



Policy

Assessment

Rationale:

Assessment provides information on the effectiveness of what has been taught to enable teachers to improve student learning and the quality of learning programmes.

Considering our special character, policy development will encourage flexible school wide approaches to assessment and the reporting of student achievement.

Purposes:

The Southern Regional Health School the purpose of assessment is:

- To improve student learning and the quality of the teaching programmes and should be part of the learning process, not separate from it.
- To identify student needs
- To identify the next steps in teaching and learning for students and teachers
- To enable students to take increasing responsibility for their own learning.
- To provide information for reporting to students, parents, schools of enrolment, other professionals and the Board of Trustees.
- To meet education requirements as stated in the National Administration Guidelines 1 & 2.

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