

## Board Governance Policy Cross Reference: 1, 2, 3, 7, 12, 14, 17, 18

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## Expense Reimbursement

- 1. Evergreen School Division will reimburse pre-approved expenses incurred by an employee in the performance of their duties.
- 2. Expense claims shall be submitted to the Secretary-Treasurer's office, on a completed and approved Expense Claim form, within fifteen working days of the end of each month.
- 3. Original itemized receipts must be submitted and must contain the following:
  - a. Date of the Transaction
  - b. Amount of the Transaction
  - c. Vendor Name and Address
  - d. Purpose of the transaction including an itemized description of the goods or services purchased.
  - e. A Credit Card Slip or Debit Slip alone does not constitute an official receipt.
- 4. Claims not supported by a proper receipt as outlined above will be rejected.
- 5. Claims that were incurred in a previous school year will be denied.
- 6. Purchases on personal credit cards should not exceed \$500.00.
- 7. Employees shall strive to utilize purchase orders or corporate credit cards (as applicable).

## **Reimbursement of Meals**

- 1. Meal expenses must be pre-approved by a supervisor and will only be approved for travel or professional development purposes.
- 2. Employees will be reimbursed for meals to a maximum per day. Refer to *Appendix I* for current rates.
- 3. No alcohol will be reimbursed.
- 4. Gratuity up to 15% will be reimbursed on top of the above meal maximums.

## Travel Expense Reimbursement

- 1. Where official travel by personally owned vehicle has been authorized, mileage payment shall be made at the rate currently approved by the Board. A properly completed and approved Expense Claim shall be submitted within five working days of the end of each month to the Secretary-Treasurer's office.
- 2. Employees will not be reimbursed for travel to their main worksite.

- 3. All other preauthorized travel expenses will be reimbursed as per Board Approved Division Guidelines.
- 4. The Divisional mileage rate will be reviewed and determined by the Board annually, during the budget cycle.

Corporate Credit Cards See Administrative Procedure 5.45.

# Appendix 1 – Schedule of Rates

Mileage \$0.61/KM

Meals (excluding gratuity) Breakfast \$12.00 Lunch \$20.00

Supper \$28.00

Total per day: \$60.00