

Policy # 5.28

BINGO POLICY

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POLICY

The Calgary Jewish Academy participates in several different fundraising initiatives. Securing agreements with Bingo Halls to provide workers in exchange for a share of the profits is one of these initiatives. The purpose of fundraising is to keep tuition costs and increases as low as possible.

REGULATIONS

1. Family Responsibility for Working Bingos

Every family is assigned up to seven (7) bingos over the course of a year. The Bingo “Year” runs from August 1st to July 31st of each year. The Calgary Jewish Academy requires each family to:

- a) work their assigned bingos (*or find suitable substitutes to work on their behalf*);
OR
- b) Opt-Out of working bingos by paying a bingo opt-out fee.

2. Missing a Bingo

If families are unable to attend an assigned Bingo event, it is their responsibility to make arrangements for a suitable substitute to work on their behalf. The school Bingo Coordinator should be informed any time a substitute is working on a family’s behalf.

When a family misses an assigned bingo:

- a) If it is the first bingo they have missed, a family has missed they will automatically be charged the “missed bingo” fee.
- b) If it is the second bingo a family has missed, they will be charged the full bingo opt-out fee.



Bingo and/or related bingo financial obligations must be met by July 31st of any year for the registration of that families' children to be accepted for the school year commencing September following.

3. Families With 3 or More Children Registration the CJA

Families who have 3 or more children registered at the CJA, will be given the Bingo Opt-Out free of charge during the calendar year in which their children are registered.

4. Board Members

Board members shall be exempt from working bingos without having to pay an opt-out fee.