



## Fast Facts



## Our Students



## Our Priorities



## We are Listening



## Our Vision

### Chinook's Edge School Division has:

- Approximately 11,000 students across 43 schools.
- More than 1,200 staff members.
- A wide variety of programs including academics, fine arts, athletics, French immersion, summer school, pre-kindergarten, dual credit, and international student opportunities.
- 3 Hutterite Colony Schools.

### Did you know that we are?

- Celebrating the grand opening of Beacon Hill Elementary School in Sylvan Lake on January 17, 2017.
- One of the largest rural school divisions in the province.
- Currently partnered with both Olds College and Red Deer College to offer post-secondary learning and dual credit opportunities to our students.

### We are proud to report that:

- Our three-year high school completion rate continues to rise and is now sitting at **81.2%**. Alberta = 76.5%
- **76.5%** of our students meet the acceptable standard on provincial achievement tests. Alberta = 73.6%.
- **87.0%** of our students meet the acceptable standard on diploma exams. Alberta = 85.0%.
- **90.4%** of our students, parents, and staff are satisfied with the overall quality of education in our division. Alberta = 90.1%.
- **83.0%** of our students, parents, and staff believe that our schools and our division is improving, which is an all time high for our division. Alberta = 81.2%.
- **89.5%** of students, parents, and staff are satisfied with the safe and caring environments of our CESD schools

### To learn more, check out our:

- [Accountability Pillar Results](#)
- [Annual Education Results Report](#)
- [CESD Results and Plans](#)

### Our priorities are to:

- Increase **post-secondary transition** rates.
- Engage all students in meaningful learning by **challenging, encouraging** and **believing** in them—that's our CESD mission.
- Provide a **Quality Learning Environment (QLE)** for all students.
- Focus on **literacy** and **student engagement** using response to intervention strategies throughout our division.
- Create the **Social Emotional Learning** framework.
- Enhance our leaders' **instructional leadership, education planning,** and **collaboration skills.**
- Grade K-12 **Essential Outcomes** development in core subjects.
- Ensure strong **Career Connections** for each student.

### To learn more, check out our:

- [Three Year Education Plan](#)
- [Detailed Financial Information](#)

### We engage our:

- **Students** through dialogue, focus groups, surveys, course evaluations, FNMI Steering Committee and our 'Students Matter' group.
- **Parents** through focus groups, surveys, interviews, course evaluations, school council meetings, and a special '**Parents Matter**' group.
- **Staff** through collaborative profession learning, staff meetings, school visits, online surveys, individual growth plan meetings as well as focus groups such as '**Teachers Matter**', '**Support Staff Matter**'.
- **Community** through partnerships, school events, trustee involvement, newsletters, media releases, websites, and social media.

### To learn more, check out our:

- [Three Year Education Plan](#)

### As we look ahead:

- Chinook's Edge School Division will be universally recognized as a collaborative learning community where learning is personalized for all students to achieve success as compassionate and innovative global citizens—that's our CESD vision.

### We have plans to increase:

- Post-secondary transition rates.
- Standard of excellence rates at all grade levels.
- First Nations, Metis, Inuit (FNMI) student measures including results on provincial achievement tests and diploma exams.