



SDIO SCHOOL DISTRICT 10
ARROW LAKES

World Class Learning in a Rural Environment

**February 9, 2016
Education Partnership Committee Meeting
Superintendent/Secretary Treasurer Report**

**My Education BC: Student Enrollment Numbers
As of: February 9, 2016**

Grade:	Gr. K	Gr. 1	Gr. 2	Gr. 3	Gr. 4	Gr. 5	Gr. 6	Gr. 7	Gr. 8	Gr. 9	Gr. 0	Gr.1 1	Gr.1 2	TOTAL S
BAS														0
DL	3	2	2	4	2	3	1	1	2	2	2	4	14	42
EES	1	2	2	5	2	4	3							19
LESS	3	11	5	11	8	7	5	6	8	5	2	6	8	85
NES	19	15	18	20	20	18	32	27						169
NSS									29	27	27	34	31	148

TOTAL Per

Grade

26 30 27 40 32 32 41 34 39 34 31 44 53

District Total

463

1. Solar Energy Challenge!

- A class from Lucerne and a senior student from NSS have taken up the challenge!
- We look forward to seeing the students' research and learning presented at the May EPC Meeting

2. Lucerne Wiring Upgrade Report

- Wiring at Lucerne School continues with a brief baby hiatus
- Congratulations to our IT Manager, Patrick Martin, and his wife, Megan, on the birth of their baby, Everly!

3. Curriculum Support Planning Day – February 23rd, 2016

- Our planning team met February 1st with strong teacher, PVP, and district staff representation. A very successful collaboration to plan the first Curriculum Support Day.
- Plans for the day include:
 - Superintendent of Graduation and Transitions, Jan Unwin, and Superintendent of Early Years, Maureen Dockendorf, sharing highlights of the renewed curriculum and assessment
 - Teachers exploring curriculum in primary, intermediate and secondary groups
 - In the afternoon, choices to work in smaller groups on a range of topics including lesson or unit planning, exploring project-based learning and inquiry, assessment and reporting, cross-curricular integration, and integrating Aboriginal learning

- Questions and Discussion

4. Public Meeting with Jan Unwin and Maureen Dockendorf – Tuesday, February 23rd at the Bonnington Arts Centre

- Please join the Board of Education at their Regular Board meeting to hear Jan Unwin, Superintendent of Graduation and Transitions, and Maureen Dockendorf, Superintendent of Early Years as they discuss the renewed K-9 curriculum and possible changes in assessment and reporting as well as draft Grade 10-12 curricular changes
- Parents, students, staff and the public are welcome to attend at the Bonnington starting at 7 pm

5. SD 10: One of Four Top Districts with over 90% Six Year Completion Rate

- The Minister of Education, Mike Bernier, recently announced an overall improvement in Grad rates for students with Aboriginal ancestry. What great news!!!
- Of note was that SD 10 was cited: “The six-year completion rates in Arrow Lakes, Coquitlam, Vancouver Island West, Fort Nelson and Revelstoke were over 90%.” Our Aboriginal grad rates have continued to be over 90% over time.
- Thank you to all our educators, parents, Elders and our community for the care they invest in all our learners, in particular, for the high success rates for our Aboriginal learners!
- Thank you to our Aboriginal Education Council for their leadership in this work alongside our Director of Learning, Heather Dennill, and our Aboriginal Education Support Teachers, Ryan Willman, Shane Douglas, and Kristen Kipkie!
- <https://news.gov.bc.ca/releases/2015EDUC0082-002149>

6. 2016-17 Budget Consultation Process (Timeline attached)

- For the third year, the district is engaging in an extensive process of consultation as we examine and plan for the subsequent year’s budget
- The Board and the District welcome input from our educational partners, and value this annual opportunity to identify priorities, plan together, and consider ways to become more efficient as a district, while always keeping our students learning at the centre