

OUR ANNUAL EDUCATION RESULTS REPORT SCHOOL KEY INSIGHTS FROM NOV 2024
CAYLEY SCHOOL

Key Insights for Engagement

Advance Stakeholder Engagement and Communications

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Advance Wellness and Wellbeing

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	<p>Next Steps</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - One on one follow up for clarification on SOSQ responses - (What is going well, what can we improve, how can we support students better) - Create opportunities for health and wellness programming across grade levels, targeting areas such as inclusion, mental health & wellness - Creation of Cobra Families K-8 and opportunities for school community involvement - Increasing student voice and ownership in program planning through Students Matter and Cobra Committee - School wide recognition for positive choices and contributing to a safe, caring and welcoming school environment

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Key Insights for Success	
Advance Innovation and Design	
<p>Areas of Strength</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students reporting that Cayley School staff have high expectations for their students Students reporting acceptable levels of effort relevance, rigor and effort overall Weekly time for each grade level in CTF and/or Makerspace in the Learning Commons 	<p>Areas for Growth</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Making connections between curricular outcomes and real-world relevance or application in Social Studies and English Language arts

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Increasing opportunities for student engagement across grade levels and subjects
	<p>Next Steps</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Create CTF Model for Grades 5-8 Students - Exploring opportunities to collaborate and make learning engaging for all students with new curriculum in mind
Advance Learning that Transfers	
<p>Areas of Strength</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Growth plans created by each teacher to address an area of focus • Teacher professional learning with My Blueprint and incorporating into our curricular areas such as CTF, Health • CPIP Grant will allow for support for collaboration with Blackie, Highwood and Cayley School 	<p>Areas for Growth</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Strengthen process and incorporate more sharing and professional development into regular staff meetings - Opportunities for exploration of new curriculum
	<p>Next Steps</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Continued use of and creation of Portfolios in all classrooms to highlight student work - Create Cayley School CTF Program (design and structure/timetable) for upcoming years
Advance Literacy and Numeracy	
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provincial Achievement Tests indicating students are meeting acceptable standards in both ELA (100%) and Social Studies (91.7%) • Grade assessment indicating that Vocabulary and Comprehension skills are improving (over 75% of students meeting expectations for grade) • MIPI results in each area either improved or stayed consistent with past years 	<p>Science and Math (less than 75% meeting acceptable standard)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Grade assessments indicating that students are struggling with listening component of this assessment (but have improved from last year) - MIPI Number sense is an area of focus for improvements (Covid disruptions in learning were found, learning gaps still needing to be addressed)
	<p>Next Steps</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Continue with LLI structure for literacy instruction and support in small groups - Support educational assistants with learning in both literacy and numeracy interventions and working with learning coach to effectively implement - Build regular PLT structure into our monthly meetings, working with Learning Services team to enhance PD and PLT learning time
<p>Advance First Nations, Métis, and Inuit Student Success</p>	
<p>Areas of Strength</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increasing resources in Learning Commons to support building our foundational knowledge about Indigenous Perspectives, and students accessing these resources to learn • Promoting Candian Resources to learn about the land and history and inclusivity through programs like Rocky Mountain Book Awards 	<p>Areas for Growth</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Making our learning visible to our school community - Staff are indicating Indigenous learning opportunities as an area of growth and learning for themselves <p>Next Steps</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Incorporating more opportunities for school wide learning - Incorporating more diverse perspectives into our classroom and school (read aloud, novel studies, classroom libraries, discussion topics, learning commons, school wide presentations and programming)
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Key Insights for Success

Advance Teaching, Learning and Leading

Areas of Strength

- Solid foundation with Cayley school vision, mission and values has been created over the years
- Staff enjoy working together and feel a powerful sense of professional responsibility to continue to learn and grow as professionals

Areas for Growth

- Commitment to continuous improvement, as staff and administration have experienced changeover over the last few years, there is a sense that we can recommit to this
- Need to revisit structures in place to support staff learning at the school level (time and resources are a factor with small schools)
- Get back to discussing education instead of behavior; make and implement a plan to tackle problem behaviors in the school, and utilize PD time next year to improve our overall teaching practice as opposed to utilizing PD time to tackle behavior and subsequent teacher wellness

Next Steps

	Re-evaluate and re-imagine the Cayley Cobra Creed, including voice from all stakeholders
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