



**NANAIMO LADYSMITH PUBLIC SCHOOLS
EDUCATION COMMITTEE
PUBLIC MEETING
INFORMATION SHEET**

DATE: June 5, 2024
TO: Education Committee
FROM: Laura Tait, Acting Superintendent
SUBJECT: The Learning Connection: Board's Strategic Plan in Schools

Background

The Strategic Plan is the District's roadmap to achieve its overarching goals and objectives. It outlines a clear path for addressing the unique challenges and needs of our students and communities.

The Board of Education's new Strategic Plan 2024-2027, which is set to be finalized later this month, places a refreshed emphasis on accountability through the inclusion of clear and quantifiable metrics that are aligned with the Ministry of Education and Child Care reporting requirements.

Overview

School plans are integral components of the Board's Strategic Plan, serving as localized blueprints for achieving district-wide educational goals. These plans align with the broader objectives outlined by the Board, ensuring coherence in initiatives focused on such areas as literacy and numeracy, student performance metrics, and resource allocation. By tailoring strategies to the unique needs of individual schools while adhering to the overarching strategic framework, school plans facilitate a cohesive and systematic approach to enhancing educational outcomes across the district. This alignment fosters accountability, continuity, and a unified vision for educational excellence.

NLPS schools have mediated great complexities and challenges this school year. They have also had a great many successes and created spaces where learning is celebrated and students are passionate and forging their own educational path.

In an effort to give the Board and our learning community a snapshot of some of these celebrations of learning, the District has prepared a video that captures both student joy and school's connection to the Board's Strategic Plan.