



Department of  
**Education**

# **Curriculum Assessment Reporting in Public Schools Policy**

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## 1. Policy statement

The Department of Education, through public schools, implements a curriculum to meet the learning needs of all students, from Kindergarten to Year 12, and assesses and reports student achievement in accordance with the established standards of the School Curriculum and Standards Authority.

## 2. Policy rules

Principals, in consultation with teaching staff, must develop school based plans that:

- comply with the requirements of the School Curriculum and Standards Authority;
- report achievement of each student from Kindergarten to Year 12 at the end of each semester; and
- comply with the Curriculum, Assessment and Reporting in Public Schools Procedures.

The principal has the final authority to determine the content of the school based assessment and reporting plan.

## 3. Responsibility for implementation and compliance

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## 4. Scope

This policy applies to principals and teaching staff in public schools.

## 5. Supporting procedures

[Curriculum Assessment Reporting in Public Schools Procedures](#)

## 6. Related documents

### Relevant legislation or authority

[Disabilities Standards for Education 2005](#)

[Disability Discrimination Act 1992 \(Cth\)](#)

[Equal Opportunity Act 1984 \(WA\)](#)

[National Education Agreement](#)

[Public Sector Management Act 1994 \(WA\)](#)

[School Curriculum and Standards Authority Act 1997 \(WA\)](#)

[School Education Act 1999 \(WA\)](#)

[The School Education Act Employees' \(Teachers and Administrators\) General Agreement 2019 \(staff only\)](#)

### Related Department policies

[Child Protection in Department of Education Sites](#)

[Record Management](#)

[Risk and Business Continuity Management](#)

[School Improvement and Accountability in Public Schools](#)

## 7. Contact information

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## 8. History of changes

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## 9. More information

### Supporting content

#### Procedure

[Curriculum Assessment Reporting in Public Schools Procedures](#)

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