

Hopes & Dreams for Public Education School District 72



What are your hopes and dreams for public schools in Campbell River? We know that there are many issues - staffing shortages, chronic underfunding, inadequate support for students, and overcrowding, to name just a few.

We seem to be caught in a continual cycle of trying to protect what we have, even though it never seems to be enough. We're constantly faced with accepting a glass that's half full or half empty. But isn't it time we also talked about our aspirations for our public schools? What would a glass filled to overflowing look like? Let's talk about it together.

The Institute for Public Education/BC (IPE/BC), a non-profit and non-partisan organization, is conducting a community engagement research project to find out British Columbians' hopes and dreams for our public education system. IPE/BC has already heard from hundreds of people across BC and will be publishing a report with recommendations to use in advocating for public education throughout the province.

We hope that Campbell River parents, teachers, support staff, administrators, students, and others will add their voices.

When: April 9, at 6:30 PM

Where: School Board Office Conference Room - 425 Pinecrest Road

Contact information: info@ipebc.org

Join us in talking about your hopes and dreams for our valued public schools. We hope you'll come out and be a part of this important conversation.

More about the Institute for Public Education:

<https://instituteforpubliceducation.org/>

The IPE mission and values:

<https://instituteforpubliceducation.org/about/our-mission/>

More about the Hopes and Dreams project:

<https://instituteforpubliceducation.org/hopes-and-dreams/>