

## LOCKER USE AGREEMENT

STUDENT NAME		SCHOOL
LOCKER#	LOCKER COMBINATION #	SCHOOL LOCK SERIAL #

## Lockers are assigned to students for their use under the following conditions:

- 1. The school principal is responsible for maintaining a safe environment conducive to learning.
- 2. The school principal and staff have adopted a zero tolerance policy for illicit drugs or contraband in the school.
- 3. The school principal can conscript the RCMP Police Services dog to assist in keeping the facility drug free.
- 4. Students have no reasonable expectation of privacy with respect to Police Dog searches for illicit drugs.
- 5. Any evidence gathered as a result of a search could be used either by the school administration for discipline purposes or by the RCMP for criminal charges.
- 6. The locker I am assigned to use is the property of Elk Island Catholic School Division. As such, EICS' *Administrative Procedure 352 Interrogations and Searches* governs the procedures involving search of student property and search of lockers. The Administrative Procedure states:

From time to time it will be necessary for the Principal or a member of the school staff to question a student regarding a breach of the school rules or an incident that occurred within the school. Under specific circumstances a search of student lockers may be required.

- 6.0 Searches
- 6.1 Student property may be subject to unannounced searches from time to time.
- 6.2 Students and their parents shall be informed at the beginning of each school year or semester, regarding any procedures in effect, and that student property is subject to periodic searches of a general administrative nature for contraband and rule violations.
- 6.3 School officials shall attempt at all times to protect the student's right to privacy.
- 6.4 Searches may be conducted if the Principal has reasonable information that the locker contains contraband or rule violations.
  - 6.4.1 The grounds for conducting a search shall be recorded in writing by the Principal and kept on file.
  - 6.4.2 Reasonable grounds usually involve the student's possession of contraband in the past or eyewitness accounts of possession of contraband.
- 6.5 The student shall be present during the search.
- 6.6 In addition to the searcher, at least one (1) other adult witness shall be present when the search takes place.
- 6.7 If the proposed search revolves around a suspicion of criminal activity, the police shall be informed, and the police shall conduct the search.
- 6.8 Whenever possible, the parents of the student shall be informed of the search and the reasons for it, prior to it being undertaken.

Reference: Section 20, 45, 60, 61, 113 School Act Child, Youth and Family Enhancement Act Controlled Drugs and Substances Act Youth Criminal Justice Act Criminal Code (Canada)

- 7. I am required to use only the locker assigned to me or to inform the school administration of the number of the locker that I am using.
- 8. I am required to use a school issued lock on my locker. Unauthorized locks will be removed and disposed of, at the discretion of the Principal.

I have read the above statements and agree to the terms and conditions of the Locker Use Agreement and EICS' <i>Administrative Procedure 352 Interrogations and Searches</i> .			
STUDENT SIGNATURE	DATE		
PARENT SIGNATURE	DATE		