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	Retirement Recognition
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## **Background**

All Division employees are to receive a suitable gift when they retire as a small thank you for their years of service to the Division.

## **Procedures**

- 1. When a Division instructional employee retires, a gift in the price range of one hundred to one hundred and fifty dollars (\$100.00 to \$150.00) will be presented to the employee at a suitable time and place.
- 2. When a Non-Instructional employee of the Division retires, who has reached the age of fifty (50) while in the employ of the Division, the employee shall be presented:
  - 2.1 A retirement allowance of two hundred dollars (\$200.00) if the employee has completed five (5) years of service with the Board, and
  - 2.2 An additional one hundred dollars (\$100.00) for each additional year of service or portion thereof.
  - 2.3 The following absences are not considered when calculating years of service with the Board:
    - Leave without pay for a period of 30 days or more
    - Maternity leave
    - Paternity leave
    - Compassionate care leave (in accordance with Provincial Employment Standards)
    - Extended Disability Benefit (EDB)
    - Workers' Compensation Benefit (WCB)
  - 2.4 Furthermore, if an individual is in receipt of either full-time EDB or WCB for a two (2) year period or longer when reaching the age of 65 they will not qualify for retirement recognition. The individual is not deemed a "continuous" employee of the Division while in receipt of these full-time benefits.