NAG 1
CURRICULUM

EDUCATION OUTSIDE THE CLASSROOM (EOTC) POLICY

Rationale:

Children learn by enjoying experiences appropriate to their needs and environment. Varied experiences are necessary for maximum development and all learners should be given opportunities to explore the world outside the classroom.

Objectives:

1. To provide a safe physical, social and emotional environment for the students to work in.
2. To enhance learning through a variety of well designed first hand experiences.
3. To assist social development through working with others in situations different from their everyday lives.
4. To involve the students in an awareness of the environment.
5. To appreciate aspects of their natural environment.

Guidelines:

Our school will:

1. Use EOTC to enhance learning in all curriculum areas.
2. Provide opportunities for the staff to become more effective in EOTC.
3. Follow Ministry of Education regulations and guidelines on safety, supervision, risk management, leadership and legal requirement.
4. Using the application for EOTC excursion form (Curric/EOTC/p1/f1) provided in the Blue Policy Handbook apply to the Principal for permission to undertake class visits.
5. Parental/Guardian permission will be gained prior to all EOTC excursions.

Ratified **BOT:** _____

Principal : _____

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