

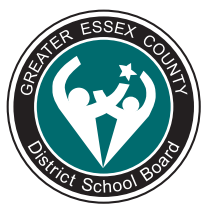


Indigenous Protocol

The Greater Essex County District School Board agrees to:

1. *Commit institutionally to making First Nations, Métis and Inuit education a priority at every level.*
2. *Ensure governance structures recognize and respect First Nations, Métis and Inuit peoples.*
3. *Implement responsive and inclusive academic programming and support programs.*
4. *Support students and employees to increase understanding and reciprocity among Indigenous and non-Indigenous peoples.*
5. *Commit to increasing the number of First Nations, Métis and Inuit employees with ongoing appointments.*
6. *Establish First Nations, Métis and Inuit centered holistic services and learning environments for learner success.*
7. *Build reciprocal relationships with First Nations, Métis and Inuit communities and organizations.*

Signatories endorse the intent of these principles and acknowledge this as a living document:













Métis Nation of Ontario 





