



“The Feather”, Aboriginal Learning memo, keeps you up-to-date on events and news related to our department. Submissions are accepted (kerins_1@surreyschools.ca) up to noon on the previous Friday.

Separating Children from Parents: The Sixties Scoop in Canada Video

Poverty, the aftermath of their parents growing up in a residential school, and the lack of cultural awareness and family structures are reasons cited why tens of thousands of Indigenous children were taken from their home in the 1960s and put into Canada’s child welfare system. Known as the 60’s Scoop, the name actually originated from a B.C. social worker who said she felt like she was actually “scooping children out of their parents arms.” In this quick four-minute video, “[Separating Children from Parents: The Sixties Scoop in Canada](#),” CBC explores the damage the 60’s Scoop caused families and communities, with the impact still being felt today.

Land Acknowledgment - KPU

[About – You Are Here \(kpu.ca\)](#)

Upcoming Teen Motivational Workshop

Presented by Surrey Libraries:

Teen Motivational Workshop - Find Your Passion in Life

Thursday, May 6 | 10:30 am - 12 pm

Zoom

Ages 12-18

Register: library-teens@surrey.ca

Join Indigenous Artist Rain Pierre (słáməx^w) in this motivational workshop. Rain Pierre will talk about how young people can let go of what they "should" be doing and find the courage to follow their dreams. See [poster](#).

In 2016, Rain Pierre had an awakening and quit his Civil Engineering job to become a full-time artist and motivational speaker. Using his story and artwork, Rain Pierre inspires others to follow their true passions in life. His artwork is featured all over BC in communities and school districts.

For more information on Rain Pierre and his art, visit his website: <https://www.rainawakens.com/>

All Youth Matter: Inclusion Training

ISPARC in partnership with ViaSport are pleased to present a virtual All Youth Matter: Inclusion Training.

Where: Online

When: April 19 & 20 6:00 – 8:30 PM

This training was developed to equip sport and recreation leaders to make a difference in the lives of diverse youth in their community.

Through the four-hour workshop, participants learn about the factors that contribute to an inclusive environment, how to identify and address barriers and biases, and steps to take to intervene and stop discrimination. In addition, participants are provided with tools, techniques and best practices to create inclusive sport, recreation and physical activity experiences for youth from underserved or marginalized populations.

Participants also receive:

- A personalized action plan for change
- Access to [All Youth Matter: Inclusion Training - Additional Resources](#)
- An All Youth Matter: Inclusion Training Certificate of Completion
- 3 National Coaching Certification Program (NCCP) [Professional Development \(PD\)](#) points

Who should attend All Youth Matter: Inclusion Training?

Individuals working with youth in a sport, recreation or physical activity capacity. Whether you're a coach, sport administrator, fitness instructor, recreation staff member or manager, you will benefit from participating in this training.

[Registration Link](#)

Freda Diesing School of Northwest Coast Art

The Freda Diesing School of Northwest Coast Art, located at Coast Mountain College, in Terrace, BC is currently taking enrollment for the 2021/22 fall and winter semesters.

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