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NCDSB Recognizes Treaty Recognition Week, November 2–8

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From November 2 to 8, 2025, the Northeastern Catholic District School Board will join communities across Ontario in observing **Treaty Recognition Week**. Established to promote greater understanding of treaties and the shared responsibilities they represent, the week provides students, staff, and families with opportunities to learn about the histories and ongoing significance of treaties in Canada.

Throughout the week, schools across NCDSB will engage in age-appropriate activities, lessons, and reflections designed to deepen awareness of the relationships between Indigenous and non-Indigenous peoples. Students will explore the meaning of living in treaty territory, learn about local First Nations, and reflect on the importance of honouring the promises made in these agreements.

Tricia Weltz, Director of Education stated, “Trustees and staff are committed to fostering reconciliation through education, guided by Catholic values of respect, truth, and justice. Resources developed in collaboration with Indigenous partners will be shared in classrooms, liturgies, and school gatherings to support meaningful learning and dialogue.”

By recognizing Treaty Recognition Week, the Northeastern Catholic District School Board reaffirms its commitment to truth and reconciliation, and to walking together in a spirit of mutual respect, understanding, and hope for a more just and inclusive future.



About NCDSB - The Northeastern Catholic District School Board (NCDSB) provides faith-based education across Northeastern Ontario’s Cochrane, Timiskaming, Nipissing, and Moosonee Districts, with 12 elementary schools and one secondary school offering English and French Immersion programs.

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