

NANAIMO LADYSMITH PUBLIC SCHOOLS

EDUCATION COMMITTEE PUBLIC MEETING

INFORMATION SHEET

DATE: June 1, 2022
TO: Education Committee
FROM: Don Balcombe, Assistant Superintendent
SUBJECT: Ministry of Education Student Learning Survey

Overview

Each year students across the province participate in the Ministry of Education Student Learning Survey. The survey is provided to students in grades 4, 7, 10, and 12. Parents of those students are also invited to participate in the survey.

The Ministry of Education reports out to school districts and individual schools the results of the survey. Reports include data for the previous five years. The Learning Survey focuses on five areas of development: Education Modernization, Improving Student Learning Framework, Learning Environment, Wellness, and Satisfaction. Survey results are reported for questions within those categories.

The annual reports allow schools to determine trends over time, both within the above-stated categories as well as for specific questions from the survey. Individual schools look at survey results to determine progress toward school and district goals. At the district level, we look for broad trends related to our board's Strategic and Operational Plans. For example, our District Review Story includes Student Learning Survey results for two questions, "Do you feel there are two or more adults who care about you at school?" and "Is school a place where you feel safe."

The most recent district Student Learning Survey report is attached. This report includes results for the years spanning 2016/17 through 2020/2021.