



COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS

Superintendent Responsible: Superintendent of Education, Specialized Services	Initial Effective Date: 2022/02/28
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Objective:

To build strong and collaborative working relationships with Community partners.

Policy Statement:

The Grand Erie District School Board (Grand Erie) believes that building strong and collaborative working relationships with community partners can enhance the opportunities available to our students. Community partnerships must comply with Grand Erie policies, the *Education Act*, Collective Agreements, other contracts and all legal requirements. All partnerships shall be based on the principles of equity, inclusiveness, and anti-oppression.

1.0 Accountability

1.1 Criteria for Success – Collaborative working relationships

- a) Improve services and programs for students
- b) Increase public support for education
- c) Increase efficiency and effectiveness of service implementation through shared services/resources

Reference(s):

- Community Partnerships Procedure (SO-008)
- [Education Act, R.S.O. 1990, c.E.2](#)