



## Administrative Procedure 4330

# USE OF INFLATABLES, AIRBORNE TRAMPOLINES AND DUNK TANKS

Responsibility:	Coordinating Superintendent, Business Services & Treasurer of the Board
Legal References:	N/A
Related References:	
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### 1. Preamble

- 1.1 The following procedure provides clarification regarding the use of inflatable jumpers, slides, houses, castles, in addition to airborne trampolines and dunk tanks on school property.

### 2. Ontario School Board Insurance Exchange (OSBIE)

- 2.1 The Board's insurance carrier, OSBIE, has provided direction that the rental and/or use of inflatable products (i.e., jumpers, slides, houses, castles) is not permitted for school events. This restriction applies to units where students climb, jump or ride (in or on) the inflatable device.
  - 2.1.1 The restriction does not apply to units where the student does not directly contact the inflatable device, i.e., frog toss, basketball stand, where the equipment happens to be inflatable.
- 2.2 Airborne trampolines and dunk tanks are not permitted, except under the following circumstances:
  - 2.2.1 Some students with special needs may have specialized equipment that could include a small trampoline. These trampolines are assigned to students only when recommended by a qualified professional such as an Occupational Therapist. These trampolines are required as part of identified sensory needs and will be listed as part of the sensory equipment in the student's Individual Education Plan (IEP).
- 2.3 No contracts should be signed with any vendors offering any of these products even if the products themselves are approved through the Technical Standards and Safety Association (TSSA).