4505 Provision of Menstrual Products to Students

Policy 4505	STATUS: UNDER DEVELOPMENT

PROVISION OF MENSTRUAL PRODUCTS TO STUDENTS

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Description:

The Board of Education of School District No. 59 is committed to providing menstrual products to students who may require them.

School District staff will develop procedures to:

- Ensure menstrual products are made available to students of all gender identities or expressions in a manner that protects student privacy;
- Provide for barrier free, easily accessible menstrual products at no cost to students;
- Provide menstrual products in school washrooms; and,
- Seek student feedback on the provision of menstrual products in schools.

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Description:

- 1 Dispensers for menstrual products shall be made available in all schools in SD 59:
 - 1.1 Elementary Schools:
 - 1.1.1 At least one gender specific female bathroom will have a dispenser in elementary schools;
 - 1.1.2 Menstrual products will be available in the office.
 - 1.2 Secondary Schools:
 - 1.2.1 All secondary gender specific female bathrooms and all gender-neutral bathroom stalls will have a menstrual product dispenser.
 - 1.2.2 Menstrual products will be made available in other areas of the school.
- 2 Principals will obtain feedback on the provision of menstrual products in the spring of each year.