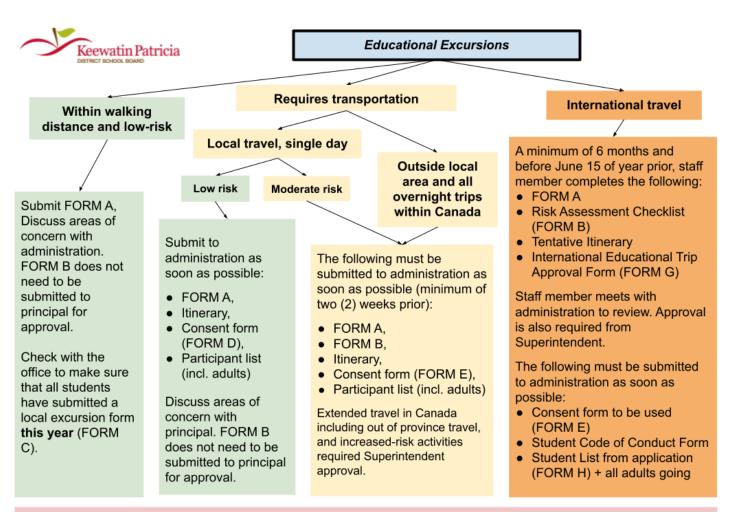


### **Keewatin-Patricia District School Board**

(Procedure 401: School-Student Activities Outside the Classroom)

### **EDUCATIONAL EXCURSION FORMS**

- This framework has been designed to ensure essential risks have been considered in the educational excursion and athletics planning process.
- For all educational excursions, teachers will complete FORM A and the other required elements from this package (depending on the type of excursion) and present it to the Principal for review and discussion.
- For any areas of concern where the Principal is uncomfortable with the risk level proposed, the Principal will contact their Superintendent of Education for guidance.



All individuals taking students on trips outside of the classroom MUST read Policy and Procedure 401 including the cross-reference procedures indicated in the document.



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**FORM A** 

### **EDUCATIONAL EXCURSION INFORMATION AND APPROVAL**

School Name:				leacher in Charge:			
Destination:			Iti	Itinerary Included: yes			
Number of Students	<b>S</b> :	Numbe	er of Superviso	ors:	Grade/Attendees:		
Will this excursion occur with any other KPDSB school at the same time? yes no main o			and the				
		Туре	of Educational E	xcursion			
Within walking distance, low risk	Requires transporta		Require transpo modera	rtation,	Overnight within Canada	International travel	
Consent Form C	Consent Form D			t Form E - Risk Assessn	nent Checklist		
EXCU	RSION DETAILS (	Internatio	nal Travel to Cor	mplete Form C	3 instead of this sec	tion)	
Purpose of Trip							
Departure Date/Time							
Return Date/Time							
Coverage (including s		ed at					
Transportation details							
Accommodation detail	ils						
Specific safety require considered	ements to be						
Outline funds required may be used)	d and source (Form	n F					
Teacher		Princip	oal		Superintendent		
after having considered all elements listed on Procedure 401 including the risk assessment checklist, if applicable.  Signature:  Signature:		I have re meets the Policy 40 assessm Signature	viewed this excurs e requirements as 11, Procedure 401, ent checklist that f	stated in and the risk ollows.	I have reviewed this etravel/out-of-province, increased risk activity  Approved Not approve Signature: Date:	/country and/or ed	



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### **FORM B**

RISK ASSESSMENT CHECKLIST (This form must accompany FORM A for specific trip information.)

SECTION 1: TRANSPORTATION	N/A	TEACHER AGREED	PRINCIPAL AGREED
1.1 Mode of transportation to be used: (check all applicable, review transportation considerations in Procedure 401)			
□ Walking       □ Passenger van       □ Aircraft         □ School buses/taxis       □ Accessible       □ Rail, shuttle train, monorail, subway         □ Caregiver volunteer driver       □ Watercraft       □ Other:         □ School vehicle       □ Staff member's personal vehicle			
1.2 Distance required to travel to destination: (check applicable)			
<ul> <li>☐ Within city of students' home school</li> <li>☐ Within Canada</li> <li>☐ Outside of Canada</li> <li>☐ Within Ontario</li> </ul>			
1.3 For all modes of transport other than walking, the following will be completed:			
<ul> <li>A master listing of students on each carrier/vehicle</li> <li>Duplicate lists are kept in the school office</li> <li>Students are not permitted to travel via carrier/vehicle other than those to which they were assigned unless there is an emergency.</li> </ul>			
1.4 If a vehicle used for transport is being rented:			
<ul> <li>It will be driven exclusively by KPDSB employees</li> <li>Full insurance coverage (public liability, collision, and comprehensive) will be purchased through the rental agency</li> </ul>			
1.5 If transportation is being provided through a tour company, the tour company has been advised of the need to comply with Procedure 401, School-Student Activities Outside the Classroom			
1.6 Expected travel conditions considerations:			
☐ Highway Construction/Detours ☐ Traffic/density hazards			
Potential for road hazards or air travel delays (i.e., snowstorm)			
1.7 Volunteer Driver considerations:			
Signoff on KPDSB Policy 307, Use of Privately-Owned Vehicles by Parents/Guardians, Volunteers, and/or Staff to Transport Students			
Aware of and agree to follow Procedure 401, School-Student Activities Outside the Classroom			
Student drivers are used in exceptional cases only, and following a suitability interview with the student and Caregiver			
1.9 Vehicles will be equipped with required safety apparatus, i.e., car seats, bus restraint systems, snow tires			
1.10 Student behavioural issues have been considered to reduce driver distraction while in transport			
1.11 Access to a private vehicle or alternative transportation has been considered in case of emergency when the excursion is in a rural/remote location			
1.12 For walking excursions, students will walk in configurations formed to control the group			



1.13 Other:			
SECTION 2: ACTIVITY	N/A	TEACHER AGREED	PRINCIPAL AGREED
2.1 The excursion/activity is relevant to curriculum expectations			
2.2 The students will be able to apply the knowledge acquired from the excursion to classroom activities before the end of the school year			
2.3 The organizer has provided an itemized breakdown of the cost of the activity (KPDSB FORM F EXTENDED EDUCATIONAL TRIP APPROVAL FORM), including what portions will be subsidized and what amount will be collected from students.			
2.4 The mode of transportation is the most cost-effective including considerations for student safety.			
2.5 Participants will be reasonably protected from the risk of falling from heights and/or other injury.			
2.6 Level of risk due to natural elements have been considered:  Extreme heat/cold/wind  Tidal conditions, currents, or wave action  Natural elements – avalanche, mudslides, volcanic activity, flash flood, disease outbreak  Extreme weather or environmental factors – hurricane, tornado, ice/snowstorm, earthquake			
2.7 An emergency response plan is in place including:  Emergency communications  Contact information for emergency services at travel destination  Route to the nearest hospital  Special medical needs of students			
2.8 Supervisor(s) have been informed and understand that they are to make no changes to the scheduled itinerary without approval of the Principal or designate, who will be available for the duration of the excursion.			
2.9 The excursion/activity is sanctioned by another governing body and their standards are being followed. These include:    KPDSB Sanctioned Athletics   OPHEA   Skills Canada   OFSAA   OSBIE School Board/Snow Resort Safety Guidelines   Transport Canada (watercraft)   Technical Standards and Safety Authority (TSSA)   Other:			
2.10 For items with higher risk the supervisor has provided a listing of precautions that will be taken to minimize risk.			
2.11 The activity is planned at a time when it would have minimal disruption to classroom instruction (not more than 2 days).			
2.12 The activity is planned at a time when it does not interfere with days of cultural or religious significance.			
2.13 The destination is physically accessible for all students and supervisors attending, including those with differing abilities.			



2.14 The service provider/destination will provide a refund of deposits or prepaid amounts if the activity is cancelled.			
2.15 The service provider/destination will allow final payment to be based upon only the students attending.			
2.16 The service provider has not asked the school to sign off on any waivers or contracts that will indemnify or hold harmless third parties (vendors, transportation providers, excursion/activity providers).			
2.17 Where boating excursions are involved, there are properly fitting life jackets for all adults and students as well as lifesaving equipment, and the vessel complies with Transport Canada as indicated on boat operator's insurance.			
2.18 Other:			
THE NEXT 6 ITEMS APPLY TO OVERNIGHT EXCURSIONS			
2.19 A Caregiver information meeting will be held to explain risks and to answer questions.			
2.20 Caregiver information meeting will include:  All planned activities and itinerary Supervisors and supervision ratios Student behaviour expectations and consequences for non-compliance Contingency and emergency information (written) Medical insurance coverage and baggage insurance is not provided through KPDSB's insurance coverage Information regarding travel insurance through third-party agency (if available) KPDSB reserves the right to cancel the trip at any time based on safety concerns			
2.21 Safety standards applicable to high-risk activities which will be undertaken outside of province/country meet the OPHEA Safety Guidelines.			
2.22 Cancellation insurance (through the tour provider) has been recommended to caregivers, along with information so caregivers are aware if they are required to opt-in or opt-out of coverage.			
2.23 A daily itinerary is prepared including all activities and any free time, which will include direct supervision at all times. The itinerary will be provided with this checklist to the Superintendent for out-of-province and out-of-country excursions.			
2.24 A list of all students and supervisors attending will be provided with this checklist to the Superintendent for out-of-province and out-of-country excursions.			
SECTION 3: STUDENT COMPOSITION	N/A	TEACHER	PRINCIPAL
3.1 Consideration has been given to the impact on the learning needs of students as		AGREED	AGREED
<ul> <li>a result of:</li> <li>The supervisor/staff assistant(s) being outside of the classroom</li> <li>The length of time students will be outside of the classroom (see 2.11)</li> </ul>			
3.2 Students have a minimum degree of skill or experience required to undertake this activity, including any pre-requisite training or in-class/on-site preparation, as determined by a qualified coach or certified instructor			
3.3 The activity is suitable for the age range of the students  Physical size – height/weight  Maturity level  Ability to comprehend rules/restrictions and follow safety instructions			



3.4 The time required to transport the students to/from the activity is reasonable based on the age/composition of the student group			
3.5 A safety plan has been developed for students with an Interaction Plan, Behaviour Plan, and/or Safety Plan, and shared with all supervisors			
3.6 Special consideration should be given to students presenting with mental health concerns (diagnosed or undiagnosed). Mental Health Safety Plans have developed for students considered high risk.			
3.6 Students will not be excluded from the activity as a result of known:  Medical history, allergies Physical limitations, injuries Special needs Lagging skills			
3.7 Students have adequate notice to obtain any special documentation to participate (i.e., passports, visas, immunization records)			
3.8 Special accommodations or additional resources will be available for students whose first language is not English, and for students with other communication differences.			
3.9 Supervisors will make every effort to ensure that photographs are not taken of students without a signed media consent			
3.10 Students, supervisors, and other staff members have been advised NOT to advertise the excursion activities or photographs on social media or any other public forum prior to and during the event for the protection of participants			
3.11 Students of legal age and supervisors understand that purchase and/or consumption of alcohol on the excursion is prohibited whether in Ontario or outside of province/country			
3.12 Arrangements for overnight accommodations will include consideration of the following:  Student medical conditions/needs Student gender self-identification Safety of accommodations and surrounding area			
3.13 Other:			
SECTION 4: SUPERVISION	N/A	TEACHER AGREED	PRINCIPAL AGREED
4.1 The number of supervisors attending the activity meets the minimum supervision ratios as outlined in Procedure 401.			
4.2 Environmental factors that would impact supervision have been considered. Examples:			
<ul> <li>☐ Obstructions in sight lines</li> <li>☐ Dispersed groups</li> <li>☐ Navigating through large crowds</li> <li>☐ Official tours vs. self-guided tours</li> </ul>			
<ul> <li>4.3 Contingency plans are in place in case of: <ul> <li>Late arrival/early departure of students</li> <li>Supervisor or student injury or illness</li> <li>Supervisor or student being detained by authorities</li> <li>Travel changes due to weather, traffic, commercial provider scheduling</li> <li>Flight risk, student leaving the premises</li> </ul> </li> </ul>			



4.4 A KPDSB staff member will be in charge of the excursion/activity at all times.		
4.5 All volunteers have been properly screened, and have submitted required paperwork, as per Policy 306, Use of Volunteers.		
4.6 All volunteers have been advised of their duties and expectations.		
4.7 For travel to a rural/remote location where high-risk activity is undertaken, at least one of the supervisors and/or employees of the excursion location holds current First Aid certification.		
4.8 Supervisors and volunteers have access to first aid supplies.		
4.9 Supervisor will bring a first aid kit on the excursion as provided by the school.		
4.10 An alternate supervisor is designated in case the primary supervisor is unavailable on the date of the excursion/activity:		
4.11 The itinerary ensures there is no unstructured free time where students are not supervised.		
4.12 Supervisors and/or those controlling the excursion/activity (on-site instructor and KPDSB staff) have the required specialized training and/or certifications as identified by OPHEA Guidelines, Wilderness First Aid, and/or Skills Canada.		
4.13 All supervisors and volunteers are known to the Principal and demonstrate the following characteristics:    Maturity		
4.14 All supervisors/volunteers are able to be responsible for the students attending the excursion/activity by:  Supporting any student in need of assistance Acting independently from any family members attending (students or other supervisors)  Not bringing any dependents under the age of 18		
4.15 The school is able to cover, through the school budget, additional costs incurred for supervision in order to conduct this excursion/activity, i.e., occasional teachers		
4.16 If coverage of classes is required, occasional teacher(s) and/or support staff have been arranged to be paid for out of school budget funds		
4.17 Emergency communication devices will be available to KPDSB staff and volunteers, i.e., cell phones, 2-way radio, satellite phone		
4.18 Other:		



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FORM C

## **CONSENT FOR LOCAL SHORT EXCURSIONS**

Name	of Student:		
Teleph	none Number:	Grade:	Room:
Schoo	ol:		
<u>Outlir</u>	ne of Activities:		
		hort walking excursions in the vicinity other schools or community facilities	
I herel above		on/daughter to participate in short loo	cal excursions as outlined
I reco	gnize:		
1.	-	nd procedures in place to govern the safety of all participants.	conduct of students, staff, and
2.	My child may be invol classroom.	ed in activities which may entail inhe	rent risks beyond the normal
3.	expense insurance for	de any accidental death, disability, distudents participating in field trips and that the student has the appropriate	nd that it is the caregiver's
I autho	orize the supervisor to p	rovide my child with medical attentior	n should the need arise.
Date		Signati	ure of Caregiver
preca		any information about your student that n (i.e. allergies, medications, mental heal	



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**FORM D** 

## CONSENT FOR LOCAL DAY TRIPS FOR STUDENTS INVOLVING TRANSPORTATION

Name	e of Pupil:		
Telep	phone Number:	Grade:	Room:
Schoo	ol:		
<u>Outlii</u>	ne of Activities:		
I here	eby give consent for my son/daughter to par	ticipate in the educa	ational trip outlined above.
I reco	ognize:		
1.	. KPDSB has policies and procedures in play volunteers to ensure the safety of all particles.	•	onduct of students, staff, and
2.	. My child may be involved in activities whice classroom.	ch may entail inhere	ent risks beyond the normal
3.	. KPDSB does not provide any accidental of expense insurance for students participating responsibility to ensure that the student has	ing in field trips and	that it is the caregiver's
4.	<ul> <li>Recreational swimming will not be approved duty AND PFDs/lifejackets are worn by allake, beach, dock, etc.).</li> </ul>		
I auth	norize the supervisor to provide the pupil with	h medical attention	should the need arise.
Date		Signatur	e of Caregiver
any p	se indicate below if there is any information about precautions that should be taken (i.e. allergies, mosis, physical limitations, etc.)		



# **Keewatin-Patricia District School Board**

(Procedure 401: School-Student Activities Outside the Classroom)

**FORM E** 

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### **CONSENT FOR EXTENDED EDUCATIONAL TRIPS**

THIS FORM MUST BE READ AND SIGNED BY EVERY STUDENT WHO WISHES TO PARTICIPATE AND BY A CAREGIVER OF EACH PARTICIPATING STUDENT.

School Contact   Dates	Trip Name (itinerary attached)	
ELEMENTS OF RISK  Educational activity programs outside the school, such as this trip which is being offered, involve certain elements of risk. Accidents may occur while participating in these activities, and these accidents may caus injury. A few examples of the type of injury which may occur while participating are sprains, strains, bruises bumps, fractures, concussions, and asthma attacks as well as other serious injury, paralysis, or death. These accidents result from the nature of the activity and can occur without any fault on either the part of the students, of the School Board, or its employees or agents, or of the facility where the activity is taking place By choosing to participate in the activity, you are assuming the risk of an accident occurring.  KPDSB has policies and procedures in place to govern the conduct of students, staff, and volunteers to ensure the safety of all participants. The chance of an accident occurring can be reduced by carefully following instructions at all times while engaged in the activity. If you choose to participate in this educationating, you must understand that you will bear the responsibility for any accident that might occur. The Keewatin-Patricia District School Board does not provide any accidental death, disability, dismemberment of medical expense insurance on behalf of the students participating in this activity.  Recreational swimming will not be approved unless qualified lifeguards/supervisors are on duty AND PFDs/lifejackets are worn by all students when swimming in open water (i.e. lake, beach, dock, etc.). For water-related outdoor education experiences, PFDs/lifejackets must always be worn on, in, or near the water.   ACKNOWLEDGEMENT  We have read the above. We understand that in participating in the activity, we are assuming the risks associated with doing so.  Signature of Student:  Date:  Please indicate below if there is any information about your student that we should be aware of and any precautions that should be taken (i.e. allergies, medications	School Contact	
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Please indicate below if there is any information about your student that we should be aware of and any precautions that should be taken (i.e. allergies, medications, mental health concerns or diagnosis, physical limitations, etc.)  PERMISSION  I give permission to participate in this educational trip.	We have read the above. We und associated with doing so.	
Please indicate below if there is any information about your student that we should be aware of and any precautions that should be taken (i.e. allergies, medications, mental health concerns or diagnosis, physical limitations, etc.)  PERMISSION  I give permission to participate in this educational trip.	-	
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	Signature of Caregiver:	Date:



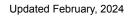
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FORM F

## FINANCE DETAILS FOR EDUCATION EXCURSION

# **Outline of Estimated Expenditures**

Travel			
Meals			
Accommodation			
Supply Teacher Costs			
Additional (please specify)			
Total			
Access of Funds			
Source of Funds	Am Ant	ount Requested or icipated	Amount Approved or Actual
i) Ontario Young Travelers			
ii) Other Agencies (specify)			
iii) Student Contribution \$ x (# of students)			
iv) Fundraising (specify methods)			
v) Other (specify)			
vi) TOTALS			
PRINCIPAL NOTES			•
Principal Name Principal	l Sigr	nature Date	

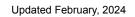




**FORM G** 

## **EXTENDED EDUCATIONAL TRIP APPROVAL FORM - INTERNATIONAL**

School Name:	Submission date:	Itinerary Attached:
Items	Description or Details	
Destination	•	
Purpose/prospectus/rationale for the international trip		
Service provider (include tour ID, tour leader contact information)		
Departure date		
Return date		
Student target group		
Potential numbers of student participants		
Number of school staff/supervising teachers (include names)		
Staff leave required		
Potential number of other supervisors (volunteer chaperones) required		
Modes of transportation used on the trip. Include who will be providing each mode of transportation, and for which portions of the trip		
Types of accommodations used on the trip		
Estimated costs (Include cost per student and other associated costs; FORM F can also be used)		
Outline of Primary and Secondary Fundraising Plans		
Required (if any) medical/immunizations and travel VISAs		
Approvals:		
Principal Sch	ool Council Chair	Superintendent
Date Date	<u> </u>	Date





## FORM H

## KPDSB SECONDARY TRAVEL CLUBS STUDENT APPLICATION FORM

Trip Name: (school complete)							
Trip Dates: (school complete)							
Student Name							
Caregiver Name(s)							
Caregiver Phone	Caregiver Email						
Estimated Trip Cost Per Student: (school comple	te)						
Per Student Primary (Group) Fundraising Goal: (sch	nool complete)						
Do you plan to participate in Secondary Fundraising	? □ YES		□NO				
Planned Amount for Direct Payment:							
Planned Amount for Secondary Fundraising:							
Schedule for Direct Payments and Secondary Fundr	aising Completed: (scl	nool co	omplete)				
Please initial in the boxes following each of the state acknowledge KPDSB's expectations for the travel clu			Student	Caregiver			
	I acknowledge that KPDSB requires all travel club participants to purchase insurance that will reimburse them for the maximum amount available should						
the trip be cancelled.							
I acknowledge the school's expectations leading up to and while on the trip and understand that if they are not met, the student may not be permitted to participate in the travel club or go on the trip.							
I acknowledge all costs, the fundraising plan, and the schedule for direct payments outlined above.							
I acknowledge the required primary (group) fundraising and will participate in the planned events.							
I acknowledge that fundraised dollars belong to the s	school and not the stud	lent.					
Student Signature		Date					
Caregiver Signature Date							