

October 4th, 2018

Dear Parents:

Subject: French Immersion Program Review

Starting in September 2018, the Delta School District began conducting a review of French Immersion (FI) Programs in the district. The purpose of this review is to engage in a widespread examination of the current infrastructure, policies and practices of the Delta School District French Immersion Programs. To accomplish this, we are gathering information from parents, teachers, students, administrators and other district staff. Using the current strengths of our French Immersion Programs, the goal is to set a new, shared vision.

This review will take place in two stages. First, three online surveys are being distributed to parents, teachers and students. Second, starting in November, a series of face-to-face focus groups will be offered.

We are asking that you take a few minutes to answer the questions on the parent survey at:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/frenchparentreview>

The link to the survey is also available on your school's website. The survey will be accepting responses **until Monday October 15th**. Your answers will form the basis for further exploration during focus group discussions to be held at these locations:

All Focus Groups are 6:30pm - 8:00pm
Wednesday Nov 7th: South Delta Secondary
Wednesday Nov 14th: Burnsville Secondary
Thursday Nov 15th: Richardson Elementary
Monday Nov 19th: Ladner Elementary

Again, please follow the link and complete the parent questionnaire by Oct 15th. Your feedback is essential, and the more we receive, the better we are able to enhance your child(ren)'s experience in the French Immersion Program.

We thank you in advance for your participation.



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