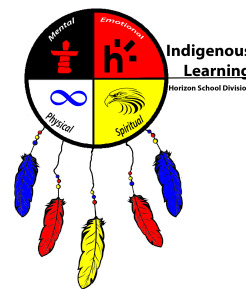


Orange Shirt Day Logo Contest

May 3 - 20th, 2022



Oki / Tansi Indigenous Allies,

September 30th has been declared Orange Shirt Day annually, in recognition of the harm the residential school system did to children's sense of self-esteem and well-being, and as an affirmation of our commitment to ensure that everyone around us matters. (orangeshirtday.org)

The Horizon School Division Indigenous Steering Committee would like all schools to participate in the Orange Shirt Day logo-drawing contest within our division, with a focus not only on creating a meaningful logo, but also on a written paragraph explaining what the logo means to the artist who created it.

We would like the Indigenous Allies to facilitate this contest in each school, and ask that you forward this information to your staff, students and school community. As well, please provide as much background support and teaching as necessary, to ensure that students and staff have some foundational knowledge in Residential Schools and Orange Shirt Day.

<https://safeandcaring.ca/orangeshirtprogramresources/> - resources for teachers

<https://www.orangeshirtday.org/> - website with information and resources

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wMLbuuYswXY> - Message from Assembly of First Nations

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-sZ4cqO5kZo> - Short but profound promotional video

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CBrT1Vsam8Q> - The Orange Shirt Story (book read by author)

On the following pages, you will find a template for both the logo and paragraph. If you choose, you can just keep the back of the entry form blank without the frame and have kids draw their logo that way as well.

The contest will run from May 2, 2022 through May 20, 2022. Please ensure that all submissions are sent to Lisa Sowinski by noon on May 20. The winner will be announced on June 21st!

Best Regards,

Horizon School Division Indigenous Steering Committee

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