



SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 73 (KAMLOOPS/THOMPSON)

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March 12, 2018

Dear Parents,

As you may have heard, School District No. 73 (Kamloops/Thompson) is exploring an idea that proposes to transfer Grade 7 students in your community from the elementary school to the secondary school, a transition that could enhance the educational opportunities and experience for students.

We'd like to take this opportunity to invite to you a public meeting on March 14, 2018, at 6:30 p.m. at Barriere Secondary School. The District will host this session with the full Board of Education.

This meeting is your chance to share your thoughts, concerns or support for this idea directly with trustees. Public feedback through consultation is an important part of the decision-making process for trustees.

As well, we have attached a consultation form that you can use to share your thoughts regarding this proposal. The form can be dropped off at your child's school, or scanned and sent by email to feedback@sd73.bc.ca.

It's expected that this consultation process will be complete by mid-April, and the Board will decide whether or not to move forward with the proposal at the public Board meeting on April 23, 2018.

It's my hope that you will have the opportunity to participate in this consultative process. If you have any questions, please reach out to your school's principal.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, which appears to read "Alison Sidow". The signature is written in a cursive style.

Alison Sidow,
Superintendent, School District No. 73 (Kamloops/Thompson)

