



# Northeastern Catholic District School Board

## SCHOOL FOOD AND BEVERAGE

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### POLICY STATEMENT

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The Northeastern Catholic District School Board (NCDSB) recognizes the value of promoting healthy nutrition among students and actively encourages healthy lifestyles that help advance physical well-being, growth, and intellectual development. This policy is developed in compliance with the standards for food and beverages sold in its schools as set out in the Ministry of Education Policy Program Memorandum (PPM) 150.

### REFERENCES

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*Education Act*

Policy Program Memorandum (PPM)

150 School Food and Beverage Policy

*Healthy Food for Health Schools Act, 2008*

School Food and Beverage Policy Resource Guide, 2010

### DEFINITIONS

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Nil.

### POLICY REGULATIONS

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- 1.0 The nutrition standards outlined in PPM 150 apply to all foods and beverages sold in all venues (i.e. cafeterias, vending machines, tuck shops) through all programs (i.e. catered lunch programs) and at all events (bake sales, sporting events).
- 2.0 This policy and the regulation set forth in PPM 150 will:
  - i) apply to all events that involve students at school, regardless of the time of day or night;
  - ii) apply to students only;
  - iii) apply to food that is sold to students.
- 3.0 The standards do not apply to food and beverages that are:
  - i) offered in schools to students at no cost;
  - ii) brought from home or purchased off school premises and are not for resale in schools;
  - iii) available for purchase during field trips off school premises;
  - iv) sold in schools for non-school purposes (sold by an outside organization that is using the gymnasium after school hours for a non-school-related event);
  - v) sold for fundraising activities that occur off school premises.

vi) sold in staff rooms.

4.0 The provisions of PPM 150 will serve as the administrative procedures for this policy.