



# ELLISON EAGLES

NOVEMBER 2025



## CALENDAR HIGHLIGHTS

Nov. 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Time change (end of Daylight savings time)</li></ul>
Nov. 4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>K, Gr. 3 &amp; Gr. 6 Vision Screening</li></ul>
Nov. 5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Photo Retakes</li><li>Div. 17 to BX Creek</li><li>Div. 6 &amp; 10 Skating</li></ul>
Nov. 10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Pro-D Day (no school)</li></ul>
Nov. 11	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Remembrance Day (no school)</li></ul>
Nov. 13	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>National Kindness Day!</li></ul>
Nov. 16	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Beginning of Metis Awareness Week</li></ul>
Nov. 19/20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Volleyball Playoffs</li></ul>
Nov. 21	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Gr. 6 Immunizations</li></ul>
Nov. 24	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Career Education Week</li></ul>
Nov. 26/27	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Volleyball Championships</li></ul>
SAVE THE DATE!	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Dec. 4<sup>th</sup> is the PAC Christmas Market!</li></ul>

**A reminder that the Staff Parking spaces are for Staff only. Overflow parking is available at the Landing Church and along the road.**

**DON'T JUST FLY, CHOOSE TO SOAR!**

## North Okanagan Youth & Family Support Services (NOYFSS) FALL 2025 GROUPS:

### Kids Connect

A group for children ages 10-12 that focuses on fostering emotional intelligence, interpersonal relationships and overall well-being through various activities. Children will learn about and practice self awareness, emotional regulation and relationship skills in a supportive environment with their peers.

Thursdays Nov 13 – Dec 18 3:00 – 4:00 PM

[Click Here to Register Online](#)

### Making Relationships Safe - Counselling and Support for Men

The NOYFSS Making Relationships Safe program is designed specifically for men who want to make meaningful changes in their relationships and reduce harmful behaviours.

<https://noyfss.org/programs/>

And many more programs such as Changes and Friendship Foundations coming soon!

- **School Catchment Boundaries:** Please see the attached information regarding upcoming potential school catchment boundary changes.
- **School Fees (supplies, field trips, etc.):** Please try to pay online MyEd whenever possible. Let us know if you need any help with it!

A great big **THANK YOU** to our volleyball **coaches, referees and teacher sponsors**, for supporting our teams this Fall. It has been wonderful to have this opportunity provided to our students!

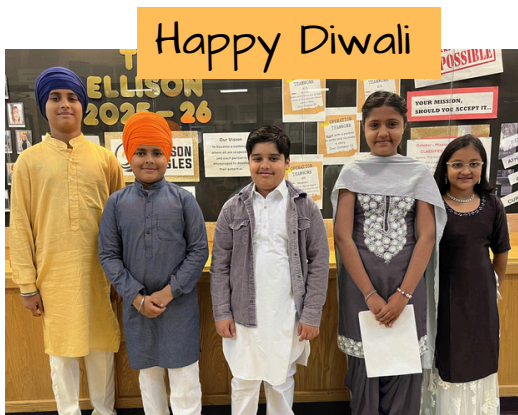
A great big **THANK YOU** to our volleyball **players** for their enthusiasm, teamwork and outstanding sportsmanship on and off the court. Your smiles and appreciation have made this season **awesome!**



Thank you to  
WorkBC for a  
fantastic  
career  
exploration  
event at our  
school!



Thank you to Mrs.  
Peplow & Mrs.  
Cotter for a  
beautiful  
celebration of  
the Salmon Run





# Ellison & Okanagan Landing Elementary

## Catchment area review



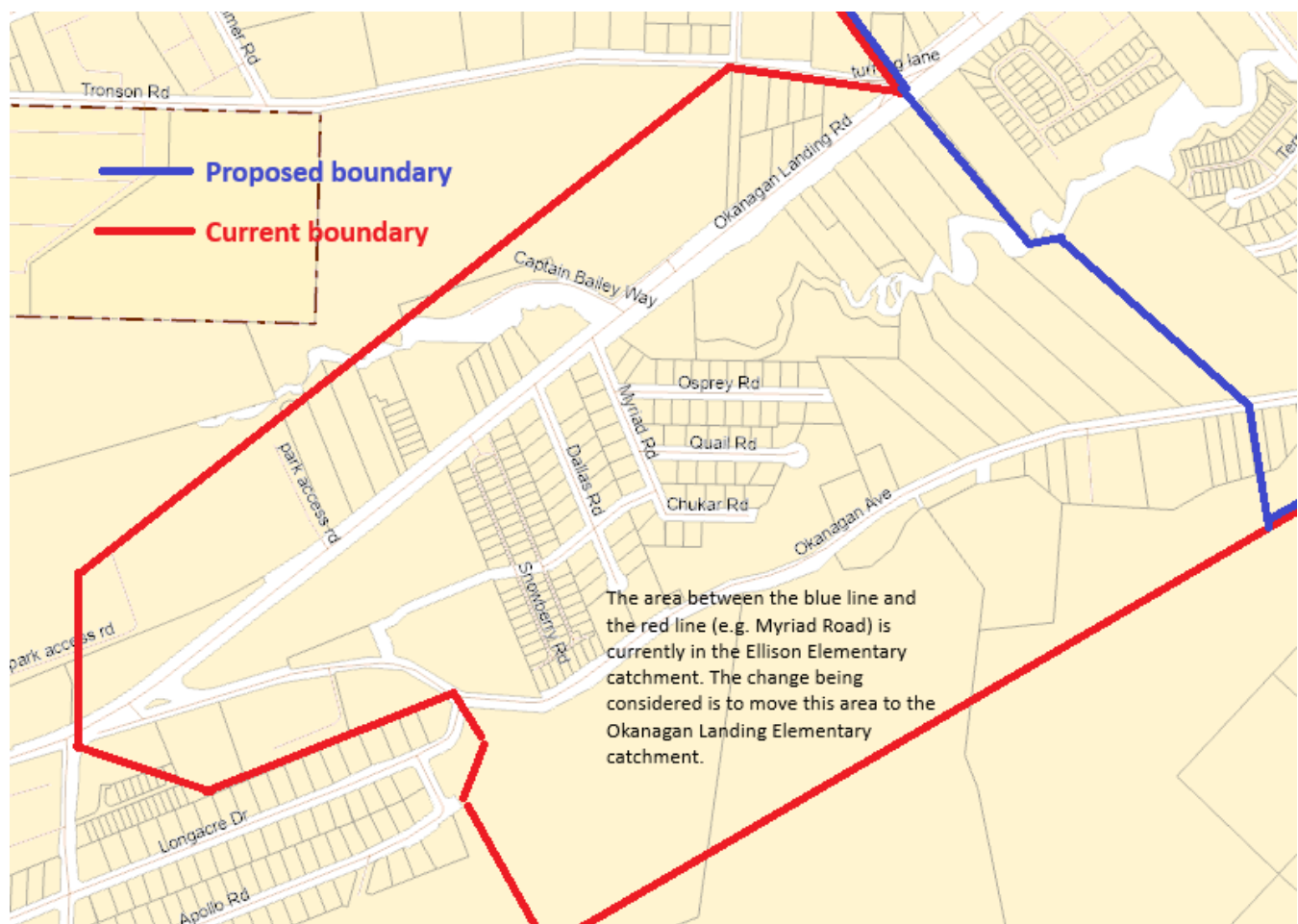
Family consultation, Okanagan Landing Elementary, 5pm November 12, 2025

### Proposed boundary change for consideration

School District staff are considering proposing that the School District Board adjust the Ellison Elementary / Okanagan Landing Elementary catchment boundary to move some of Ellison Elementary's catchment to Okanagan Landing Elementary.

As Ellison Elementary and Okanagan Landing Elementary feed into Clarence Fulton Secondary School, no secondary school catchment areas change.

The following map illustrates the proposed boundary change.



## How the change could be implemented

Staff are considering recommending that the Board implement the change as follows:

- Ellison Elementary students living in the boundary change area can continue to attend Ellison Elementary. Their siblings can also attend Ellison Elementary when they reach Kindergarten age.
- The proposed boundary change would be effective for student registrations after January 15, 2026 (essentially, next school year).

Staff will bring recommendations, including a summary of community feedback received, to the Board for consideration at the November 19<sup>th</sup>, 2025, Board meeting.

## Why the change is being considered

Ellison Elementary currently has 400 students in a school built for 411 students. Potential development in the area under review may further increase the enrolment at Ellison Elementary.

Okanagan Landing Elementary has 271 students in a school built for 322 students. Staff project the enrolment to remain steady.

The proposed boundary change implementation minimizes the impact on families while easing space pressures at Ellison Elementary School over time.

## The consultation process

Families are invited to attend a consultation session at Okanagan Landing Elementary School at 5pm on Wednesday, November 12<sup>th</sup>. The School District's Secretary Treasurer, Adrian Johnson, will provide an overview of the proposed change. School Principals and District staff will also attend and be available to answer questions.

A survey for feedback will be provided. All input received will be shared with the Board.

If you are unable to attend and have questions or concerns, please contact your School Principal.