

## **Administrative Procedure 208**

## **NATIONAL ANTHEM**

## **Background**

The principal, in consultation with staff, is to develop a school plan for the singing or signing of our National Anthem.

## **Procedures**

- 1. Staff in all elementary and middle schools shall lead all students at the commencement of all appropriate school assemblies, in the singing or signing of our National Anthem.
- Staff in all secondary schools and all other student programs shall lead all students in the singing or signing of our National Anthem regularly, at times determined by the principal and at the commencement of appropriate assemblies and all graduation and awards ceremonies.
- 3. District staff shall encourage students to participate in the singing or signing of our National Anthem at major school events.

Reference: Sections 17, 20, 22, 65, 85, School Act

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