

## **ORIENTATION OF NEW BOARD MEMBERS**

The magnitude of School Board responsibility calls for knowledge of and orientation to many areas of information and understanding. Under the guidance of the experienced board members and the division office administration, orientation will be provided to new board members through activities such as:

- (a) The workshop for new board members and regional workshops conducted by their professional organization.
- (b) Orientation meetings with the division office administration.
- (c) The provision of materials on school board policies and procedures and reports prepared for the Board by the administrative staff.
- (d) Discussions and visits with the division office administrators, school administrators, teaching staff and non-professional staff.

It is recommended that the orientation session(s) for new board be within **one month** of the time that the trustees take office.

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