



SECTION 6: OPERATIONS

Policy 6.30: Opening Exercises

Supporting Policies

Supporting Procedures

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Supporting Templates and Forms

Other Resources

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As per Education Act Regulation 435/00 and Policy/Program Memorandum (PPM) No. 108, all Algoma District School Board elementary and secondary schools must be opened or closed each day with the national anthem, a period of silence and an acknowledgement of traditional Indigenous territory. “God Save the Queen” may be included at the discretion of the Principal.

Any additional readings must impart social, moral, or spiritual values that are representative of our multicultural society.

Parents/guardians and students aged 18 years or older, who object to part or all of the exercises, may apply to the Principal, in writing, for exemption. Exempted students may either remain seated in the classroom without disrupting or distracting the exercises, or remain in the hallway, visible by the teacher for supervision purposes.