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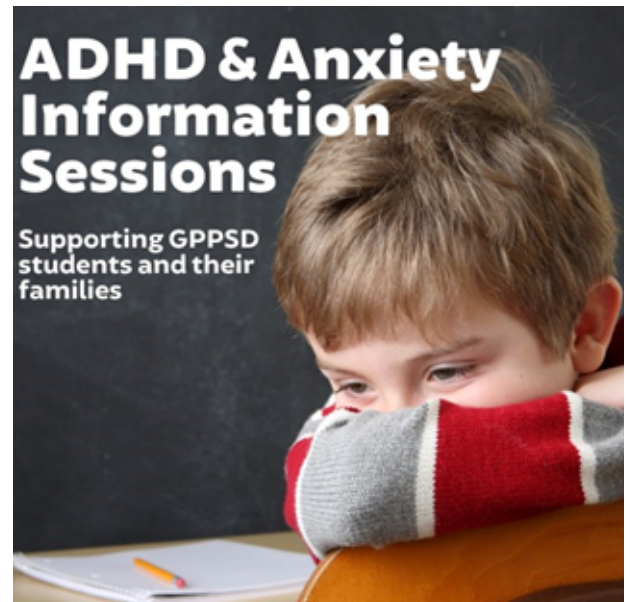Every Student Succeeds

January 23, 2024
Board Highlights

ALBERTA HEALTH SERVICES COMMUNITY PRESENTATIONS

Alberta Health Services is organizing community presentations on the topics of supporting students with ADHD and Anxiety.

Two presentations on each topic are planned for parents from all schools in the Grande Prairie Public School Division and will be hosted at I.V. Macklin Public School and Alexander Forbes The Academy School.

Information about the dates of the sessions is available on the Division website, under News.

ADHD & Anxiety Information Sessions

Supporting GPPSD students and their families

Presented By   Alberta Heal Services

KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION 2024 - 2025

It's an exciting time of year for children born in 2019! Kindergarten registration for the 2024-2025 school year begins soon.

GPPSD will begin sharing registration details starting on February 4th. All registrations are completed online at: https://www.gppsd.ab.ca/registration

In addition to Kindergarten registration, all new students to the Division will be able to register; this includes Preschool and Grades 1 through 12.

Pre-population of online forms begins February 28th, and the online registration officially opens the morning of March 11, 2024.

CAREERS SCHOOL ENGAGEMENT COORDINATOR

The Grande Prairie Public School Division has combined a grant, provided by the provincial CAREERS: The Next Generation organization, with the other two local school divisions. The combined effort allows for the hiring of a full-time School Engagement Coordinator.

The Coordinator will collaborate with GPPSD off-campus coordinators at Charles Spencer High School and Grande Prairie Composite High School and the local CAREERS team to raise student and parent/guardian awareness of the opportunities to combine trades with their high school education, and the possibilities that exist for them in secondary education.
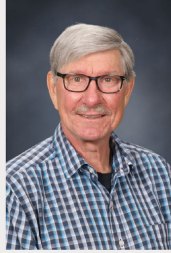
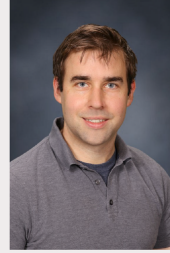## Grande Prairie Public School Division

Board of Trustees 2023-2024

Board Meetings

6:00 p.m., Central Office Board Room,
Grande Prairie Public School Division

Future Board Meetings

February 13, 2024
February 27, 2024
March 12, 2024
March 26, 2024
April 23, 2024
May 14, 2024
May 28, 2024
June 11, 2024

Individuals or groups who wish to make comment on any specific item on the agenda of a Board meeting are required to register with the Board Office by noon of the day of the Board meeting. The full Board Policy 7 can be found on our website

2024 – 2025 SCHOOL YEAR CALENDAR APPROVAL

The Board approved the draft 2024 – 2025 School Year Calendar at the Regular Board meeting.

Feedback from school principals was that the scheduling of the Christmas Break was well-received, and the first Diploma Part A Exam falls at a better time for high schools in this calendar. The approved calendar can be found on the Division website at: https://www.gppsd.ab.ca/our-division/calendar

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