILLARS			
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POLICY

The vision is a statement of our preferred future. It is a statement representative of an environment in which students and staff flourish. It is what Living Sky School Division looks like when we live our values.

MISSION STATEMENT

Shaping Our Future Through Thoughtful Schools

Thoughtful schools are schools where students and staff focus on learning:

- Commitment to academic learning
- Learning to respect people and property
- Learning to become full contributing members of society
- Celebrating success

VISION STATEMENT

Growth Without Limits, Learning For All

It is a statement that represents an environment where staff and students flourish. It is what Living Sky School Division looks like when we follow our belief system.

GUIDING VALUES

Genuine Relationships – *Seeing each other as partners!*
We create trusting relationships starting with respect and strengthened by open communication, commitment and caring for others.

Belonging – *Everyone can play!*
We foster community through inclusion, acceptance and equity.

Integrity – *Owning everything we do!*
We act honestly, consistently and responsibly – living our values every day.

Innovation – *What if we could?*
We are dedicated to continuous growth and success – anticipating needs, challenging the status quo and being creative.

Well-being – ***Bringing our best every day!***
We foster a healthy, safe environment where people can be their best.

ORGANIZATIONAL PILLARS

We strive to build an organization with a culture, with structures, and with processes, where all staff are able to say they demonstrate the 4 Organizational Pillars every day.

Empowered
Making decisions in areas you are the specialist without asking permission or being overridden.

Connected
Working across teams and in strong working relationships to support students and families.

Innovative
Finding genuine solutions to problems or filling unmet needs in ways that change learning and work for the better.

Accountable
Committing to do what can be reasonably be expected and following through with those commitments, knowing that everyone's work has an impact on the learning and work of others.

LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

In the absence of personal land acknowledgements, the following was developed in collaboration between the Board of Education and the Elders Council of Living Sky School DIvision

In Living Sky School Division, we respectfully acknowledge we are on Treaty 6 territory. We value and honour the Treaties negotiated across Canada with representatives of the Crown on behalf of all newcomers, to share the land and live together in harmony. We value showing care and respect for all people and commit to reconciliation in our schools and offices, acknowledging the role of education in building a strong society, combating racism and protecting the rights of all.