



Dorset Collegiate

School System Review 2019-20

Western Region, Zone 7
Trustee Thomas Kendell





**Green Bay
South
Academy**

**Dorset
Collegiate**

**Brian Peckford
Primary**

Dorset Collegiate (7-12)



Green Bay South Academy (K-6)



Brian Peckford Primary (K-3)



System Information

Brian Peckford Primary (K-3)

- ▶ Current Enrolment: 30
- ▶ Estimated Capacity: 140 (6 rooms)
- ▶ Year of Construction: 1989

Green Bay South Academy (K-6)

- ▶ Current Enrolment: 90
- ▶ Estimated Capacity: 300 (12 rooms)
- ▶ Year of Construction: 1970

Dorset Collegiate (7-12)

- ▶ Current Enrolment: 126
- ▶ Estimated Capacity: 305 (10 rooms)
- ▶ Year of Construction: 1978

Brian Peckford Primary Enrolment Projections

6 room
capacity

	K	1	2	3	Total	Rooms
2019	9	2	10	9	30	4
2020	8	8	2	10	28	4
2021	12	7	8	2	29	4
2022	1	11	7	8	27	4
2023	8	0	11	7	26	3
2024	7	7	0	11	25	3
2025	7	6	7	0	20	3
2026	7	6	6	7	26	4
2027	8	6	6	6	26	4
2028	7	7	6	6	26	4
2029	7	6	7	6	26	4

Green Bay South Academy Enrolment Projections

12 room
capacity

	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total	Rooms
2019	13	5	7	8	14	21	22	90	7
2020	9	13	5	7	16	14	22	86	7
2021	6	9	13	5	16	16	15	80	7
2022	4	6	9	13	7	16	17	72	7
2023	5	4	6	9	22	7	17	70	7
2024	6	5	4	6	17	22	8	68	7
2025	6	6	5	4	18	17	23	79	7
2026	6	6	6	5	4	18	18	63	7
2027	5	6	6	6	13	4	19	59	7
2028	6	5	6	6	13	13	5	54	7
2029	6	6	5	6	13	13	14	63	7

Dorset Collegiate Enrolment Projections

10 room
capacity

	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	Total	Rooms
2019	17	18	25	26	18	20	2	126	6
2020	22	17	18	26	26	17	2	128	6
2021	22	22	17	19	26	24	2	132	6
2022	15	22	22	18	18	24	2	121	6
2023	16	15	22	23	17	17	2	112	5
2024	17	17	15	22	22	16	2	111	6
2025	9	18	16	16	22	20	2	103	5
2026	23	9	17	17	15	21	2	104	5
2027	18	23	9	18	17	14	2	101	5
2028	19	19	23	9	17	15	2	104	5
2029	6	19	18	23	9	16	2	93	5

First Consultation

“What are the most important things for the District to consider in reviewing the Dorset Collegiate school system?”



Demographics

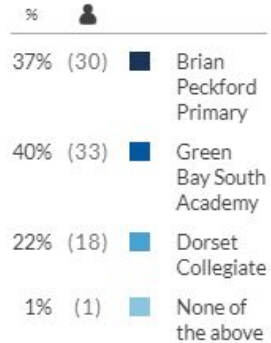
– Recognizing you may belong to more than one of the following groups, please choose the one that most appropriately describes your role in this exchange.



%	Person Icon	
72%	(59)	Parent/Guardian
7%	(6)	Extended family member (grandparent, aunt, etc)
1%	(1)	Student
10%	(8)	School staff member
10%	(8)	Community member

Demographics

- To what school community do you most closely associate? If you have multiple students in the system, please choose the school of your youngest student.



Top Thoughts

It must be in the best interest of our students ex. the absolute best programming possible. Students are the main focus of our education system.

4.4 ★★★★★ (36 👤)
Ranked #1 of 146



Schools need to be up to date.

4.3 ★★★★★ (11 👤)
Ranked #2 of 146



Construction of a new a new k-12 school? Dorset is not ready to accommodate students from k-12. Younger children need their own wing and there needs to be more classrooms and modular, not so temporary, buildings are not sufficient.

4.2 ★★★★★ (33 👤)
Ranked #3 of 146



Top Thoughts

Giving the students the very best education possible with necessary helps.

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Ranked #4 of 146

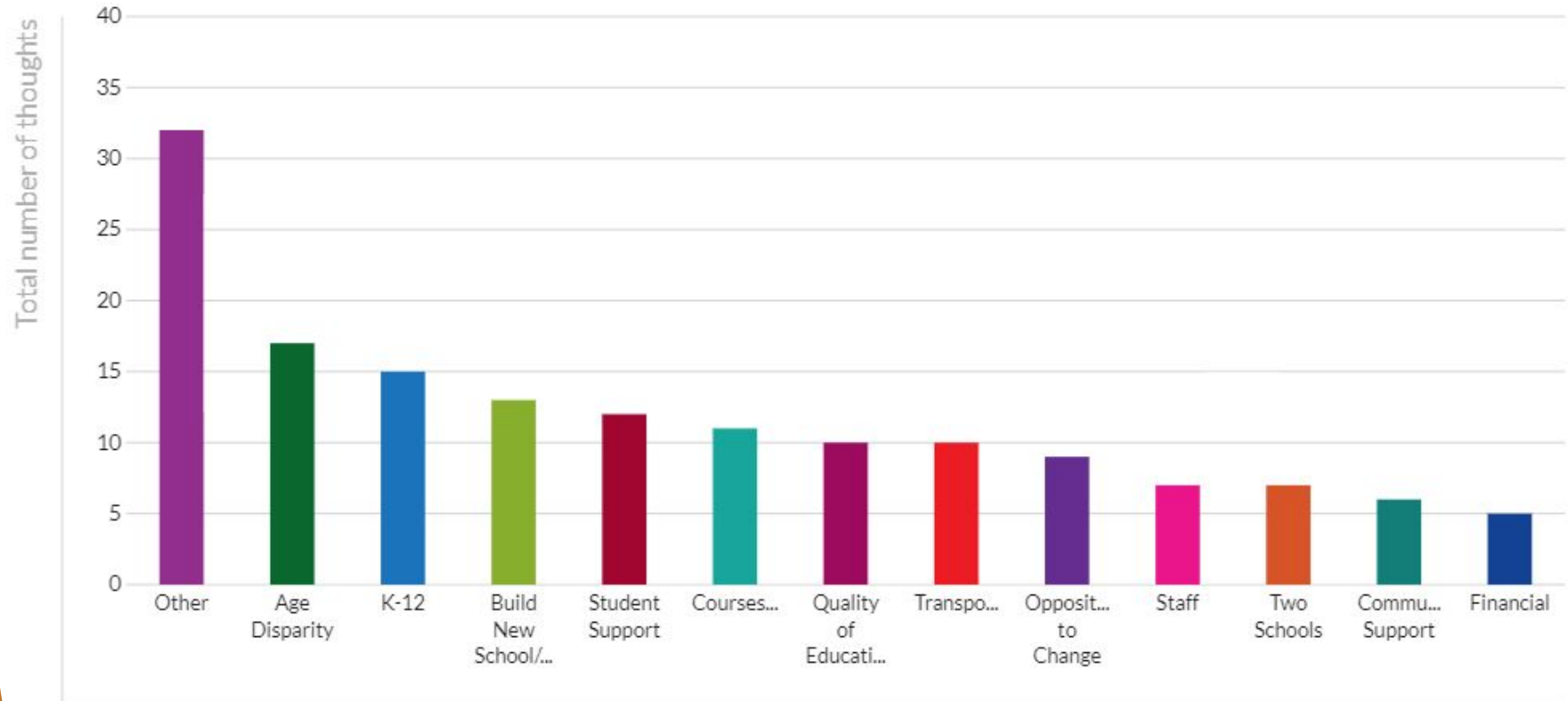


Neither school will accommodate all needs for a k-12 school. Will need to build new wing, not portables. We want to move forward with our children's education. Not backward

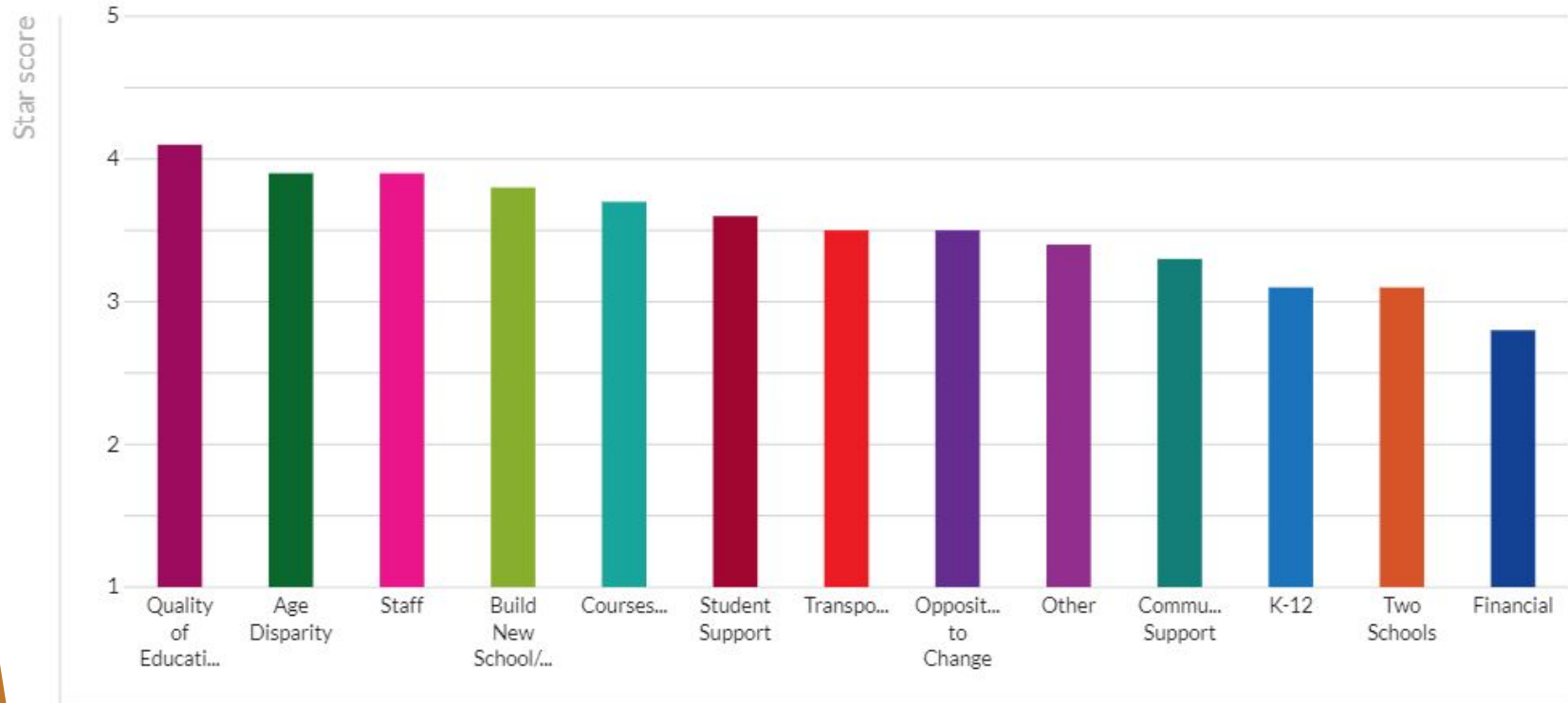
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Common Themes



Theme Ratings



Proposed Configuration Change

Contingent on the construction and opening of a grades K-6 extension at Dorset Collegiate:

- ▶ Dorset Collegiate would be reconfigured from a grades 7-12 school to a grades K-12 school.
- ▶ Brian Peckford Primary and Green Bay South Academy would be scheduled to close.
- ▶ Grades K-3 students currently attending Brian Peckford Primary and grades K-6 students currently attending Green Bay South Academy would attend Dorset Collegiate instead.

Dorset Collegiate (K-12)



Dorset Collegiate Enrolment Projections with Proposed Configuration Change

12 room
capacity +
extension

	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	Total	Rooms
2019								17	18	25	26	18	20	2	126	6
2020	17	21	7	17	16	14	22	22	17	18	26	26	17	2	240	13
2021	18	16	21	7	16	16	15	22	22	17	19	26	24	2	239	13
2022	5	17	16	21	7	16	17	15	22	22	18	18	24	2	218	13
2023	13	4	17	16	22	7	17	16	15	22	23	17	17	2	206	12
2024	13	12	4	17	17	22	8	17	17	15	22	22	16	2	202	13
2025	13	12	12	4	18	17	23	9	18	16	16	22	20	2	200	12
2026	13	12	12	12	4	18	18	23	9	17	17	15	21	2	191	12
2027	13	12	12	12	13	4	19	18	23	9	18	17	14	2	184	12
2028	13	12	12	12	13	13	5	19	19	23	9	17	15	2	182	12
2029	13	12	12	12	13	13	14	6	19	18	23	9	16	2	180	12

Transportation

Buses are currently running to Dorset Collegiate through the entire catchment area of this system.

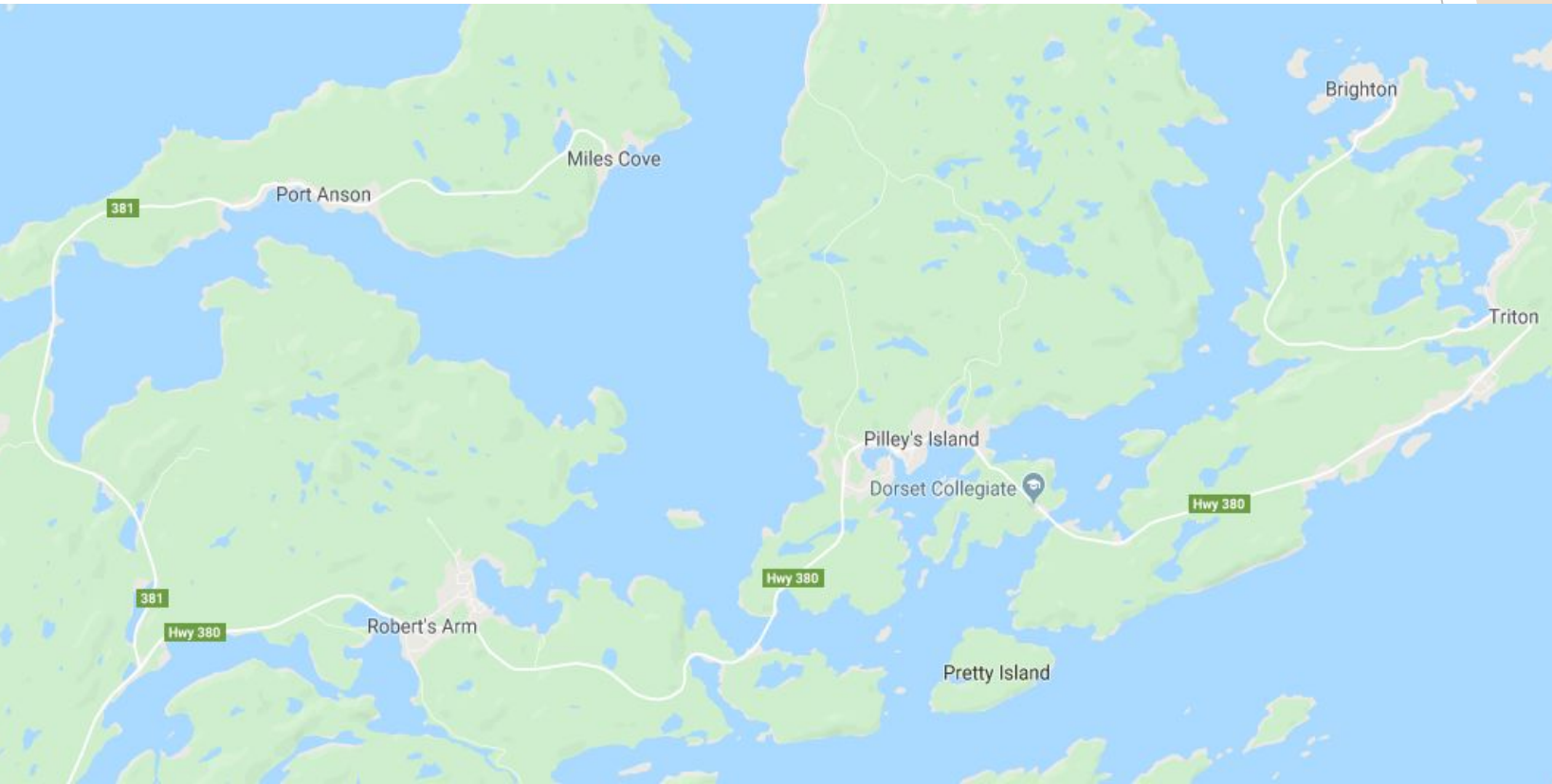
The current longest run in the system is 59 minutes from Green Bay South Academy to Brighton, afternoon run (grades 4-6).

- ▶ With the proposed configuration change, this run would be shortened. The current run from Dorset Collegiate to Brighton (afternoon run) is 22 minutes.

The current run from Green Bay South Academy to Miles Cove takes 33 minutes (afternoon run).

- ▶ With the proposed configuration change, this run would be lengthened. The current run from Dorset Collegiate to Miles Cove (afternoon run) is 53 minutes.

A comprehensive review of transportation for this system would be conducted at a future date pending the construction of a K-6 extension to Dorset Collegiate.



Notice of Motion

MOTION: Dorset Collegiate School System, Dorset Collegiate (7-12), Green Bay South Academy (K-6), Brian Peckford Primary (K-3)

WHEREAS the Newfoundland and Labrador English School District is committed to providing the best possible educational programs for students; and

WHEREAS a reconfiguration of grading and a reorganization of schooling in the Dorset Collegiate School System is required to achieve that objective; and

WHEREAS in order to accommodate the students in one location infrastructure requirements must first be addressed;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that:

Conditional upon the opening of an extension to Dorset Collegiate to accommodate K-6 students from Green Bay South Academy (K-6) and Brian Peckford Primary (K-3):

- i) Dorset Collegiate will be reconfigured from grades 7-12 to grades K-12;
- ii) Green Bay South Academy (K-6) and Brian Peckford Primary (K-3) will close;
- iii) The student attendance zone for Dorset Collegiate will be rezoned to include the current student attendance zones for Green Bay South Academy (K-6) and Brian Peckford Primary (K-3).

Process of School Review

- Initiation

- NLESB motion directing District staff to review specific schools and/or school systems



- Phase 1 Consultation

- Presentation to, and discussion with, School Council(s) (Local Trustee can participate)
- Information provided on public website
- Collect community feedback (Feedback Round 1)



- 1st Board Decision

- Board reviews information collected and feedback
- Board reviews staff rationale for recommendation
- Board Notice of Motion of any proposed changes



- Phase 2 Consultation

- Updated information online with District Staff rationale
- Further feedback opportunity (Feedback Round 2)
- Public presentations to Board/Public meeting



- 2nd Board Decision

- Board reviews information and feedback
- Board votes on Motion