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POLICY

The Board is committed to providing broad community consultation when considering the permanent closure of school buildings owned by the Board.

For the purposes of this policy and the accompanying regulations, *permanent closure* shall mean closing a school for a period in excess of twelve (12) months. Closures of schools for the purpose of repairs, renovations, or additions shall not be deemed a permanent closure.

REFERENCES

[BC Ministry of Education School Act, Section 73](#)

[BC Ministry of Education School Opening and Closure Order, 194/08](#)

[BC Ministry of Education Policy, School Building Closure and Disposal](#)

Related Policies and Procedures

3510-10 School Closure Regulation