



**Board of
Governors Policy
Manual**



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Background

The Minister’s Binding Policy Directive on Governance and Accountability states that “the

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Guiding Principles

- Learning for empowerment
- Accessibility for learners
- Diversity and inclusion for a progressive organizational culture
- Career opportunities through innovative education and transferable skills
- Relevant applied experiences
- Value for investment
- Support for lifelong learning
- Continuous improvement
- Intentional communications
- Transparency

Institutional Commitments

At Northern College we:

- support, nurture, and celebrate the contributions and accomplishments of learners and employees;
- connect our learners and communities through the application of accessible and innovative technology;
- foster and encourage a friendly, caring, and respectful organizational culture;
- establish an organizational culture that reflects the diversity of our communities;
- work respectfully in collaboration with Indigenous peoples and communities;
- pursue partnerships and entrepreneurial opportunities to better serve the community;
- enhance the quality and access to a college education through glob