


# North East School Division - Administrative Procedure

 <b>AP 603 Citizenship Education</b>	<b>References:</b> <i>Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms Statement of Apology to Former Students of Indian Residential Schools on Behalf of the Government of Canada</i>	<b>Tracking:</b> Revised – Sept 12, 2018 Policy maintenance – Dec 2023
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## CITIZENSHIP EDUCATION

All students are to receive instruction in Canadian citizenship and participate in patriotic observances and exercises.

### PROCEDURES

School Principals shall direct the use of decentralized or school-based funds to ensure the following:

1. Photographs of the current Monarch and Lieutenant Governor are to be placed in each school in highly visible locations.
2. Each school is to display the Canadian and Saskatchewan flags.
3. *The Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms* is displayed in each school.
4. *The Statement of Apology to Former Students of Indian Residential Schools on Behalf of the Government of Canada* is displayed in each school.
5. A statement of treaty land acknowledgement is made in conjunction with the singing of “O Canada” prior to the beginning of classes each day and may be used in conjunction with the start of opening ceremonies and student assemblies.
6. Remembrance Day is to be observed in all schools.