

December 19, 2019

Dear Gill Memorial Academy families,

In advance of the Christmas break, we are providing you with an update on plans and next steps in the school system review process in which your school has recently been involved.

As indicated in the December 7th correspondence to your school community, Newfoundland and Labrador English School Board Trustees provided a Notice of Motion to potentially close Sandstone Academy (K-6) effective June 2020, with all students being rezoned to attend Phoenix Academy (K-12) in September 2020.

As Gill Memorial Academy is not directly impacted by the Notice of Motion tabled at the recent public meeting, there is no further need to engage with your school community on this review.

However, those who may wish to remain informed or are interested in the process, please feel free to regularly check the District's School Review web page for updates and information as the process unfolds. All information is available here:

<https://www.nlesd.ca/schools/schoolreview/index.jsp>

Should you have any questions, please contact Maria Antle, Director of Schools, at (709) 256-2547 (ext. 314) and mariaantle@nlesd.ca.

Thank you for engaging in the initial consultations during our school review process. We look forward to continuing the good work underway within our school communities in the new year.

Sincerely,



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