

Policy

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Title: Criminal Background / Police Record Checks

Section: Human Resources
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Associated Documents: N/A

- 1. Student Transportation of Eastern Ontario (STEO) recognizes a legal responsibility under the Education Act, to provide a safe and secure environment for students and employees. STEO is in a position of trust with regard to students and must strive to protect their well-being.
- 2. STEO will not hire into its employ or continue to employ persons who will have contact with students who have police records and/or patterns of behaviour which place students or staff at risk.
- 3. STEO will not allow access to service providers who have direct and regular contact with students:
 - Who have not provided a Police Record Check, or
 - Who have provided a Police Record Check which has been adjudicated and found to present an unacceptable risk to students and/or staff.
- 4. STEO will require all volunteers who may be in contact with students to provide evidence of a criminal background.