

November 4, 2019

Good day Phoenix Academy and Gill Memorial Academy school feeder system families,

The Newfoundland and Labrador English School Board is undertaking a review of the Phoenix Academy and Gill Memorial Academy school systems for potential catchment area adjustments, grade reconfigurations, and/or closures. The review has been initiated due to a general decline in enrolment among schools within the system, and in an effort to ensure the best delivery of programs and services for all area students.

The District has compiled an information booklet, which contains details about the schools within this system. Community members are encouraged to review the booklet and provide feedback to the District via ThoughtExchange, an online consultation tool. ThoughtExchange will allow for an inclusive opportunity for all school community members to participate anonymously in the decision-making process and have their thoughts and ideas considered by their peers.

The **Information Booklet for the Phoenix Academy and Gill Memorial Academy School Systems Review**, details on the review process, and more information on ThoughtExchange can be found on the School System Review website here: <https://www.nlesd.ca/schools/schoolreview/2020/system-pa.jsp>

The District would like to get everyone's input on the following question:

What factors should the District consider in reviewing the Phoenix Academy and Gill Memorial Academy school systems?

The results of this ThoughtExchange will help the District determine what, if any, adjustments should be made to the Phoenix Academy and Gill Memorial Academy school systems for the 2020-21 school year. All voices matter, so your participation is crucial and valued. Please take the time to thoughtfully participate before **10:00 p.m. (NT), Friday, November 15, 2019**.

Click here to launch ThoughtExchange: <https://my.thoughtexchange.com/#573816583>

Again, complete information on the Phoenix Academy and Gill Memorial Academy School Systems Review Process is available on the District's website, or directly here: <https://www.nlesd.ca/schools/schoolreview/2020/system-pa.jsp>

Thank you in advance for your input and guidance for the future of our students.

Regards,



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