

YELLOWKNIFE PLAYSCHOOL ASSOCIATION

POLICY TITLE:

RELIGIOUS/HOLIDAY POLICY

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The Board believes in the promotion of individual and group relations in which ethnic, racial, religious and linguistic similarities and differences are valued, respected and exchanged.

Furthermore, the Board also believes that certain holidays celebrated broadly within Canada can also be celebrated in the classroom without excluding or marginalizing minority groups.

These holidays include, but are not exclusive to: Hallowe'en, Christmas, Valentine's Day and Easter. The Board will endeavour to ensure that these holidays are celebrated in the classroom in a secular and non-denominational fashion.

BOARD APPROVAL DATE: June 12, 2008 and August 28, 2008 (confirmed)

CHAIRPERSON'S SIGNATURE: