

Parkside Secondary School:

Lakelse High School & The Teen Learning Centre

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Dear Parents/Guardians,

Targeted funds from the Ministry of Education provide additional programs and services for students of aboriginal descent. The First Nations Support and Youth Support Workers that will be working with your child this school year are:

Tammy Bulleid and Vivian Watson

In addition to supporting students in academic areas Tammy and Vivian will also promote understanding and cultural awareness for Parkside students. This involves working with classroom teachers, helping to organize cultural events, inviting elders and role models to the school, and working on special projects that have Aboriginal components or themes.

By signing the consent slip below you give permission for your child to work with Tammy and Vivian outside of the classroom either individually or in small groups for academic support and success. Other activities could include:

- meets regularly with student
- focusses on using culturally relevant materials resources
- monitors/provides academic support
- works in classroom with students
- assists teachers in selecting resources
- facilitates parent/school communications as needed
- supports student through activities promoting cultural pride
- participates in meetings with parents as requested
- assists/supports with transition between schools, grades and/or programs
- takes student on educationally and culturally relevant field trips
- supports student and assists staff with racism issues

If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to contact me (250-635-5778) at the school any time.

Sincerely,

Jane Arbuckle
Principal

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