

SCHOOL DISTRICT 54
(Bulkley Valley)
ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES

ANIMALS IN SCHOOLS FOR EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES 6.900-1
(Board Policy # 6.900)

Accommodation of animals in school district facilities for educational reasons is permissible, subject to the following:

1. Approval of the principal indicating the specific period.
2. The teacher shall ensure that no students or staff with allergies or who are fearful of the animal will be adversely affected.
3. The teacher is responsible for the provision of suitable cages, feeding, cleaning and other duties connected to the accommodation of such animals.
4. Should, in the opinion of the principal, hygiene become a factor, approval shall be terminated forthwith.
5. All animals shall be removed from the schools prior to the winter, spring and summer vacation periods.
6. Poisonous reptiles or dangerous animals shall not be accommodated in schools.

Adopted: May 19, 2020