

# WETASKIWIN REGIONAL DIVISION NO. 1 1 2018-2019 Making Learning Visible.











## Fast Facts

#### **Our Division has:**

- 3919 total students enrolled
- 1068 Indigenous students
- 281 certificated staff
- **268** 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

# Our Students

- English Language Arts and Math **Grade 6 Provincial Achievement** Test results were the highest in five years.
- Alberta Education reports demonstrated achievement exceed predicted results
- There were gains in Excellence on the Provincial Achievement Test results over the last two vears.
- High School students consistently achieve good Diploma Exam results
- The high school drop-out rate is very low
- Schools continue developing a foundation in literacy and numeracy.

# Our Priorities

**Student Achievement:** Students have the highest quality learning opportunities and will experience educational success.

### **Indigenous Student Success:**

Indigenous students gain a stronger sense of belonging and achieve greater success throughout their education journey.

Fiscal Sustainability: The highest quality learning opportunities will continue to be available while ensuring the Division is financially sustainable.

#### **Infrastructure Capacity:**

Students have safe, healthy, modern and connected learning environments to thrive.

# We're Listening

Community engagements occurred through OurSCHOOL Surveys, Accountability Surveys, and Google Surveys:

- Students consistently report that they have good teachers.
- Indigenous students report that they value schooling, are engaged by the purpose of each class lesson, and receive specific feedback about their work that helps them to learn.
- Families report they value strong relationships and good communication with schools
- Many students and families express needs for supports beyond the classroom
- Schools are developing nurturing and responsive strategies to ensure students feel safe and cared for.

# Our Vision

#### Over the next two years:

Increase high school completion rates

Support student and staff wellness

Deliver inclusive education that is student centered

Take Action on implementing Truth and Reconciliation Commission (TRC) Calls to Action

Ensure all staff and students gain an understanding and appreciation of Treaties, history and the importance of **Truth and Reconciliation** 

Address systemic gaps in education for our Indigenous students

# To learn more, check out our:

- **Division Website**
- **Schools**
- **School Board**

- Finance / Audit / Budget
- 3 Year Plan & Report
- Programs
- Departments

- WRPS Overview Video
- Indigenous Programming **Videos**

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