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Transitioning to North Peace Secondary School



Let's talk about grade 9

- How is it going so far?
- What's different this year?

Think back to grade 7...

- What were your emotions?
- What were your thoughts (concerns, questions)?
- What did you do to help with this transition?



You are approaching another transition

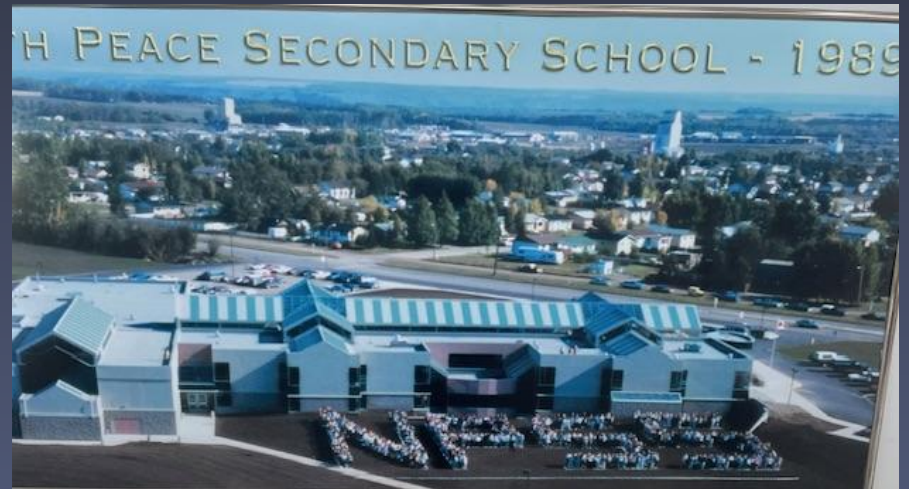
- What does that mean for you?
- What is the purpose of these Info Sessions?

Grade 9 Transition to NPSS

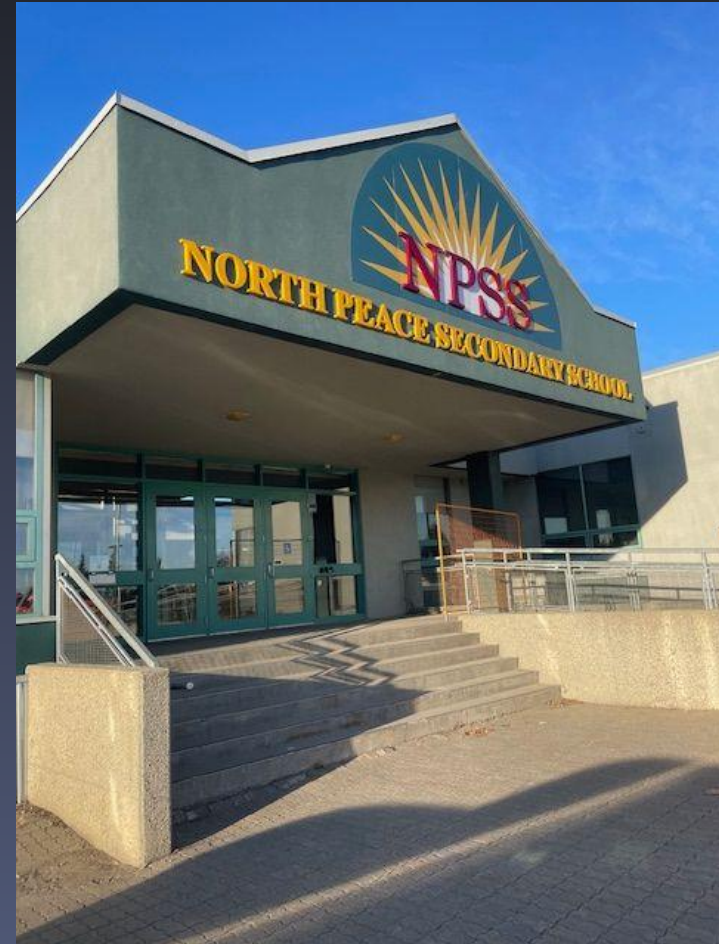
Purpose - to prepare you for the added responsibilities of grades 10, 11, & 12 by:

- 1. Introducing you to those that will help you**
- 2. Sharing important information to help make decisions**
- 3. Answering questions from you and your parents**

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WE ARE YOUR ADMINISTRATORS!

We are excited to get to know you!



← Principal
Todd Koponyas

Vice Principal
Jaclyn McNicol



Vice Principal
Krista Peregoodoff



NPSS MAIN CAMPUS ADMINISTRATORS



**Vice Principal
Lori Coulter**

NPSS ELC CAMPUS ADMINISTRATOR



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WE ARE YOUR COUNSELLORS!

We are MORE excited to get to know you!

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*“When you are born, you should be given
a name, and a counsellor!”*

Chezzerrai Reid -Former Student

Each of you will be assigned a counsellor for next year!

Hello!



I am Kelsie Calliou

I am the counsellor for last names beginning with A-G.

I was born and raised in FSJ and graduated from NPSS. I love to play sports, travel and watch movies. I really enjoy working with youth and I am hear to listen!

Hello!



I am Ryan Pearce

I am the counsellor for last names beginning with H-M.

I have 3 kids, 3 dogs and 1 amazing wife!

I am quiet, but very caring and have a wicked sense of humour.

I am the voice of reason in our office so if you need anything come to me!

Hello!



I am Jonah Burrige

I am the counsellor for last names beginning with N-Z.

I love sports, reading, music, and games.

I have taught at Bert Bowes, Dr. Kearney and am new this year to NPSS.

Go Flames, Go Blue Jays, Go Raptors

Hello!

ELC



I am Crystal Anielewicz

I am the counsellor for the Energetic Learning Campus.

I have been at the ELC since 2017. I love helping others learn and find their passion.
I have 2 dogs and 2 cats, as well as 2 daughters.



My motto: Life is messy, but so is glitter. Sometimes the mess is worth it!

Be Nice to
Others

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WHAT DO COUNSELLORS DO?

We help you succeed!

We help people!

Attend Classes

Participate Actively

Ask Questions

Complete Work

- ▶ We help answer your questions
- ▶ We help you plan for your future
- ▶ We help you understand yourself
- ▶ We help you succeed
- ▶ We help you pick courses
- ▶ We help you navigate relationships
- ▶ We help you graduate 🎓



We do life with you!

Practice Good Mental Health

We do
career
options



We do support

We do co
selections



We
care



We do course changes



We do
Capstone
Projects
with you

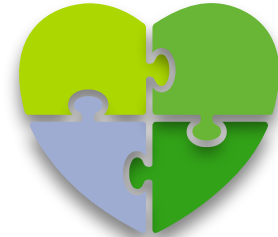


We
Celebrate
You



We check in

We listen



We do
transitions



We Motivate

We do
emotions



WE DO UNIVERSITY PREP



We Encourage

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WHERE DO COUNSELLORS HANG OUT?



our office

Maps



You can find us here...



- ▶ **Kelsie, Ryan, & Jonah work in Student Services at the Main Campus**

Drop in or make an appointment

- ▶ **Crystal has her own office at the ELC**

You can visit us anytime!

November - We visit you

Course Description	Diploma Category	Potential Credits	Earned Credits	Interim Mark	School Mark
SCIENCE 10	SC0		4		80
JAPANESE 10	NDC		4		79
CAREER LIFE EDUCATION 10	CLE		4		77
SOCIAL STUDIES 10	SS0		4		73
WORKPLACE MATHEMATICS 10	MA0		4		73
PHYSICAL AND HEALTH EDUCATION 10	PH0		4		70
ENTREPRENEURSHIP AND MARKETING 10	NDC		4		67
FOOD STUDIES 10	NDC		4		65
ENGLISH FIRST PEOPLES 10 (Lit. Studies)	LA0,IND		2		60
ENGLISH FIRST PEOPLES (Creative Writing)	LA0,IND		2		60

Credits

Required Courses

Other Graduation Requirements

December - We visit you

Two Campuses: What's the Diff?

Similarities & Differences of ELC and Main Campus



January - We visit you

Overview of Campus Preference and Assignment Process

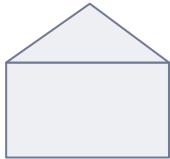
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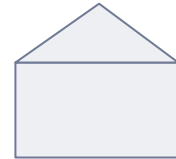
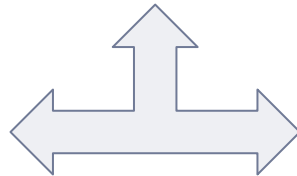
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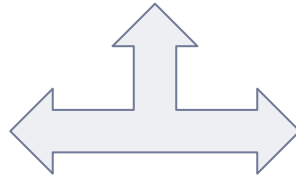
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January - We visit you

Overview of Campus Preference and Assignment Process



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February - You come see us!



**Grade 9 Tours of NPSS
Campuses**

Evening Parent Tours

March- **No Late Forms Accepted**

*****Campus Preference Forms Due*****

Students assigned to campus

Students receive assignment letters just before
Spring Break!!!

April - We visit you

Course Request completed and handed in

Students/Parents check MyEd for accuracy

- Requests set for grade 10

May and June

**Students finish off their grade 9
year -**

Strengthening Work Habits

Attending Classes

To Develop



4 Keys To Academic Success

Good morning! I'm here.

1. **ATTENDANCE** - go to all classes
2. **ASSIGNMENT COMPLETION** - Hand it in
3. **ASK QUESTIONS/ ASK For HELP** - smart thing to do
4. **ATTEND classes and do the work.**
5. **PARTICIPATE** - easier to learn and make it fun!

PREPARE TO BE AMAZED!

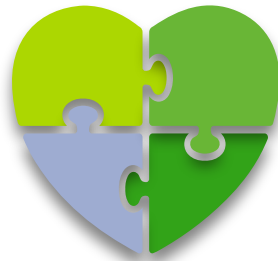
You are going to learn
so much more in high
school than just
knowledge!

Mostly - about you!



Thank You!

Questions?



Parents and Students will receive notes. **Please talk to your parents!**

Frequently Asked Question

1. Can you fail grade 10, 11, or 12?

Starting in grade 10, you need to **EARN** your graduation. If you do not earn 50% or more, then you do not earn credits for that class.

You either earn credits or you don't. Over the next 3 to 5 years, you need to earn 80 credits, **52** of these are **required** (if you fail these courses you **must repeat** them), **28** are **electives** (do not have to repeat if you fail, but you do not earn the credits).

If you have not earned enough credits in a given year the you are **rolled back** and do not advance to the next grade. It is based on credits and being in a position to graduate.