

MEMORIAL FUND

Background

The Board would like to recognize and extend their sympathies to those employees who have lost a loved one and to the families of students who pass away while enrolled in one of our schools. During this time of sorrow, Northwest School Division would like to make a contribution to an existing scholarship fund, of the family's choice, at a Northwest School Division school.

The following donation will be made in the name of the deceased.

Procedure

- 1. A one-time contribution of \$50.00 will be made to an **existing** scholarship fund, of the family's choice, at a Northwest School Division school in the following circumstances:
 - a. death of a staff member or a staff member's immediate family.
 - b. death of a student while enrolled in a Northwest School Division school.
- 2. Immediate family will be defined as spouse (including common law/partner), child (including spouse's child where applicable) and parent of staff member.
- 3. Memorial contributions, such as flowers, food, etc., will be the responsibility of the local staff funds.
- 4. The Administrative Procedure 430-1 Memorial Fund Form must be completed by the school, the family or the employee's supervisor.
- 5. The completed form shall be submitted to Human Resources department.
- 6. Upon receipt of the completed memorial form, the Human Resources department will send a sympathy card to the family which will refer to the scholarship fund donation that was made in the name of the deceased.

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