

### Northern Lifestyles 10/20/30

#### Background

The Division encourages High Schools to offer the Northern Lifestyles Program as a method of recognizing local historical and contemporary perspectives that provide students with an opportunity to focus on preserving, maintaining and enhancing a unique way of life which is still practiced by people in Northern Saskatchewan.

#### Procedures

1. The school administration will identify each year in their First Nations and Metis Education Operational Plan that Northern Lifestyles 10/20/30 be offered.
2. In consultation with the staff, the principal will determine the feasibility of offering the program either in the first or second semester.
3. Once the program has been identified, staff will consider gathering or purchasing required resources for the Northern Lifestyles 10/20/30 program. To identify appropriate resources for the program, staff will use these guidelines to help them decide how to spend funds that are allocated each year.

Funds allocated for the program will be used to build up resources at the school level. Some schools have purchased items throughout the years and are well equipped to take students on outdoor expeditions. Schools that have not yet identified required resources are expected to use funds to initiate purchases that will have an impact on student learning in or out of school journeys. The following items will guide schools when purchasing required resources.

- Textbooks
- Audio/visual materials, i.e. dvd, cd, reading materials
- Technological Supports, i.e. computers, video recorder, camera
- Guest speakers (see attached list for cost)
- Transportation use (see attached list for cost)
- Purchase of motorized items. 50% of funds, i.e. snow machines, outboard motors, ice augers, all terrain vehicles, chainsaw,
- Boat
- Canoe
- Paddles
- Sled
- Fish net
- Rope
- Axe
- Tents
- Camping cookware

- Sleeping Gear
- Manual Auger
- First Aid Kit
- Snowshoes
- Safety Gear, Personal Floating Device
- Rain Gear
- Compass
- Student Registration for...firearms, snow machine, outboard, ATV, trapping