



INDIGENOUS EDUCATION

Grade 8 Raven Achievement Awards

Greater Victoria School District

The Indigenous Education Department (IED) of the Greater Victoria School District sponsors two Grade 8 Student Achievement Awards for Indigenous students who have had a successful year. The focus of these awards will be on students who are able to demonstrate the best balance of social, academic and citizenship skills. Two awards, \$100 each, will be presented to the winners at their respective school's yearend awards assembly.

In April 2022, IED will forward the application forms to all Principals of our Middle Schools in the Greater Victoria School District for distribution to all Grade 8 Indigenous students in their schools.

If a student approaches you with an application form, we would request that you please support him or her by completing the "Teacher Comment" section, and by mailing the completed submission to Indigenous Education at the address given below.

**The deadline for submissions is
Friday, May 6, 2022**

Applications may be sent through the school mail to:

INDIGENOUS EDUCATION DIVISION

Greater Victoria School District

556 Boleskine Road

Victoria, B.C. V8Z 1E8

or Email: cclaibourne@sd61.bc.ca

**IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT
the IED Office at (250) 475-4124**





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Teacher's Comment Sheet

The Indigenous Education Department Grade 8 Raven Achievement Awards will be presented to two students in Grade 8 who are able to demonstrate a balance of social, academic and citizenship skills.

NAME OF APPLICANT: _____

SCHOOL NAME: _____ TEL. NO.: _____

CLASSROOM TEACHER'S NAME: _____

TEACHER'S COMMENTS: _____

ACADEMIC STANDING: _____

CITIZENSHIP ACTIVITIES: _____

ATTENDANCE: _____

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: _____

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Student Comment Sheet

NAME OF APPLICANT: _____

ABORIGINAL ANCESTRY: _____

STUDENT ADDRESS: _____

POSTAL CODE: _____ S.I.N.: _____

(PLEASE PROVIDE SIN IF YOU HAVE ONE)

SCHOOL NAME: _____

1. CITIZENSHIP ACTIVITIES: Please describe your involvement in activities, clubs or organizations that demonstrate how you contribute to your school and your community.

WRITE A ONE-PAGE ARTICLE ON ONE OF THE FOLLOWING TOPICS:

- Your personal goals for the future
- What it means to you to be a young Indigenous person in the year 2022
- What you know about your Indigenous history and culture **OR**
- Write a poem, legend or story [Illustrations may be included]



**RETURN THE COMPLETED
APPLICATION FORM TO:
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