



## **Education Services**

### **Safe Schools Advisory Committee Mandate:**

The Ministry of Education consulted extensively on the Safe Schools Provisions of the Education Act, and the Legislative Amendments, related Policies and Regulations. As Boards move ahead with the development and implementation of policies and programs to meet Ministry requirements to support the Safe Schools Strategy it is expected that they will actively engage all stakeholders including police agencies, community agencies, students and parents. An advisory committee that focuses on all aspects of school safety should be established at the board level. The Committee will facilitate two- way communication that ensures safe, effective and respectful learning environments.

*Resource:* Safe Schools Policy and Practice: An agenda for Action & Safe Schools Strategy Training, Ontario Ministry of Education 2007.

### **Composition of the Safe Schools Advisory Committee:**

Students	Special Education Services
Parents	Special Education Advisory Committee
The Learning Foundation	Curriculum Services
Teachers	Child and Youth Counsellors
Trustees	Attendance Counsellors
Tri-Board Transportation	Facilities Services
Student Success	Elementary Teachers Federation of Ontario
Health and Safety Committee	Ontario Secondary School Teachers' Federation
Communications Officer	Canadian Union of Public Employees
Human Resources	Administrative Support Group
Childrens' Mental Health Services	Information Technology Services
Children' Aid Society	Tyendinaga Education Committee
Police Services (Belleville, Quinte West, Picton, Madoc , Bancroft, Stirling	



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