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Community engagement results influenced the Board’s decision to revise its priority:
To increase the rate of high school completion.
A high school completion strategic framework is being developed focusing on:
- Providing high quality teaching and responsive supports to ensure students will successfully complete school each day.
- Students achieving a foundation in literacy and numeracy.
The Board is committed to focusing its resources and talents to achieve this priority.
Community engagements occurred through OurSCHOOL Surveys, Accountability Pillar Surveys, Google Surveys, and Thought Exchange Surveys:
- 90% of students consistently rate teachers and the quality of teaching as good to very good.
- There is satisfaction with the range of programming opportunities in our schools.
- Students report schools are safe and caring places.
- Indigenous families report they value strong relationships and good communication with schools.
- Many students and families express needs for supports beyond the classroom.
Over the next five years:
- Increase the rate of high school completion by 10%.
- Expand the Whole School Early Literacy program throughout the division.
- Job-embedded professional development directly links teacher practice to their students’ needs.
- Inclusive Learning Services driven to help students keep up rather than catch up.

Our Division has:
- 3939 total students enrolled
- 1041 Indigenous students
- 269 certificated staff
- 287 support staff
- 15 school sites
- 2 colony schools
- 1 early intervention preschool
- Programs & Enhanced Opportunities:
  - French Immersion
  - Home Education
  - Summer School
  - Year Round Education
- Outreach Schools in Wetaskiwin, Ma-Me-O Beach & Buck Lake

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- Schools
- School Board
- Finance / Audit / Budget
- 3 Year Plan & Report
- Programs
- Departments
- WRPS Overview Video
- Indigenous Programming Videos

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